

Standard Form For Members of the Legislature

Name of Representative **HOPP**, RUDOLPH CARL NICHOLAS Senator

Served from Mills County Iowa

1. Birthday and place 16 February 1870, Schæswig Holstein

2. Marriage (s) date place

~~Rosa Lena Antoinette Saar (Rosie) (Jan. 1870 - 5 Oct. 1946), 22 October 1891~~

3. Significant events for example:

A. Business Farming; banking

B. Civic responsibilities

C. Profession

4. Church membership Mineola Lutheran Church

5. Sessions served 45th GA, 1933-4, Mills County

6. Public Offices

A. Local School board 5 years; township road official 5 years;
honorary volutneer member Glenwood Fire Department

B. State

C. National

7. Death 7 July 1949, stroke, at home in Glenwood.

8. Children See #12

9. Names of parents Fred (Fritz) Hopp (1833-16 July 1873) and Johanna Katharine Kruse (14 NOV. 1836 - 11 August 1925). Both born Schleswig Holstein area; married 1860 and came to America 1873. He died of sunstroke shortly after settling in Mills Co. She remarried 1985 to Detlef Schoening who d. 1903.

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10. Education

11. Degrees

12. Other applicable information

Rosa's father had been stage coach driver and freight wagon driver; once led ox team caravan through hostile Indian territory. After her mother died, 1885, she help raise and care for seven younger children.

Rudolph and Rosa started married life on farm 3 miles east of Glenwood; in 1901 moved to home place a half mile further west. Raised 10 children here. All attended county school, but only three youngest went to high school. The others were needed to work on the farm. Had large herd Holsten cattle, large garden and orchard; raised hogs and chickens, and fed cattle.

- Children: (1) Elsa (or Elsie) ~~(Keyes)~~ (Keyes) (Sept 1892 -), Marathn, Iowa;
- (2) Della J. (or Lila) (Phifer), Oxnard, CA; (b. Apr. 1894 -);
- (3) Leo (Feb. 1896 -);
- (4) Rudolph (Jr.) (Dec. 1898 -);
- (5) Fred W. (c. 1901 -), Council Bluffs;
- (6) Rosa A. ((Ahlstrophe) (c. 1903 -), Compton, CA; (7) Mary C. (Ahlstrophe) (c. 1905 -)
- (8) ~~Mark~~ (Malvern, Ia.)
- (8) Laura P. (Mulholland) (c. 1907) - , Malvern;
- (9) Edward (or Everett) W. (c. 1909 -);
- (10) Ralph C. (c. 1910 - 71 Dec 1963)

An Eleventh child, Theresa, died in infancy. She may be the first child.

Rudolph was on the board and for 16 years president of State Bank of Glenwood. Charter Member and president of Mills County Farm Bureau. Received Master Farmer award 1930,. Director of Pottawattamie Mutual Insurance Company 35 ye ars. Honorary member Glenwood Fire Department. IOOF

They retired to home in Glenwood in 1937. Once he owned over 800 acres; at time of death was still operating 400 acres.

Hopp, Rudolph Carl Nicholas

Sources Log For Legislation Entries

Applicability

Source	Non Applicable	Applicable	Information obtained
Stork/Clingan, Legislators		x	sessions served
Glenwood Tribune, Thurs 7 July 1949 1/7		x	death;obit
History Mills Co. 1985		x	bio of son & of brother
Mills Co. Cemeteries		x	R,wf,1 son; parents
History Mills Co. 1881	x		
Ia Off Rgg. 1933-4		x	picture, no bio
House Journal 1951		x	mem res
Whos Who in Ia 1940	x		
1900 Census Mills Co. 93/1/37		x	fam--1st 4 ch
1910 Census 29B		x	fam--9th (#9 as xxxxxx Edward
1920 Census 97-4-32		x	fam--7 ch (#9 as Everett)

UNION SERVICES AT BAPTIST CHURCH

Considering it was the Sunday before the Fourth of July there was a good attendance at the first union service of the Baptist and Congregational churches last Sunday. The services will continue, with the two congregations meeting at the Baptist church for both worship services and Sunday School.

