

Standard Form For Members of the Legislature

Name of Representative Steinberg Albert Senator _____

Represented Story County, Iowa

1. Birthday and place 12 Apr 1890 Eldora, Iowa

2. Marriage (s) date place

Rosa Kohler 22 Sept 1900 Des Moines, Iowa

3. Significant events for example:

A. Business Member of the Iowa and American Bar Associations

B. Civic responsibilities American Legion

C. Profession Lawyer

4. Church membership Presbyterian

5. Sessions served 48th, 49th, 50th, 51st, 52nd General Assembly 1939, 1941, 1943, 1945, 1947

6. Public Offices

A. Local City of Ames municipal judge 1950-1961; Hardin County Attorney for 4 years

B. State _____

C. National _____

7. Death 2 June 1975 Ames, Iowa; buried Municipal Cemetery, Ames, Iowa

8. Children Richard K. Richards; Albert (Mrs. Olson)

9. Names of parents Winget and Jane (Richards) Steinberg

Steinberg, Albert

10. Education Educated in the public schools of Eldora, Iowa
graduating in 1908

11. Degrees State University of Iowa, Ames, Iowa - BA and LLB degrees

12. Other applicable information Republican

- He came to Ames from Eldora in 1926 and was an attorney
with Lee, Steinberg and Halch.

- Military service - World War I, Company 336th Inf.; 83rd Div.; 6 months O/S

- His wife, Rose, died 31 Oct 1953

- He began practicing law in Ames, Iowa in 1926

Ames and area deaths

Thursday services for Albert Steinberg

Albert Steinberg, 85, 505 Eighth St., a former municipal judge and state legislator, died June 2 at the North Grand Care Center.

Services are Thursday at 10 a.m. from the Adams Funeral Home with the Rev. Warren Frahm of Northminister Presbyterian Church officiating. Burial is in the Ames Municipal Cemetery.

Mr. Steinberg was born April 12, 1890 in Eldora. He was a graduate of Eldora High School and received his B.A. and L.L.B. degrees from the State University of Iowa. Mr. Steinberg came to Ames from Eldora in 1926 and was an attorney with Lee, Steinberg and Walsh. He served as municipal judge of the City of Ames from 1950 to 1961 when he retired.

Mr. Steinberg served in the Iowa Legislature for five terms. He was a veteran of World War I and was a member of the American Bar Assn. and the Iowa State Bar Assn. Mr. Steinberg was a 50-year member of the American Legion.

On Sept. 22, 1920 he and Rosa Kohler were married. She preceded him in



ALBERT STEINBERG

death Oct. 31, 1953.

Surviving are a son, R. K. Richards, 1821 George Allen Drive; a daughter, Alberta Olson, Alliane, Neb.; a sister, Mrs. Bessie Eller, Eldora and eight grandchildren.

In addition to his wife, Mr. Steinberg was preceded in death by a brother and a sister.

Former Highway Commissioner died



Monday of an apparent heart attack.

Mr. Barry, who was in the automobile and truck business in Danbury, where he lived until a week ago, served an interim term on the Highway Commission from 1963 to 1965 and a full term from 1965 to 1971

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died 1956. To this union five children were born. Wallace, Ralph, May, Lois, and Warren.

Otis Steelman born in Yadkinville, North Carolina 1894 married Ruth Adams. Six children were born to this union. Floyd married Irene Lyons, Bernice married Armour Mehlich, Lyle married Gladys Kurth, Frances married Marlyn Runge, Virginia married Marvin Golly. Otis then married Ithryn Packer in 1974.



Joseph Steelman Family

Dora Steelman 1895 died 1960 married Henry Reynolds, born 1895 died 1963. Four children born to this union. Pauline married Richard Shaddock. Florence single, Dale died in service 1949, and Shirley married Richard Westbery.

Henry Steelman born 1897 died 1974 married Tressa Chance born 1899 died 1968. Three Children born to this union, Lloyd, Claire, and Vivian.

Lillie Steelman born 1898 married Harry Brown in 1901, died 1977. One child born to this union, died in infancy in 1923.

Emmett (Jap) Steelman born 1902 married Elma Hall in 1927, born in 1907. Three children born to this union. Gene married Audrey Fitchner, Colleen married Harold Guiles and Jody married Sharon Kland.

Gail Steelman born 1908 married Lee North born 1904, died 1974. Two children to this union, Ina Mae married Don Beye, and Tommy is single.

