

Standard Form For Members of the Legislature

Name of Representative _____

Senator Mowry,

Ross Rutledge - Represented Jasper County, Iowa

1. Birthday and place 5 Mar 1882

Clear Creek Twp. Jasper County, Iowa
near Baxter, Iowa

2. Marriage (s) date place

Mary Edith Mathews 17 Sept 1908 Newton, Iowa

3. Significant events for example:

A. Business Member of Jasper County and Iowa Bar Association;
admitted to the bar in 1903

B. Civic responsibilities Newton Library board; member of
Newton Park Board; Knights of Pythias; Modern Woodmen of America;
Mason

C. Profession Lawyer; Jasper County attorney

4. Church membership

Methodist

5. Sessions served

48th, 49th, 50th, 51st General Assembly 1939, 1941, 1943,
1945

6. Public Offices

A. Local Jasper County attorney; Baxter, Iowa, city councilman

B. State Assistant attorney general

C. National U. S. District Attorney for southern Iowa

7. Death 28 Sept 1957

Newton, Iowa Burial Newton Union Cemetery, Newton, Iowa

8. Children

Ether Virginia; Gaston Elmer (Mrs. Spaulding)

9. Names of parents

John Emmanuel and Louise (Wilkins) Mowry

Mowry, Ross R.

10. Education He was educated in the country schools in Clear Creek Township, Jasper County; He graduated from the Dexter, Iowa High School graduating in 1900;

11. Degrees University of Iowa, Iowa City, Iowa, - Law degree 1903

12. Other applicable information Republican

- He practiced law one year in Dexter, Iowa and then joined the John Cross law office in Newton, Iowa.
- He spent his youth on the family farm until around age 15 years
- He taught school before entering the university.



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Mr. and Mrs. George Dammeier and Marilyn honored their mother and grandmother, Mrs. Hilma Dammeier, on her 80th birthday, Sept. 28th. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Dammeier and family, Mr. and Mrs. Donald McKinney and girls, Mr. and Mrs. Derald Dammeier and Linda, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Dammeier and family. All were present but Mr. and Mrs. Donald Bosma and Judy of Melbourne and Miss Merita Dammeier of Los Angeles, Calif.

Mrs. Elmer Emmack attended the wedding of her niece Janice Runyon and Merrill Van Roekel at the Methodist church performed by Rev. W. H. Parsons at Monroe Saturday evening.

Mrs. Floyd Mulbrook and boys called at the parental Gail Engle home Sunday evening.

The Metz Sunday School had a homecoming reunion and basket dinner Sunday at which seventy-five were present.

Morris Wing and Mrs. Jack Harter had an accident Thursday evening when their cars collided on the hill near the Harter home. Several persons were in the cars but no one was injured, but cars were badly damaged.

The Youth Fellowship met last Tuesday evening.

The Community club met Thursday evening.

Mrs. Elmer Emmack spent several days last week with her daughter, Mrs. Richard Sille and family. Mary Joan Selbher attended the cattle congress at Waterloo last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Kay Cistelle and boys moved to the Metz community last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Grooms of Newton called on Mr. and Mrs. Morris Wing Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Donovan Emmack was hostess at her home to the Sugar Grove ladies club this Thursday.

Florette Mulbrook spent Sunday evening with Lee Marijean Wing on her birthday.

MINGO

DES MOINES—The names of students from this area who have enrolled for the fall term at the American Institute of Business here were announced today by Keith Newton, president. He said among those enrolling for the thirty-sev-

Death of Atty. Ross R. Mowry

Atty. Ross R. Mowry, 75, of Newton, was found dead in his office Saturday. Mr. Mowry spent many years in public service. He was Co. Attorney, spent two terms as State Senator and served as assistant attorney general, also as a U. S. District attorney for southern Iowa.

Born in Clear Creek township, he graduated from the Baxter high school, and law school at the University of Iowa. He practiced law one year in Baxter, then joined the late John Cross in the law profession in Newton, which has since been his home.