July 10 the Baptist choir will furnish the music and Rev. Paxton Smith of the Congregational church will deliver the sermon.

Sunday School meets at 9:45 a.m. and the morning worship service at 10:45 a. m. Various groups in the two churches are continuing their separate activities.

Bank Deposits Are Down \$333,137 Since Jan. 1st

Bank deposits in the six Mills county financial institutions dropped \$333,137.20 since January 1, according to reports filed this week by banks which show balances as of June 30, 1949.

Bank balances for deposits on Jan. 1 were \$9,389,452.16 as compared with June 30, of \$9,056,314.96.

An interesting item not disclosed by the two comparative figures is that deposits three months ago were up to \$9,715,138.12.

This high figure was due in part to the large amount of corn and wheat loans in this territory and the collection of the 1948 tax which at the time the state was prepared, had not yet been dispersed.

Normally there would be grain sales during the summer months, and a rise in deposits, however, due to the corn loans, the deposit high was advanced earlier in the season.

Bankers believe the local situation is of the normal pattern which has developed all over the country. Loans are up in most sections until the harvest is completed, then Loans will go down and deposits up.

A large part of the deposits of three months ago are today being spent to purchase farm and household equipment which had been delayed during the winter and spring months.

Total Deposits June 30

Glenwood State	\$ 4,303,901.69
Malvern T & S	2,223,880.46
Emerson State	865,398.94
Silver City State	726,802.00
Mineola State	705,705.38
Handerson	220,826.49
TOTAL	\$ 9,056,314.96

Rudolph C. Hopp Dies Tuesday At Glenwood Home

Rudolph C. Hopp, 79, Chairman of the Board of Directors and former president of the Glenwood State Bank, died at his home Tuesday afternoon following an illness of one and a half years.

Although Mr. Hopp was confined to his home most of the time since he became ill, he maintained close touch with his former business associates and friends with whom he had worked in farming, banking and public life.



His life was not only full of individual accomplishments but brimming with helpful service to the people of his community.

And because of his unselfish contributions of ability and knowledge to his community and its problems, Mr. Hopp was capable and worthy of Glenwood's deep respect.

Seeing the advantages of farmers organization, Mr. Hopp not only was one of the charter members of the Mills County Farm Bureau but assisted in organizing the Farm Bureau in surrounding states.

Having served on the Board of directors of Glenwood State Bank for many years, he was elected president of that institution in 1932 following the death of C. E. Dean. And as president of the bank he served for 16 years until his retirement in 1948.

Mr. Hopp was also called in 1932 by the electors of Mills County to serve as state representative during the years of 1933 and 1934.

Mr. Hopp was director of the Pottawattamie Mutual Insurance Co. for 35 years. He was a member of the IOOF and elected honorary member of the Glenwood Fire Department.

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Glenwood State	\$ 4,435,545.72
Malvern T & S	2,320,969.15
Emerson State	891,000.86
Silver City State	806,343.70
Mineola State	625,592.73
Henderson Br.	310,000.00
TOTAL	\$ 9,389,452.16

Co. Offices Cost \$3.76 per Person

The average cost per person of
maintaining the Mills county of-
fices in 1947 was \$3.76, according to
figures released this week by the
Iowa Taxpayers Association.

This was an increase of \$1.03 over
the 1946 figures of \$2.73.

The Mills county administrative
expense for 1947 was high as com-
pared to other counties in the state
which were included in the 15,000
to 25,000 population bracket.

The five highest were: Greene,
\$4.16; Franklin, \$3.94; Jefferson,
\$3.79; Clay, \$3.78; Mills, \$3.76.

The five lowest were: Delaware,
\$2.50; Appanoose, \$2.63; Clayton,
\$2.70; Wineshiek, \$2.73; Page, \$2.75.

