

Standard Form For Members of the Legislature

Name of Representative Senator Baldwin,
Howard C. - served from Cascade and Dubuque County, Iowa

1. Birthday and place 1 Aug 1904 Cascade, Iowa

2. Marriage (s) date place

Alice Appleby 27 Dec 1938 Dubuque, Iowa

3. Significant events for example:

A. Business _____

B. Civic responsibilities NEA; C of C; Commercial Club,
Monticello Country Club; Dubuque Club, Elks;

C. Profession Newspaperman - editor

4. Church membership Catholic

5. Sessions served 46th, 47th, 48th & 49th General Assemblies 1933-1942

6. Public Offices

A. Local _____

B. State _____

C. National _____

7. Death 18 Mar 1964 at Elmhurst, Illinois; buried Country Cemetery

8. Children _____

9. Names of parents Charles Auer and Frances (Tager) Baldwin

10. Education Graduate of Cascades High School,
Cascade, Iowa

11. Degrees Graduate of State University of Iowa

12. Other applicable information Democrat

- After graduating from college, he first worked as merchandise manager, Marshall Field and Company in Chicago - 1924 - 1926
- Became managing editor of The Cascade Pioneer Advertiser, Cascade, Iowa in 1929. This paper was founded by his grandparents. He operated this newspaper with his mother until 1943
- Military service - WWII - Lieutenant Commander in U. S. Navy
- Working for the government in Elmhurst, Illinois when he died.
- Appointed to the State Senate filling the unexpired term of Matt D. Cooney and then elected on his own.
- 1926 - 1929 - executive and advertising manager of Lindlober's, Inc. of Chicago

replacement by another leader, probably Heinrich Himmler. Himmler, head of the SS, regarded himself as more acceptable to the allies, the documents reportedly said.

The magazine said the documents also proved the charge, raised last year by West German playwright Rolf Hochhuth in the controversial play "The Deputy," that Pope Plus did little to save the Jews from Nazi extermination.

Der Spiegel said the documents report that the pontiff told U.S. diplomat Harold H. Tittmann as early as January 1943, that he believed allied reports of the mass gassing of Jews "are a bit overdone for propaganda purposes."

"The representative of Christ hardly spoke a clear pastoral word against the crimes of the brown (Nazi) holders of power," the magazine said.

"He never threatened Nazis with excommunication the way he did the Communists in 1949 and he never allowed himself to be moved by appeals from the Western allies to bless the democracies' crusade against Adolf Hitler."

The documents show, Der Spiegel continued, that when the Pope did condemn Nazi crimes, he did so "in his filigree-type language and then only in general platitudes" and "he only protested if Catholics were involved."

Vatican sources have attacked "The Deputy" as a distorted view serving the interests of communism. Defenders of Pope Pius' wartime stand contend that he was profoundly grieved by the persecution of the Jews but believed that a stronger stand would have made things worse for them.

The British government published excerpts Thursday from captured Nazi documents quoting a German diplomat in Rome as saying in 1941 that the Pope favored the Axis cause.

"In his heart, one is assured time and again, Pius XII stands on the side of the Axis powers," reported Fritz Menshausen, then counsellor of the German Embassy to the Vatican.

The British also made public a memorandum later in 1941, by Bernardo Attolico, then Italian ambassador to the Vatican. He said the Pope had expressed misgivings to him over the Nazi attitude toward the Catholic Church in Germany but that he continued to receive Germans secretly at the Vatican.

Der Spiegel said the documents on which it based its story.

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destroyed a two-story home in Daytonville Thursday morning, leaving a family of six homeless.

Ralph and Margaret Elley were working when the fire was spotted about 9:45 a.m. by another Daytonville resident, Irwin Scheffert. The four Elley sons, David, 11, Carl, 12, Jim, 14 and Cliff, 16, were at school.

Neighboring fire departments could not answer the call because Elley was not a member of a mutual aid fire protective association.

