

Standard Form For Members of the Legislature

Name of Representative Patterson, George William **Senator** Patterson,  
George William - Represented Clay, Dickinson, Keosauqua, Emmet and  
Polk counties

1. Birthday and place 4 Sept 1887 Burt, Iowa

2. Marriage (s) date place  
Eva Stensrud 28 Dec 1913 Lake Mills, Iowa

3. Significant events for example:

A. Business Director of the Burt Savings Bank

B. Civic responsibilities

C. Profession Farmer; livestock feeder; Gen. S. Auditor

4. Church membership Presbyterian

5. Sessions served 40<sup>th</sup>, 41<sup>st</sup>, 42<sup>nd</sup> General Assemblies 1923, 1925, 1927 House of Representatives

6. Public Offices 43<sup>rd</sup>, 44<sup>th</sup>, 45<sup>th</sup> General Assemblies 1929, 1931, 1933 - Senate

A. Local

B. State State Appeal Board of the Selection Service System

C. National

7. Death 25 Feb 1971 Burt, Iowa Burial Burt Township Cemetery, Burt, Iowa

8. Children Donald William; Kenneth Howard; Virginia May (Mrs. James Poppleyard)

9. Names of parents George Newton and Elizabeth (MacKay) Patterson

Patterson, George William

10. Education

He was educated in the Bart, Iowa schools  
graduating in 1905

11. Degrees

He graduated from Iowa State College, Ames, Iowa with a  
Bachelor's Degree in 1909; graduated with  
Ph.D. in 1910

12. Other applicable information

Republican  
In summer 1909 he was a consultant in Black Hawk County.  
He was associated with Benson Cow Testing Association 1900-1911  
He then was employed by North Iowa Dairy Improvement Association  
at Lake Mills, Iowa  
Later he worked at the Extension Department of the University of Minnesota  
from 1913 on his farm near Bart, Iowa



## Whitemore Youth Named To Loras Dean's List

WHITEMORE - Kevin O'Brien, a Junior at Loras College, Dubuque, was named to the Dean's List for the first semester. He earned an honor point of 3.68 out of a possible 4.00. Kevin is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Edmund O'Brien of Whitemore, and a graduate of Garrigan High school.

### FUN AND DO CLUBS

The Fun and Do Club met Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Bernard McDonnell. Eight club members were present and Miss Mildred McDonnell was a guest for the afternoon. The members held a valentine exchange, and the afternoon was spent playing 500. High was won by Mrs. G. C. Loebach and low by Mrs. Leonard Schalkz. Mrs. Theo Meier plate prize. The March meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Martha Oswald.

Steve Wesselman, Pal Elbert and John Thornton were guests at the Edmund O'Brien home Friday night and Saturday to help Dan O'Brien celebrate his birthday.

Mrs. Wilbur Knecht and Jo Ann visited Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Oswald Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. George Barkman and Chris, Des Moines, are spending a few days with Mrs. Meyers parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Meyer.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lane went to Sioux Falls, S.D., last weekend to attend the wedding of Mr. Lane's nephew, John Masselstein.

Michael Thilges, son of Mr. and Mrs. Garry Thilges, was honored with a birthday party Saturday afternoon at his home. Guests were his cousins, Jay, Keith and Kathy Miller and Kristy Baker. Other guests were Mrs. Oswald Thilges, Connie and Brian, Mrs. Charles Baker, Mrs. Dennis Miller and Mrs. Ed Immerfall and Craig, Algona.

Mr. and Mrs. Noah Reimer and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lauch visited Mr. and Mrs. Harold Schalkz, Wednesday evening.

Mickey O'Brien of Balacon, Neb., visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. Edmund O'Brien, Dan and Francine on Sunday. Kevin O'Brien of Dubuque, who had spent the weekend with Mickey, came with her and remained until Monday evening. The O'Brien family. A Loras classmate, Bill Lynch of Malvern, accompanied

## George Patterson, Burt, Is Stroke Victim Thursday

Kness of Charles City and Mrs. Everett Steven. Mrs. Jo Ann McCallum, the District Instructor of OGS was also in attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kness and Teresa of Charles City were weekend visitors in the parental Everett Steven home.

Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Arndorfer attended dinner Sunday at the Art Hix home in honor of Dave Hix's recent return from Vietnam.