Adjoining counties were: Potta-
wattamie, \$2.67; Page, \$2.75; Fre-
mont, \$3.55; Montgomery, \$3.53.

The combined cost of all admin-
istrative offices in all counties in
Iowa (without deduction for fees)
according to officially audited re-
ports to the Auditor of State was
\$7,362,808 for the year 1947, an in-
crease of \$979,221 or 15.34% over
the preceding year's total of
\$6,383,587. The average per person
cost was \$2.90 as compared with
\$2.51 in 1946; \$2.28 in 1945 and \$2.13
in 1944.

The division of costs was as fol-
lows:

Supervisors	\$ 762,303
Auditors	905,997
Treasurers	1,103,419
Clerks	654,626
Recorders	609,321
Supts. of Schools	564,939
Sheriffs	1,080,845
Co. Attorneys	490,014
Co. Engineers	1,191,344
TOTAL	\$7,362,808

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He was born, Feb. 15, 1870 in
Sleswig-Holstein, Germany and
came to this country at the age of
three with his parents. They set-
tled near Mineola where he was
educated and grew to manhood. At
an early age he was confirmed in
the Mineola Lutheran church.

Oct. 22, 1891 he united in marriage
to Rosa L. Saar. To this union 11
children were born—all of whom
survive excepting one daughter.
His wife preceded him in death
Oct. 5, 1946.

With his wife he located on a
farm near Glenwood and lived in
this vicinity for 58 years. The last
12 he has lived in Glenwood where
he had made a host of friends.

Mr. Hopp suffered a stroke one
and a half years ago but recovered
enough to enjoy his family and
home. He suffered another stroke
two weeks ago and gradually grew
worse. He remained in his home
under the wonderful care of Mr.
and Mrs. Leslie March who kept
him comfortable and happy. All of
his children were with him his last
few days.

Those surviving are five sons
Leo, Rudolph, jr., Edward and
Ralph of Glenwood and Fred of
Council Bluffs; five daughters, Mrs.
Elsie Keyes, of Marathon, Ia., Mrs.
Della Phifer of Oxnard, Cal.; Mrs.
Rose Aistrope of Compton, Cal.
Mrs. Mary Aistrope and Mrs. Laura
Mulholland of Malvern, and one
sister, Mrs. Henrietta Jens of Min-
eola. Also 21 grandchildren and 13
great grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held
Thursday, July 7, at 2 p. m. from
the Grace Methodist church. Rev.
James W. Walker and Rev. H. G.
Parker will officiate. The Raynor
Funeral Home is in charge.

Music will be furnished by Wm.
Lugsch with Mrs. R. O. Wimer at
the piano.

Ushers are James Dwyer, Fay
McManigal and Dean Jackson.

Casket bearers will be Keith
Hopp, Marion Shook, Robert Hopp,
Lawrence Keyes, John Moran and
Gerald Forristal.

Flower bearers will be Geraldine
Forristal, Winifred Hopp, Rose
Mary Allely, Polly Hopp, June Key-
es, Virginia Shook, Marie Hopp and
Rogene Moran.

Last resting place will be the
Glenwood cemetery.



Dora and John Hopp

with the date 1883 worked in it, so was 14 when she made it. Her daughters have treasured and kept it.

Her parents, Johanna and Hans Luth, and brother William came to this country in 1888. They settled on a farm east of Glenwood where Charles Hopp, their grandson now lives. They had lived there previously with son William who never married. Hans Luth was born in Bernsdorf, Holstein, Germany in 1844. His wife Johanna's maiden name was Hammer. They located on her brother Charles Hammer, Sr. place near Mineola, Iowa when first coming to this country.

Hans Luth died February 4, 1934 at 89 years, 3 months and 11 days.

Johanna Luth died April 5, 1936, Council Bluffs, Iowa. She was 88; her birthday was March 6, 1848, in Holstein, Hohenfelden, Germany. William Luth died December, 1936 at home, age 60.