The Elley house was the third to be destroyed by fire within a year in Daytonville, an unincorporated community of about 40 houses two miles north of Dubuque.

The house was a gutted shell of concrete blocks within an hour after the blaze was spotted. Two other buildings were threatened, but the roof of the burning house collapsed and diminished the heat of the fire.

Elley said he carried \$2,000 insurance on the house. Christmas presents he had just bought for the boys were destroyed in the blaze along with all the family's possessions.

Neighbors responded almost immediately to the family's plight. The Rev. George Doebler, pastor of the Chapel of Faith, issued an appeal for furniture, clothing and other needs for the Elleys.

A well under the Elley house served about a half dozen nearby homes, neighbors said.

3 U.S. Jets Shot Down, Chinese Say

TOKYO (AP) — Red China's New China News Agency said Thursday three U.S. jet fighters were shot down and two others damaged by North Vietnamese ground fire Wednesday.

In a broadcast monitored here, the agency said "one of the pilots, who parachuted is being tracked by the local armed forces and people."

Secretary of Defense Robert S. McNamara announced in Washington Wednesday a U.S. F100 jet fighter plane was shot down while it was escorting a reconnaissance plane over Laos. He added rescue operations for the pilot were under way.

Ex-Legislator Baldwin Dies

Cascade Publisher, Senator in 1930's

ELMHURST, Ill.—Howard C. Baldwin, 60, former state senator for Dubuque County and Cascade, Ia., newspaperman, died suddenly Wednesday night at his home in Elmhurst.

Funeral arrangements will be announced later.

Mr. Baldwin first became state senator in 1933 when he was elected to fill the seat in the Iowa State Senate formerly held



(1946 Photo)

HOWARD BALDWIN
Former State Senator

by Matt D. Cooney. He was twice re-elected to that position.

Born in Cascade the son of Charles Dunn and Frances Fagan Baldwin, he was a graduate of the University of Iowa, Iowa City. In 1938 he married the former Alice Appleby in Dubuque.

In 1929 he became managing editor of the Cascade Pioneer Advertiser, the local newspaper founded by his grandparents, which he operated with his mother until 1943.

Mr. Baldwin left Cascade to become a lieutenant commander in the United States Navy in World War II. At the time of his death, he was working for the government in Elmhurst.

The body was taken to the Richard Devaney Funeral Home, Cascade, Ia., where friends may call after 2 p.m. Friday. Funeral services will be held at 9:30 a.m. Saturday at St. Martin's Church, Cascade. Burial will be in Calvary Cemetery.

Group of American Businessmen

tax its opposition to long-term credits for the Soviet Union. Kosygin pictured Washington's ban on credits of more than five years as an obstacle to expanding trade, members of the group reported. It includes 92 executives representing 63 American corporations.

The group is exploring in closed-door conferences the possibilities of greater Soviet-American trade.

Following a policy of secrecy designed to encourage frank discussion, groups members declined to give details of the meeting with Kosygin. But they reported it was a frank exchange in which credits were mentioned.

Seeking Credit

The Soviet Union has been seeking from Western countries long-term credits to assist its industrialization, especially in chemical and related highly technical fields.

It recently broke through a Western gentlemen's agreement against long-term credits by obtaining a \$67-million loan for 15 years from Britain and signing a commercial accord with France for \$356 million in seven-year credits.

Washington opposes such credits on the theory that they amount to economic aid to the Soviet Union.

Dr. Donald F. Hornig left for Washington to re-evaluate with President Johnson restrictions on the sale of U.S. equipment to the Soviet Union.

Review Restrictions

The President's special science adviser and Johnson also will review U.S. restrictions on the exchange of technical information with the Russians.

The businessmen met Kosygin and Foreign Minister Andrei A. Gromyko in the Kremlin's Sverdlov Hall. Gromyko whispered occasionally to Kosygin as foreign policy complications affecting trade came up, but he did not participate directly in the exchanges.

Several members of the group

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