He is survived by two daughters Miss Esther Virginia Mowry, of New York City and Mrs. Gertrude M. Spaulding of Wakefield, Mass., and two grandchildren, besides numerous other relatives. Funeral services were held Tuesday.

Re-elected State Grange Master

Loren Murphy, of Mingo, was re-elected Master of the Iowa State Grange at the closing sessions of the annual meeting in Newton Thursday of last week. Other officers included J. S. Adams, Killduff, treasurer; Mrs. Alva Swalwell, of Newton, secretary; Mrs. Arthur Black, Letts, Treasurer and Dale Paris, Manchester, Overseer.

This will be the third year for Mr. Murphy as State Master.

20 YEARS AGO

—From Colfax Tribune Files

Grand opening of the new Theater, one of the finest in state, is tonight, Oct. 7th in Colfax. W. E. O'Neill, who is in charge of the W. P. A. in Colfax, has conceived word the Women's Club improvement project has been proved with work to begin as men are available.

Miss Ellen Hartnett, Normal Training teacher and the Normal Training girls from Colfax school were at the Mound Primary No. 3 school October 6th for a demonstration in primary, 1st and 2nd grade reading. The following girls helped with the demonstration: Betty Bolen, Donald Bolen, Barbara Stayner, Joe Niebur, Slatkoski, Helen Pearson, and Ruth Bond.

At a meeting of the Jasper County Farm Bureau Saturday, it suggested 5c per bushel be set as a standard price for corn pick this fall.

Mrs. Fern Davidson Strer was honored with a miscellaneous shower Tuesday evening, Oct. 2nd at the Frank Davidson home with Mrs. James Pratt, Mrs. Gus Camp, Mrs. Phil Davis and Frank Willey sponsoring the party.

Tribune Want Ads pay!

"Over 200 people died in traffic accidents involving alcohol during the 1957 Labor Day week end." National Safety Council.

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Outline of Personal History of

Ross R. Mowry

RESIDENCE

Newton, Ia.

Kindly furnish on this sheet the necessary data for a personal sketch and return at your early convenience. Every question is important.

EDGAR R. HARLAN, CURATOR

The Historical Department of Iowa

DES MOINES, IOWA

(This form is for use in collecting data on deceased as well as living persons. Appropriate alterations may be made in matter below.)

1. Name in full (all names) Ross Rutledge Mowry

2. Chief occupation or profession Lawyer

3. Former occupation or profession worked for a farm until I was about 16 years of age when moved to town of Baxter, Iowa, where I worked as clerk in a store while attending school.

4. Date and place of beginning each teaching evening, noons and at night. After finishing Baxter High School in Spring of 1900 I taught in the Rural schools for six months and then entered the University of Iowa during college vacation, worked as a motor mixer for Runk and Pleasney Contractors.

5. Present residence address Newton, Jasper County, Iowa

6. Present business address

7. Date of birth March 5th 1882

8. Place of birth Clear Creek Township, Jasper County, Iowa on a farm

9. If born abroad, where

10. Emigrated to America, when

11. First migrated to what state and county, whether born abroad or in America

12. Emigrated the second time to what state or county

13. Further emigration, if any

14. Education. Give name and location of rural, high, business or technical school, college or university

Attended Rural school until I entered Baxter High School. Finished Baxter High School in 1900. Taught in Rural School for about 6 mos. Entered Law Department of State University of Iowa in winter of 1900 and graduated from the Law Department of State University of Iowa with degree of Bachelor of Laws in Spring of 1903.

15. Date of graduation and degree if any

University of Iowa with degree of Bachelor of Laws in Spring of 1903.