Lizzie Dora was married to John Henry Hopp, February 18, 1892. An account of their children may be found in the history of John Henry Hopp. Her name in German was "Elissa Dorothea" but was translated in English to Lizzie Dora. She died June 11, 1955 and is buried in Mineola cemetery. The Luth family were Lutheran. *Submitted by Edna Hopp Wolfe*

ROBERT MORRIS HOPP

Robert Morris Hopp was born March 6, 1922 in Mills County. His parents were Leo Detlef Hopp born February 9, 1897 and died August 17, 1954 and Bertha Evans Miller born July 29, 1900. They were married January 22, 1919. They had two sons, Donald Keith Hopp and Robert Morris Hopp and one daughter, Virginia Elaine Hopp.



Back Row: Don, Marie, and Robert Hopp, Donnie and Diane Schroeder. Front Row: Rob and Dustin Schroeder.

Robert Morris Hopp married Mabel Marie Menschel on August 20, 1944, born August 18, 1922 in Mills County. Marie was the daughter of Otto and Janie Menschel. Robert and Marie had two children:

Donald Lee Hopp was born October 6, 1945 at Mercy Hospital, Council Bluffs. He married

Cynthia Ann Adams on November 4, 1967 and after six years of marriage they were divorced. They had no children. Donald was a member of Silver Creek Go-Getters 4-H Club and graduated from Iowa Western Community College at Clarinda, Iowa. He worked at Bourn's, Ames, Iowa for five years and returned to Mills County to farm with his father. He later purchased an acreage east of Glenwood.

Diane Kay Hopp was born July 28, 1947 at Mercy Hospital, Council Bluffs. She married Donald Merrell Schroeder on August 26, 1967.

They had two sons:

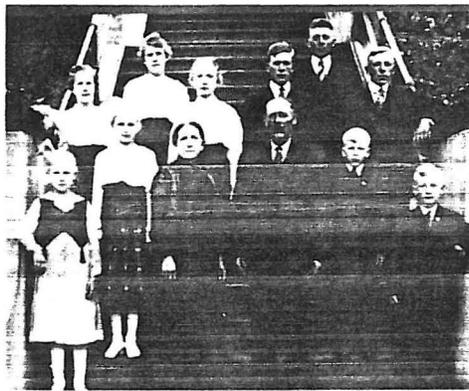
Donald Robert Schroeder born January 22, 1969.

Dustin Merrell Schroeder born January 10, 1971.

On October 7, 1942 Robert Hopp enlisted in the Army Air Force and was inducted at Fort Crook, Nebraska. He was also stationed at Tucson, Arizona and Miami Beach, Florida, and served until December 15, 1943. Robert and Marie have lived on his parents' farm northwest of Malvern since their marriage. Robert served on the Centerline School Board for a number of years. He is on the Board of Directors for Glenwood State Bank, of which his grandfather, Rudolph Hopp was President. He is now on the Mills County ASCS Committee and a township trustee. Marie taught in country schools for three years before her marriage. She was a 4-H leader for many years and worked as 4-H Aide for three years. She has been active at Grace United Methodist Church, Glenwood for many years, serving as Sunday School teacher, and a member of United Methodist Women of which she is now president. She served five years as a Council Bluffs District UMW officer. Her hobbies are collecting plates, sewing, cake decorating, knitting, crocheting and refinishing furniture. *Written by Marie Menschel Hopp*

RUDOLPH CARL NICHOLAS HOPP

Rudolph Carl Nicholas Hopp was born February 15, 1870 in Schleswig, Holstein, Germany. His parents were Fred (Fritz) and Johanna Catharina (Kruse) Hopp. Catharina was born in Damulus, Holstein, Germany on November 14, 1836. She died August 11, 1925. She and Fred were married in 1860 and in 1873 they came to America on a sailship, taking two months to cross the ocean. After one month in this country, Fred died of sunstroke. Besides Rudolph, their children included Henrietta, Henry and John. In 1875, Catharina married Detlef Schoening, who preceded her in death in 1903. The family lived in Oak Township near Mineola where there was a settlement of other German immigrants. They had three children: Julia, Albert and Frank.