Robert Kain underwent surgery at St. Ann hospital Friday and is now recuperating at home.

Sunday visitors in the Fred Asa home were Dr. and Mrs. P. O. Dorweiler of Fort Dodge, Mr. and Mrs. Phil Asa and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Cunningham and Rachelle, Alan Asa and Karen Brandt.

Out of town guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Schumacher for the weekend were Mr. Byron Hayes of Millard, Nebr., Mr. and Mrs. Donald Meyer of Perry, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Arndorfer of Mason City, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Fisher of Fairmont, Minn., Susan and Jane Wanchel of Early, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Ryan of Garner, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Mameche of Jamaica, and Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Schuma of Armstrong. Other guests were from Whitemore and surrounding areas and all were here as guests at the Schumacher-Weber wedding. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Haag of West Bend were Sunday visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Cunningham and Mrs. Keith Brandt went to Waterloo this past weekend and met the plane on which Keith Brandt returned from survival training in Florida. The Cunninghams and Brandts also visited Mrs. Bea Hutchinson, Mr. and Mrs. George Draper and Mr. and Mrs. Kernal Iverson.

Mrs. Fred Asa attended the final session of Government By the People held in Algona this week.

## Irvington Man Now Located in Japan Hospital

IRVINGTON - Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Raney report that their son, SP-3 Jerry Raney, is now located in a hospital at Camp Zama, which is 30 miles from Irvington. The aviator, 27-year-old, left Jan. 6 for Oakland where he had been assigned to

Final rites for George William Patterson, 63, lifelong Burt farmer and former state senator, will be held at 2 p.m., March 1, at the Burt Presbyterian Church, with the Rev. Russell Maribala officiating.

Burial will be in the Burt township cemetery, with Garry Funeral Home of Bancroft in charge of arrangements.

Active pallbearers are Paul Bassett, Ed Smith, Jr., Russell Parsons, Francis Tobias, Dr. A. W. Lichten and Lawrence Chipman. Honorary pallbearers are Albert Hasson, Alfred Schneck, L. E. Linnan, H. E. Richat, William Huff, Sr., Bernard Leeper, Russell Waller, Ray McWhorter, L. J. Fairbanks, E. N. Wolfe, Arthur Welland and Sumner Parsons.

Mr. Patterson died late Thursday afternoon at St. Ann Hospital where he had been a patient for about three weeks following a stroke.

He was born at Burt on Sept. 4, 1887, the son of George and Elizabeth Mackay Patterson and lived his entire life at Burt, graduating from high school there with the class of 1905. He also held a B.S. degree in agriculture from Iowa State University in Ames.

On Dec. 26, 1913, he was married to Eva Stensrud at Lake Mills, Iowa. She survives, as do two sons, Donald of Burt, and Kenneth of Sween City, and one daughter, Virginia, Mrs. James Appleway of Saratoga, Calif., and one grandchild. One brother, Howard Patterson of Missoula, Mont., and one sister, Mrs. Mary Dowd Ziegler of Los Angeles.

Mr. Patterson was very active in local, state and national politics his entire life, serving in the State House of Representatives in Des Moines from 1929 to 1929. He served his district as state senator from 1929 to 1937. He also served as a member of the State Appeal Board of the Selective Service System from

1933 to March 31, 1947.

He was also very active in local and civic activities and served as a director of the Burt Savings Bank from its inception. He was also an honorary vice president of the bank.

He was always vigorous in his support of agricultural roles in national economy, and he maintained an active interest in extensive farming and ranching operations with his sons in Iowa and Montana as well as in state and national politics until his illness struck three weeks ago.

The family prefers that if any memorials be given they be made to the Burt Presbyterian Church of which he was a lifelong member.