16. Place of death _____

17. Date of death _____

18. Place of burial _____

19. Name of father in full (all names) *John E. Mowry Boar New Bremen, Ind., Penn., Sept*
and in ^{affinity} descent

20. Occupation of father *Farmer, now retired*

21. Full Maiden name of mother (all names) *Laura Wilkins Petreburg, Penn.*
and in ^{affinity} descent

22. Residence when married *Redford County, Pennsylvania, Nov 3rd*

23. Military service, if any (exact dates) _____

24. Political offices, (from the smallest to the largest, with dates)
County Attorney of Jasper County, Iowa
from January, 1st 1911 until present time
my term of office expiring January 1st 1914

25. Director or trustee of financial, religious and educational institutions
Member of Board of Trustees of Carnegie Free
Public Library of City of Newton, Iowa

26. Politics *Republican*

27. Religious denomination if any _____

28. Religious preference if non-affiliated with a denomination *Methodist Church*

29. Member of what societies or associations of learning _____

30. Member of what secret organizations, with honors or offices held, with dates
Member of Delta Lodge No 53 Knights of Pythias of Newton, Iowa
and have held office of C. C. of said Lodge. Member of M.
W. of A. and held office of V. C. of said; Member of Newton
Order of Elks

31. Member of what clubs if any _____

32. Belonged to what firms (give names in full and dates if possible) *Firm located at Paster, Ia*
Iowa and reached law alone until in fall of 1904!
located in Newton Iowa in fall of 1904. Firm of law firm
of Mowry & Cross with J. C. Cross which law firm continued
until January 1st 1911 when I assumed office of County Attorney.

33. Officer or director in any corporation _____

34. Enclose business card if possible _____

35. Enclose photograph and autograph _____

Ross R. Mowry was born in Clear Creek Township, Jasper County, Iowa March, 5th., 1882, of one of the highly respected families of that part of the county, being the son of John E. and Louisa (Wilkins) Mowry, both natives of Pennsylvania. His father devoted his life principally to farming, though he was for sometime engaged in the mercantile business at Baxter, Jasper County, Iowa in which town he is now living retired. There were ten children in this family, Ross R. Mowry being the youngest. The Mowry family is of German stock, and the first specific record we have of them in America is when they settled in Pennsylvania in the early days.

Ross R. Mowry spent his youth on the farm and assisted with the work about the place until he was fifteen years of age. He attended the country schools and later graduated from the high school at Baxter with the class of 1900. He then entered the State University at Iowa City, working his way unaided through the institution, and from which university he was graduated, in the law department, 1903. However, before entering the university he taught school for sometime. In the spring of 1903, at the age of 21 years, he was admitted to the bar. He began the practice of his profession at Baxter, where he remained one year and was gaining a solid foothold, but, seeking a wider field for the practice of his profession, he moved to Newton in 1905 and formed a partnership with John E. Cross, under the name of Mowry & Cross, which firm was dissolved in 1910. Mr. Mowry is ^{now} one of the trustees of the Free Public Library of the City of Newton.

Mr. Mowry was married on September, 5th 15th., 1908 to ~~Edith~~ Mary Edith Mathews, daughter of John L. Mathews, a well known citizen of Newton. This union has been graced by the birth of two children, Esther Virginia and Gertrude Ellen.

In 1910 Mr. Mowry was the Republican nominee ^{for County Attorney} and was duly elected at the ensuing election and is now discharging the ~~duties~~ duties of this office, being re-elected in 1912. At the election in

1912 Mr. Mowry received the largest vote of any person on the Republican ticket in Jasper County.

Mr. Mowry's record in the office of County Attorney has been so satisfactory to the people of Jasper County that he was able to enter the Republican Primary this year and secure the Republican nomination for the office of State Senator for the 29th Senatorial District. The Newton Daily News, published ^{about} at Mr. Mowry's home has this to say ^{of} him as an official: "His record in this office is an open book to every citizen of Jasper county. As a public servant who performs public duty with fearless courage, few office holders in Jasper County have ever excelled him. He has never been known to 'hush up' cases in the grand jury room and he has never been accused of hesitating to prosecute in behalf of the state, where his sound judgment has dictated the correct course of action. The county attorney's office has been crowded with an unusual number of important state cases. The unparalleled record of convictions that Mr. Mowry has procured for the state reads like a fairy tale. He has poured his entire strength and enthusiasm into every case at bar, and at no time could it have been truthfully said that Mr. Mowry was side stepping the path of justice."