Front: Laura, Mary, Rosa, Rudolph, Edward, Ralph. Back: Della, Elsie, Rose, Fred, Leo, Rudie.

On October 22, 1891, Rudolph married Rosa Lena Antonette Saar who was born January 15, 1870 on her parents' farm near Treynor. Rosa's father was Julius J. Saar who was born January 1, 1845 at Jefferson City, Missouri. He died March 14, 1934. In his earlier days he was a stage coach

driver and freight wagon driver for the government. At one time he was the leader of an ox team caravan through hostile Indian territory. Rosa's mother was Catharina W. Schoening who was born Nov. 11, 1852 in Germany and died February 18, 1885 after the birth of her youngest child, Martha. Rosa then helped raise her and care for her other brothers and sisters: Henry, Julia, John, Otto and Edward (twins), Gustave and Fred. Julius and Catharina had married January 16, 1869.

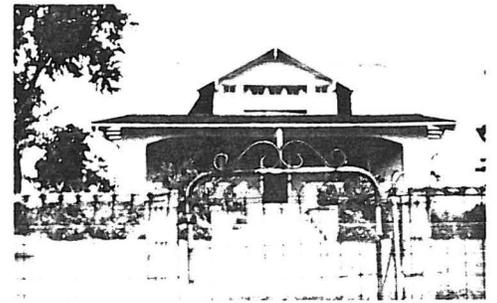
Rudolph and Rosa started their married life on a farm about three miles east of Glenwood south of the railroad underpass where the road led to Balfour. This was in Center Township. In 1900, they moved half a mile west to the home place at the east edge of Glenwood Township. Here they raised their ten children: Elsie, Della, Leo, Rudie, Fred, Rose, Mary, Laura, Ed and Ralph. Another daughter, Theresa, died when young. The children attended Plainview country school.

Only the three youngest went to high school. In those days, all hands were needed to do the chores and farm work which was mostly done with horse-drawn machinery. They had a large herd of Holstein cows and sold milk. There was a big garden and orchard with fruit trees and berries. Black walnuts were gathered from the nearby timbers in the fall. They also raised hogs, chickens and at one time fed cattle.

Rudolph had an active public life serving on the Board of Directors and as President of Glenwood State Bank; charter member and President of Mills County Farm Bureau; receiving the Master Farmer award in 1930; Mills County representative to Iowa state legislature in 1933 and 1934; director of Pottawattamie Mutual Insurance Co.; member of IOOF and honorary member of Glenwood Fire Department. His hobby was fishing. Rose was a quiet, home-loving woman devoted to family and friends. They had both been confirmed in the Lutheran Church in their youth. They retired in 1937 to a new home at 211 North Chestnut St. in Glenwood. He died July 5, 1949. She died October 5, 1946. *Submitted by Rose Mary Hopp Alley*

RUDOLPH JULIUS HOPP

Rudolph Julius Hopp, or Rudie, as he is better known, was born December 19, 1898 at the farm home of his parents, Rudolph and Rosa (Saar) Hopp, in Center Township. Rudie farmed with his father and was one of the first ones to learn to drive a tractor when they first were marketed. As a boy, they played in the nearby timbers. Coming from a family of ten children and having lots of cousins nearby, he never lacked playmates.



Home of Rudie and Marjorie Hopp in Center Township which they built in 1923-24 and where he still resides today.

On January 30, 1924, in Council Bluffs, Iowa, Rudie married Marjorie Lena Bada. Her parents were Art and Celia (Ott) Bada. Marjorie was born on March 16, 1905 on the family farm in Ingraham Township. She and her brother, Cecil, grew up there and graduated from Silver City High School. Marjorie died on May 1, 1977 after a long illness.