## Ottosen Folks Are Weekend Illinois Visitors

OTTOSEN - Miss Margaret Holt and Mrs. Loren Daniel accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Lee Holt of Spencer to Illinois over the weekend. They visited at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Donald Wehrspann. The Holts went on to visit at the home of their daughter Mr. and Mrs. Richard Vander Woody of Elk Grove, Ill. They also attended the golden wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Johnson at Sandwich, Ill. Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Jacobson entertained eleven couples at a 500 card party Sunday. Mrs. James Jacobson had high score for women and Mrs. Allan Wehrspann low. Dean Telford had high for men and Everett Strothers low. Mrs. Ralph Jacobson had travel.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Brodale were Thursday visitors at the John Larson home at Hardy. They celebrated the birthday belatedly, of Berid Larson who was ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Alme attended services Sunday at the

Lutheran Church at Whitemore after which they were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. Schalkz of Whitemore at 5 Cafe at Spencer. They were bringing Debbie Schalkz 18th birthday. The afternoon was spent visiting at the Schalkz home.

Mr. and Mrs. James F. and family visited Mr. and John Larson of Hardy Sunday.

Mrs. Paul Espinosa and Espinosa Jr. of Mason City called Miss Margaret Holt. Mrs. Loren Daniel Wedne.

Mrs. Earl Olson has had following callers during the week: Mrs. Mariya Pflibsen of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bea of Brabate, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Enochson, Mrs. Donald L. and Mrs. Olinna Vinas.

Mr. and Mrs. Laurel We were Sunday visitors at the chard Bakken home.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Z were weekend guests of son-in-law and daughter Mr. and Mrs. Mike Abbey of Omaha,

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WILLIAM H. HARBOR, Speaker of the House

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STATE OF IOWA  
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He married Eva Stensrud at Lake Mills, Iowa, on December 28, 1913.

Mr. Patterson was engaged in farming and ranching operations in Iowa and Montana and was very active in local, state and national politics his entire life.

Mr. Patterson served as a Republican in the House of Representatives in the Fortieth, Fortieth Extra, and Forty-first sessions, and as State Senator in the Forty-second, Forty-second Extra, Forty-third, Forty-fourth, Forty-fifth, Forty-fifth Extra and Forty-sixth sessions.

He served as a member of the State Appeal Board of the Selective Service System from 1939 to March 31, 1947. He also served as a director of the Burt Savings Bank from its inception, and was honorary vice president of the bank. He was a lifelong member of the Burt Presbyterian Church.

Mr. Patterson passed away on February 25, 1971. Surviving him are his widow, Eva; two sons, Donald of Burt, and Kenneth of Swea City; a daughter, Mrs. James (Virginia) Appleyard of Saratoga, California; a brother, Howard Patterson of Missoula, Montana; a sister, Mrs. Mary Howard Zigrang of Los Angeles, California, and nine grandchildren.

Therefore, Be It Resolved by the Senate of the Sixty-fourth General Assembly of Iowa: That in the passing of the Honorable George W. Patterson the state has lost an honored citizen and a faithful and useful public servant, and the Senate by this resolution would express its appreciation for 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 the Journal of the Senate and the Secretary of the Senate be directed to forward an enrolled copy to the family of the deceased.

WAYNE D. KEITH, Chairman  
H. L. OLLENBURG  
S. J. BROWNLEE

Committee

The resolution was unanimously adopted.

#### CHARLES K. SULLIVAN

MR. PRESIDENT: Your Senate committee, appointed to prepare a suitable resolution commemorating the life, character and public service of the late Honorable Charles K. Sullivan, begs leave to submit the following memorial:

Charles K. Sullivan was born in Clifford, Indiana, on August 14, 1908. He was graduated from Township High School there and then studied law for two years in Indianapolis, Indiana.

On March 10, 1940, he was married to Madeline Scott in the Little Brown Church in Nashua, Iowa. To them were born a son, John, and a daughter, Milton Rosio.

Mr. Sullivan served the State of Iowa in many ways. He was a former investigator for the Woodbury County Attorney's office and once worked

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 **George PATTERSON**

**Birth Date:** 4 Sep 1887  
**Death Date:** Feb 1971  
**Social Security Number:** 479-46-6133  
**State or Territory Where Number Was Issued:** Iowa

**Death Residence Localities**

**ZIP Code:** 50522  
**Localities:** Burt, Kossuth, Iowa

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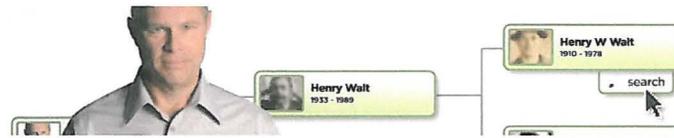
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Kossuth County  
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