36. Author of books or pamphlets, with titles and publishers in full and dates of publication

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July 23rd 1841
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FAMILY HISTORY

Mary Edith Mathews

- 1. To whom married *Mary Edith Mathews*
- 2. Date of marriage *September 17th 1908*
- 3. Place of marriage *Newton, Iowa*
- 4. Date of ~~his~~ her birth *January 22nd 1878*
- 5. Place of ~~his~~ her birth *Newton, Iowa*
- 6. Religious denomination *Presbyterian*
- 7. Date of ~~his~~ her death
- 8. Place of his or her death
- 9. Place of his or her burial

- 10. Father's full name *John Lowry Mathews*
- 11. Born where and when *February 28th 1835 Clarke County, Indiana*
- 12. Occupation of ~~his~~ her father *Painter & oil Feb 4th 1909*
- 13. ~~His~~ her mother's full name *Ellen Spence* born 11th 1837, died Jan 22nd 1892
- 14. Born when and where *Clarke County Ohio*
- 15. Parents' residence at time of their marriage *New father was living at Newton on date of marriage of their daughter to*
- 16. Miscellaneous remarks on their family *Rev. A. Mathews. John Lowry Mathews was of Scotch-Irish descent.*

1. To whom married second time
2. Date of marriage
3. Place of marriage
4. Date of his or her birth
5. Place of his or her birth
6. Religious denomination
7. Date of his or her death
8. Place of his or her death
9. Place of his or her burial
10. Father's full name
11. Born where and when
12. Occupation of his or her father
13. His or her mother's full name
14. Born when and where
15. Parent's residence at time of their marriage
16. Miscellaneous remarks on their family

CHILDREN OF *Rose Rutledge Mason* AND *Mary Edith Matthews*

NAME	PLACE OF BIRTH	DATE	PLACE OF DEATH	DATE	MARRIED TO WHOM	WHERE	DATE
<i>Ether Virginia</i>	<i>Newton, Ia</i>	<i>Dec 19 1909</i>					
<i>Gertrude Ellen</i>	<i>Newton, Ia</i>	<i>May 17 1910</i>					

CHILDREN OF AND

NAME	PLACE OF BIRTH	DATE	PLACE OF DEATH	DATE	MARRIED TO WHOM	WHERE	DATE

SIGNATURE

DATE

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HALLECK J. MANTZ

MR. PRESIDENT: Your committee, appointed to prepare a suitable resolution commemorating the life, character and public service of the late Halleck J. Mantz, begs leave to submit the following:

Halleck J. Mantz was born in Iowa county on September 23, 1877, the son of Samuel and Harriet Mantz. He received his law degree from Drake University, Des Moines, Iowa in 1904, after attending the public schools in Audubon and teaching in the rural schools for three years.

On August 27, 1910, Mr. Mantz was married to Dorothy Sandberg in Kansas City, Missouri. He began the practice of law in Audubon, taking an active part in civic and governmental affairs. He served as county attorney from 1909 until 1913, was twice elected mayor of Audubon and was a Republican member of the House of Representatives in the Thirty-seventh and Thirty-eighth General Assemblies. He was elected to the Senate from the Seventeenth District and served there during the Thirty-ninth, Fortieth and Fortieth Extra sessions. He became judge of the Fifteenth Judicial District in 1925 and Supreme Court Justice in 1943, serving until his resignation in 1953.

Mr. Mantz belonged to the Masonic fraternity and was a member of the First Presbyterian church of Audubon, Iowa.

On November 14, 1958, Mr. Mantz passed away at Guthrie Center, Iowa. He is survived by his wife, one son, Paul of Van Nuys California, and a daughter, Mrs. Gordon Luce of Albuquerque, New Mexico.

Therefore, Be It Resolved by the Senate of the Fifty-eighth General Assembly: That in the passing of Halleck J. Mantz, the state of Iowa has lost a valuable and honorable citizen and by this resolution tenders its sincere sympathy to the surviving members of the family.

Be It Further Resolved: That a copy of this resolution be spread on the Journal of the Senate, and that the Secretary of the Senate be directed to forward an enrolled copy to each member of the family of the deceased.