Before Marjorie and Rudie were married, their house and set of farm buildings were built a quarter of a mile east of his parents' home.

They spent all their 53 years of married life there

and Rudie still lives there today. Some of the cedar trees that were in the original grove in which the house was built are still standing.

At first, Rudie farmed with horses and tells of harvesting the wild prairie hay which grew on the railroad right of way to the north. It was excellent feed for horses. The main crops raised in those days were corn, oats, alfalfa and pasture for the milk cows, horses and hogs. It was usually the man's job to raise and look after the chickens.

Rudie's specialty was raising hogs. They also had a big garden and orchard which furnished most of their fruits and vegetables. It was a great place for children to grow up with cats, dogs, riding horses, baby animals to watch and wide open spaces in which to play.

Their children are Rogene Ferne, born Aug. 20, 1925 and Rose Mary, born Jan. 16, 1927.

During the depression years of the 30's, there wasn't much money to spend on entertainment but they visited with their many relatives in the vicinity. Each adult was host to the whole neighborhood on their birthday. Cards were played then a big lunch of sandwiches, pickles, cake, lemonade and coffee was served. During the summer, the children played hide and seek around all the cars parked in the yard. The houses were big so during bad weather, they found a place to play cards or other games. Sometimes an older cousin would drive them to town to the show which cost a whole dime.

Marjorie was a regular patron at the Glenwood public library and did a lot of reading. She also enjoyed Bridge club and played regularly. Raising flowers was one of her hobbies and she belonged to the local garden club. Each of the new babies in the neighborhood was usually presented with one of her hand knit sweaters. Rudie spent a lot of time hunting morel mushrooms in the spring then hunting squirrels, ducks and pheasants in the fall. They both enjoyed fishing, playing cards, their grandchildren's visits or watching the deer and many birds of the locality, even the lightning storms and then the rainbows that followed. *Submitted by Rose Mary Hopp*

FERN ELIZABETH HORN

Fern Elizabeth Horn was born September 15, 1929, at Hastings, Iowa, the daughter of Amelia (Achenbach) and Harry Horn. She attended school in Strahan and Hastings and in December, 1939, she moved with her parents to a farm northeast of Council Bluffs. She graduated from Abraham Lincoln High School, Council Bluffs, in 1947. She worked in a Council Bluffs bank for several years. August 8, 1952, she married Merlyn Eyberg at the St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Treynor, Iowa.



Merlyn, Fern and Patty Jo Eyberg

Merlyn was born September 30, 1931. He was in the Army for two years and served in Korea. He has been a Council Bluffs mail carrier for thirty years.

Merlyn's mother is Marie Christina (Gobel) and his father, George John Eyberg, who died November 24, 1983. Marie (Gobel) Eyberg was born August 19, 1910. Merlyn was an only child.

Fern has two brothers, Paul and Harold, and five sisters, Amy LaFollette, Loretta Kaut,

Ruhama Thomas, Viola Krecklow and Millie Canaday. *Submitted by Viola Krecklow*

FRANK HORN

Frank Horn was born October 10, 1881 in Marshalltown, Iowa. His parents were James and Margaret (Kennedy) Horn. He married Mary Thomas Hamilton on February 28, 1910 in Papillion, Nebraska. They had three sons.

James Albion Horn born November 6, 1914 in rural Malvern but died when he was two weeks old.

Howard Hamilton Horn was born November 11, 1915 in rural Malvern, Iowa. He married Zella Lizer Adams of Woodbine, Iowa November 27, 1938. They had one daughter Mary Jane Horn.

Ray Horn born October 5, 1918 in rural Hastings, Iowa. He married Alice Anderson of Council Bluffs, Iowa January 24, 1947. They had three children, Carol Ann Horn, Robert Frank Horn and Roberta Faye Horn.