Harold Steelman born 1905 died 1917, and William McKinly Steelman born 1900, died 1902.

After the death of Jody's first wife Martha, he then married Bessie Huff Bogue in 1920, the widowed daughter of Simon and Plutina Huff, born 1897 died 1945. One daughter born to this union, Marjorie born 1923, and married Edd Mc Fadden. Two Children born to this union, Joyce married Ralph Reeder and Mary married Greg Doll.

One High Light of the year is the Steelman Reunion held in the Hubbard Park. *Elma Steelman*

Winzent Steinberg

Win (short for Winzet—probably originally Vincent) Steinberg arrived in Hardin County from Germany in the early 1880's and hoped not to be recognized as an immigrant. However, not being familiar with sidewalks, he quickly revealed his status by walking down the middle of the street when he got off the train.

Win married Jane Richards (originally spelled Reichard) and the couple had four children shown surrounding their maternal grandmother Eleanor Richards (1814-1903) in the accompanying picture taken about 1897. Clockwise starting on the left the children are Rueben, Albert, Bessie and Eleanor Steinbert. Eleanor Richards, incidentally, was one of the actual came-to-Iowa-in-a-covered-wagon pioneers arriving from Pennsylvania in the 1850's with her husband Leonard and children. Besides Jane, the Richards children were Reuben, Samuel, Becca (Crosby), and Elizabeth (Carriel).

In 1873 the Richards family moved to a farm, still owned by a descendant, about three miles southwest of Eldora. The Steinbergs settled on a nearby farm in 1890 where the farming tradition was continued by Win and son Reuben Steinberg. Albert gradu-

ated from the University of Iowa, became a lawyer, was Hardin County Attorney in the early 1920's and subsequently moved to Ames. Bessie became a school teacher and was Hardin County Superintendent of Schools for many years. Numerous people have remarked how they, as former students, remember Bessie's travelling frequently, at first by horse and buggy and later by Model T Ford, to each of the county's one-room school houses. From the students' standpoint, visits by the superintendent were momentous and fearful occasions, although Bessie was actually a kindly person. Eleanor, another University of Iowa graduate and a lawyer — rare for a woman in those days (about 1919) — owned and operated the Security Abstract Company in Eldora for several years.

The last remnants of Indian life in Hardin County were often mentioned by Reuben Steinberg who became well acquainted with a group of Indians from Tama who until about 1910 camped each winter in his father's timber tract not far from the present Eldora airport. The Indians would build crude dome-roofed shelters, lean dead fallen branches against trees so firewood could be found when the snow became deep, wade through streams even in the coldest weather seemingly unbothered by the subsequent freezing of their leggings and moccasins, and hunt primarily by digging the animals from their hiding places. Albert remembered the Indians also, his main recollection being that the "buck" of the family often "failed to make rations" so that the Indians were obliged to beg for food at nearby farms. At the Steinberg farm they usually got "a few potatoes" or some such thing. *Richard K. Richards*
March, 1981



Eleanor Richards and Grandchildren.

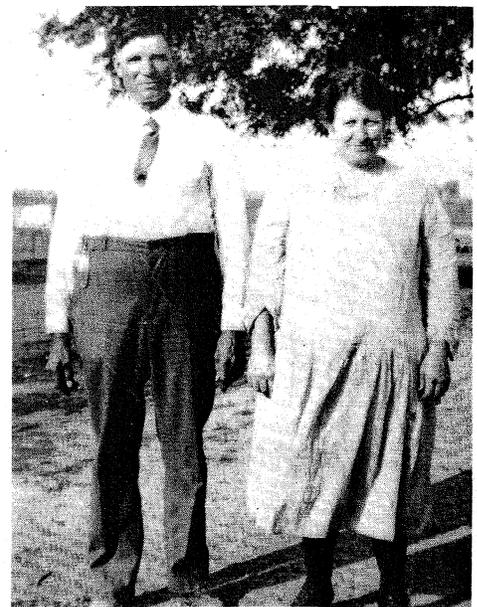
Herman S. Steinfeldt

My father, Herman Frederick Steinfeldt, came to Iowa from Germany with his family in 1885 at the age of two. My mother Emma Ida Bartz came in 1889 at age sixteen with her sister Marie. They both settled in Hardin County working at various jobs.

On November 21, 1904, they were married at Eldora and started farming near New Providence. In April, 1905, twin sons, Herbert William and Henry Herman were born.