GERALD W. PRINCE,
PETER F. HANSEN,
JOHN D. SHOEMAN,
Committee.

The resolution was unanimously adopted.

ROSS R. MOWRY

MR. PRESIDENT: Your committee, appointed to prepare a suitable resolution commemorating the life, character and public service of the late Ross R. Mowry, begs leave to submit the following:

The Honorable Ross R. Mowry was born on March 5, 1882, in Baxter, Iowa, the son of John F. and Louisa Wilkins Mowry. He passed away on September 28, 1957.

Mr. Mowry received his law degree from the State University of Iowa in 1903 and was admitted to the practice of law in Iowa the same year.

On September 17, 1908, he was married to Edith Mathews, who preceded him in death.

Mr. Mowry was a member of the law firm of Mowry and Cross in Newton, Iowa from 1904 until 1910, was prosecuting attorney in Jasper County from 1911 until 1915, and was assistant Attorney General of Iowa in 1916. He was a member of both the Iowa and American Bar Associations, and served two terms in the Senate of the Iowa General Assembly from 1939 until 1946.

At the time of his death, Mr. Mowry was considered to be probably the greatest historian living in Jasper County.

Mr. Mowry is survived by two daughters, Virginia of New York City and Gertrude, Mrs. William Spaulding, of Wakefield, Massachusetts.

Therefore, Be It Resolved by the Senate of the Fifty-eighth General Assembly: That in the passing of the Honorable Ross R. Mowry, the state of Iowa has lost a valuable and honorable citizen and by this resolution tenders its sincere sympathy to the surviving members of the family.

Be It Further Resolved: That a copy of this resolution be spread on the Journal of the Senate, and that the Secretary of the Senate be directed to forward an enrolled copy to the members of the family of the deceased.

EUGENE M. HILL,
CARROLL PRICE,
X. T. PRENTIS,

Committee.

The resolution was unanimously adopted.

THOMAS W. MULLANEY

MR. PRESIDENT: Your committee, appointed to prepare a suitable resolution commemorating the life, character and public service of the late Thomas W. Mullaney, begs leave to submit the following:

Thomas W. Mullaney was born March 26, 1883, on a farm near Waukon, Iowa, and lived in that vicinity all of his life. He received his early education in rural schools and attended Waukon Business College and studied law. He was a member of St. Patrick's Catholic church and the Knights of Columbus.

On November 27, 1923, he was united in marriage to Miss Mary Agnes Lydon. To them were born four children.

Mr. Mullaney was a farmer, stock breeder, auctioneer and former mayor of Waukon.

In 1934, Mr. Mullaney was elected to the Senate of the Iowa General Assembly representing the Fortieth District, composed of Allamakee and Fayette counties, and served there during the Forty-fifth, Forty-fifth Extra and Forty-sixth General Assemblies.

Mr. Mullaney passed away at Waukon, Iowa on August 2, 1958. He is survived by his wife, Mary, three daughters, Mary Patricia (Mrs. R. C. Riehle) of Des Moines, Iowa, Loretta (Mrs. James Showers) and Ellen

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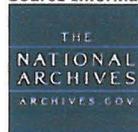
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1910 United States Federal Census

Name: **Ross Mowry**
 Age in 1910: 28
 Birth Year: 1882
 Birthplace: Iowa
 Home in 1910: Newton Ward 1, Jasper, Iowa
 Race: White
 Gender: Male
 Relation to Head of House: **Head**
 [Self (Head)]
 Marital Status: Married
 Spouse's Name: Edith Mowry
 Father's Birthplace: Pennsylvania
 Mother's Birthplace: Pennsylvania
 Neighbors: [View others on page](#)