In July of 1926 Frank married Eunice Bertha Hamilton. Eunice was born December 23, 1899 in Nelson, Missouri. They had one daughter, Margaret Fern Horn, born June 7, 1927 in Sergeant Bluff, Iowa. She married Bert Wheeler October 21, 1950. They had one son, Jay Roger Wheeler, and one daughter, Kathryn Ann Wheeler.

Frank worked at an elevator in Onawa during the winter months and in the summer months he worked with a road construction crew. He was working with the crew when they paved 275.

In 1934 Frank decided to go back to farming and moved to a farm two miles south of Silver City, Iowa. In 1944 he bought a farm in Rawles Township two miles north and a mile east of Tabor, Iowa. He lived there until he died October 31, 1958. *Submitted by Margaret (Horn) Wheeler*

HAROLD EVAN HORN

Harold Evan Horn was born at Malvern, Iowa, on July 26, 1924, to Amelia (Achenbach) and Harry Horn. He attended school at Strahan and Hastings. In December of 1939, he moved with his parents to a farm northeast of Council Bluffs. He graduated from Abraham Lincoln High School, Council Bluffs, in 1941. He was in World War II, 193rd Glider Inf. in Europe.



Harold Horn "1941"

Harold married Rosemary McEvoy June 20, 1942. Rosemary was from Council Bluffs. They had three sons: Richard Stephen, born November 24, 1946, and he married Sandra Ann Simunaci, they have a daughter, Heather Ann; Michael John was born August 8, 1956; Brian Harold was born August 23, 1957, he married Anita Louise Velez October 10, 1981.

After his honorable discharge Harold became a beautician until he had a heart attack and had to retire.

Harold had six sisters: Amy LaFollette, Loretta Kaut, Ruhama Thomas, Viola Krecklow, Mildred Canaday and Fern Eyberg and one brother, Paul.

Rosemary is the daughter of Catherine Behm and Michael McEvoy and has a sister, Lucille and a brother, Mike McEvoy. *Submitted by Viola Krecklow*

HARRY AND AMELIA HORN

Harry E. Horn was born in Waterloo, Nebraska, November 11, 1889, the son of Margaret and James Horn. He spent his childhood around Waterloo. His parents were farmers, and they moved to Malvern and Harry worked for various farmers. February 23, 1910 he married Amelia Achenbach at Randolph, Iowa. She was the daughter of Mary (Overstreet) and Lew Achenbach. They farmed around Hastings and Strahan area and in December 1940 they moved to a farm eight miles northeast of Council Bluffs, Iowa. Seven years later they were able to purchase their own farm and lived there until they passed away.



Harry and Amelia Horn

Harry and Amelia loved to work with the soil, and raise gardens and feed animals, even though most of the time she had to carry water to feed the chickens and ducks. One summer Amelia raised 100 white ducks, and early every morning you could see them going down single file along the fence, and quacking. Even though gardening is hard work she loved to hoe, then canning the vegetables, and fruit they would buy by the bushel as there were eight children: Amy, Loretta, Ruhama, Viola, Harold, Mildred, Fern and Paul. They didn't have electricity then, and in the fall she would cold pack a beef and oh, what good noodles in the winter time. She would also fry sausage and can them. That was the meat in the winter, as she never liked to can chicken. There was plenty of them all summer long. Then when winter came we'd all go to town, Malvern, on Saturday afternoon and do our trading, and come home so we could chore before dark. In the summer we'd go to town on Saturday nights and just before we went home, we always had to go to the Malvern ice-house and get a 100 lbs. of ice, which we'd keep in our caves to cool the milk, butter and etc. which was kept down there.

Even though Dad worked hard in the fields, lots of nights he'd be out in the yard playing games with us kids.

The 30's were hard years on the farms. One year they lost their crops from hail, another year they lost nine horses from sleeping sickness. How they did all the things they did I'll never know.

Amelia graduated from 8th grade, West Sunbeam School, District No. 7, White Cloud Township, Mills County, Iowa, in 1907. Nina McFarland was the teacher. Harry had to quit school early and they always wanted us kids to graduate from high school.