Two years later a move was made to a farm northwest of Eldora. In the years to follow six more children were born: Frank Walter in 1907, Viola Henreitta in 1909, who died two months later; Clarence Frederick in 1910, Harold Henry in 1911, Walter August in 1913, and Louise Florence in 1915.

Then in 1915 my family moved to the Main Williams farm northwest of Steamboat Rock. Two more girls, Irene Bertha in 1917 and Helen Anna in 1919 were born.



Mr. and Mrs. Herman F. Steinfeldt

In March of 1923 we moved to the Robert Quick farm northeast of Eldora located on the Hardin-Grundy County line. I remember one March day that we drove ninety head of cattle down the road. It was so hot that many of them lay down along side the road after becoming overcome with the heat.

My youngest brother, Leo Edward, was born in 1923 and my sister, Ruth Matilda in 1928. Ruth passed away nine months later. We all attended area rural schools and the Steamboat Rock school.

We were all baptized and later confirmed in St. Paul Lutheran Church in Eldora where we are still members. I can recall riding my pony from Steamboat Rock along the Iowa River to attend confirmation classes at church in Eldora.

A big day in our family was when Dad bought his first new car, a 1914 Overland. When he drove up a steep hill one of us would have to put our foot against the gearshift so it wouldn't pop out of gear due to the vibration. It wasn't the most powerful auto either. When returning from visiting with friends west of Roughwoods Hill, we'd have to get out and push the Overland up the hill when it couldn't go any longer.

Most summer evenings were spent playing baseball with Dad as our umpire and enjoying homemade ice cream later.

Mother worked very hard as we had no modern conveniences. My parents did their own butchering and curing and canning of meat, and made their own soap. We raised a large flock of geese and everyone had to pitch in and help dress them. We used the feathers to make feather beds which kept us warm in our cold bedrooms. I can still taste the smoked goose and homemade bologna.

Sadness again came to our home as our father passed away in 1932. Four years later our mother, Emma, also went to be with her Lord. One of my oldest brothers, Herb, departed this life in 1965 and our youngest, Leo, in 1977. The remainder of my family still reside in the Eldora area. *Frank Steinfeldt*

Dr. Dean Stickrod

The Stickrod family arrived in Hardin County in June, 1977. We are not considered long-time residents by any means. However, a county history is not just a history of Hardin County, per se. It is also a history of the families that live here. As I am a dentist by profession and my wife, Jane, is an instructor at Ellsworth Community College in Iowa Falls, we have established ties with Hardin County. It will be appropriate to reflect on why and how we arrived at where we are.

Though relatively new to Hardin County, our families have long been associated with other coun-



You searched for **Albert Steinberg** in **Iowa**

1900 United States Federal Census

Name:	Albert D Steinberg [Albert S Steinberg]	
Home in 1900:	Eldora, Hardin, Iowa	
Age:	10	
Birth Date:	Apr 1890	
Birthplace:	Iowa	
Race:	White	
Gender:	Male	
Relationship to Head of House:	Son	
Father's Name:	Vinzent	
Father's Birthplace:	Germany	
Mother's Name:	Mary J	
Mother's Birthplace:	Pennsylvania	
Marital Status:	Single	
Occupation:	View on Image	
Neighbors:	View others on page	
Household Members:	Name	Age
	Vinzent Steinberg	41
	Mary J Steinberg	44
	Bessie M Steinberg	12
	Albert D Steinberg	10
	Ruben R Steinberg	7
	Ella Steinberg	5

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1930 United States Federal Census

Name:	Albert G Steinberg	
Home in 1930:	Ames, Story, Iowa View Map	
Age:	40	
Estimated birth year:	abt 1890	
Birthplace:	Iowa	
Relation to Head of House:	Head	
Spouse's name:	Rosa	
Race:	White	
Occupation:		
Education:		
Military service:	View image	
Rent/home value:		
Age at first marriage:		
Parents' birthplace:		
Neighbors:	View others on page	
Household Members:	Name	Age
	Albert G Steinberg	40
	Rosa Steinberg	40
	Richard K Steinberg	8
	Melba M Herson	18

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Birth Date: 12 Apr 1890
Death Date: Jun 1975
Social Security Number: 483-20-0947
State or Territory Where Number Was Issued: Iowa

Death Residence Localities

ZIP Code: 50010
Localities: Ames, Story, Iowa
 Iowa State University, Story, Iowa
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