Household Members:	Name	Age
	Ross Mowry	28
	Edith Mowry	31
	Esther V Mowry	5/12
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1920 United States Federal Census											
Name:	Ross R Mowry										
Home in 1920:	Newton Ward 2, Jasper, Iowa										
Age:	37										
Estimated Birth Year:	abt 1883										
Birthplace:	Iowa										
Relation to Head of House:	Self (Head) [Head]										
Spouse's Name:	Edith Mowry										
Father's Birth Place:	Pennsylvania										
Mother's Birth Place:	Pennsylvania										
Marital Status:	Married										
Race:	White										
Sex:	Male										
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Iowa, State Census Collection, 1836-1925

Name: **Ross R Mowery**
 Birth Year: **abt 1882**
 Birth Place: **Iowa**
 Gender: **Male**
 Race: **White**
 Marital Status: **Married**
 Census Date: **1 Jan 1925**
 Residence State: **Iowa**
 Residence County: **Jasper**
 Locality: **Newton**
 Relation to Head: **Head**
 Mother: **Wilens**
 Father: **John Mowery**
 Father's Birthplace: **Pennsylvania**
 Spouse Name: **Eddith Mowery**
 Roll: **IA1925_1773**
 Line: **6**

Neighbors: [View others on page](#)

Household Members:	Name	Age
	Ross R Mowery	43
	Eddith Mowery	47
	Virginia E Mowery	15
	Gertrude E Mowery	11
	C M Beatright	42
	Nell Beatright	36
	Pearl Saurman	38

Source Information:

Ancestry.com. *Iowa, State Census Collection, 1836-1925* [database on-line]. Provo, UT, USA: Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 2007.
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Description:

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1930 United States Federal Census

Name: **Ross A Mowry**
 Gender: **Male**
 Birth Year: **abt 1882**
 Birthplace: **Iowa**
 Race: **White**
 Home in 1930: **Newton, Jasper, Iowa**
[View Map](#)
 Marital Status: **Married**
 Relation to Head of House: **Head**
 Spouse's Name: **Edith M Mowry**
 Father's Birthplace: **Pennsylvania**
 Mother's Birthplace: **Pennsylvania**
 Occupation:
 Education:
 Military Service: [View image](#)
 Rent/home value:
 Age at first marriage:
 Parents' birthplace:
 Neighbors: [View others on page](#)

Household Members:	Name	Age
	Ross A Mowry	48
	Edith M Mowry	30
		[52]
	Virginia E Mowry	20
	Gertrude E Mowry	16

Source Citation: Year: 1930; Census
 Place: *Newton, Jasper, Iowa*; Roll: 660; Page: 214; Enumeration
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Description:
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Ross Rutledge MOWRY

Birth **5 Mar 1882** in Clear Creek, Jasper County, Iowa, USA
 Death **28 Sep 1957** in Newton, Jasper County, Iowa, USA

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1882 5 Mar	Birth Clear Creek, Jasper County, Iowa, USA	8 source citations
1885 1 Jan Age: 2	Residence Clear Creek, Jasper County, Iowa	1 source citation
1895 1 Jan Age: 12	Residence Baxter, Jasper County, Iowa	1 source citation
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1908 15 Sep Age: 26	Marriage to Mary Edith MATHEWS Newton, Jasper County, Iowa, USA	
1910 28 Apr Age: 28	Residence Newton Ward 1, Jasper, Iowa	1 source citation
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1925 1 Jan Age: 42	Residence Newton, Jasper County, Iowa	1 source citation
1930 19 Apr Age: 48	Residence Newton, Jasper County, Iowa	1 source citation
1957 28 Sep Age: 75	Death Newton, Jasper County, Iowa, USA	

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Parents

- John Emmanuel MOWRY**
1838 – 1917
- Louisa WILKINS**
1841 – 1921

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Spouse & Children

- Mary Edith MATHEWS**
1878 – 1949
- Living MOWRY**
- Esther Virginia MOWRY**
1909 – 1989

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- 1900 United States Federal Census
 1 citation provides evidence for **Name, Residence, Birth**
- 1910 United States Federal Census
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- 1930 United States Federal Census
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- Iowa State Census Collection, 1836-1925
 2 citations provide evidence for **Name, Residence, Birth**
- Iowa State Census, 1895
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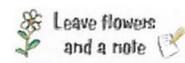
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