Amelia died of cancer in a Council Bluffs hospital January 30, 1957 and Harry died in a car-truck accident a half mile west of Treynor, Iowa, October 21, 1959. Both are buried at Hastings, Iowa. *Submitted by Viola Krecklow*

HOWARD AND ZELLA HORN

Howard, the son of Frank and Mary Horn, was born November 11, 1915 in Malvern, Iowa. Frank, a farmer, was the son of James and Margaret Horn, and he was born October 10, 1881 in

Therefore, Be It Resolved by the House of Representatives of the Fifty-fourth General Assembly of Iowa: That in the passing of the Honorable Charles A. Hollis, the state has lost a valuable and honored citizen, 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.

EARL A. MILLER,
ARCH W. MCFARLANE,
LAWRENCE PUTNEY,
Committee.

Memorial to the Honorable Rudolph C. Hopp of Mills County

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

Rudolph C. Hopp was born on February 16, 1870, in Schleswig Holstein, Germany, and died at his home in Glenwood on July 5, 1949. He came to this country at the age of three with his parents who settled near Mineola, where he was educated and grew to manhood. At an early age he was confirmed in the Lutheran Church.

On October 22, 1891, Mr. Hopp was united in marriage to Rosa L. Saar and to this union were born eleven children, five sons and six daughters. At the time of his death, ten of his children survived him, his wife and one daughter having preceded him.

After his marriage, Mr. Hopp located on a farm near Glenwood and they resided there fifty-eight years. Mr. Hopp accumulated 800 acres of Mills County land and was still operating 400 acres at the time of his death.

Having served on the board of directors of the Glenwood State Bank for many years, Mr. Hopp was elected president of that institution in 1932 and served in this position for sixteen years. He also served as director of the Pottawattamie Mutual Fire Insurance Association for twenty years; on the school board five years; as township road official five years; as president of the Mills County Farm Bureau and he was also a member of the I.O.O.F. Lodge. In 1930 he was awarded the master farmer medal.

In 1932 Mr. Hopp was elected State Representative from Mills County where he served the people of Mills County in a manner worthy of the deep respect which the people of that county had for him in all of his undertakings.

Therefore, Be It Resolved by the House of Representatives of the Fifty-fourth General Assembly of Iowa: That in the passing of the Honorable Rudolph C. Hopp, 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 services, and tender its sympathy to the members of the 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.

HENRY W. WASHBURN,
GEORGE E. MILLER,
ARCH W. MCFARLANE,
Committee.

Memorial to the Honorable Ira W. Jones of Cerro Gordo County

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

Ira W. Jones was born in Erie County, New York, February 28, 1877. He was the son of Murray and Amelia Jones, with whom he came to a farm near Allison in Butler County, Iowa, at three years of age, where he resided until 1899, when he entered Iowa State College, graduating in the scientific course in 1903. He entered the law school at Drake University, graduating in 1905, and also received a law degree from Yale University. He located at Clear Lake, where he practiced law.

Mr. Jones was married to Bertha Montgomery in 1906 and to this union were born two children.

He was active in civic welfare. He was made a member of the public library board in 1915 and became chairman in 1922, which position he continued to hold until his death. He was a member of various fraternal orders, and the Lions club, being a charter member of the latter, and he served as district governor one year; was Republican county chairman four years, and represented his county in the Thirty-sixth and Thirty-seventh sessions of the General Assembly.

Mr. Jones died at his home in Clear Lake, Iowa, June 7, 1949. He is survived by his wife and a son, Dr. Lawrence M. Jones, of Baltimore, Maryland. His daughter, Betty, preceded him in death in 1930.

Therefore, Be It Resolved by the House of Representatives of the Fifty-fourth General Assembly of Iowa: That in the passing of the Honorable Ira W. Jones, the people, not only of Cerro Gordo County, but of the entire State of Iowa, have sustained a great loss.

