

Standard Form For Members of the Legislature

Name of Representative Patrick, Russell Albert Senator

Represented Sioux County, Iowa

1. Birthday and place 6 Dec 1899 Howarden, Iowa

2. Marriage (s) date place

(1) Stella Mae Matnick Aug 1921 Howarden, Iowa

(2) Bernita Conway 14 Jan 1953

3. Significant events for example:

A. Business He managed the Rural Electrification Association of Georgetown, Iowa in World War II

B. Civic responsibilities American Legion, Mason, Odd Fellows

C. Profession Farmer, cattle feeder

4. Church membership Methodist

5. Sessions served 52<sup>nd</sup>, 53<sup>rd</sup>, 54<sup>th</sup>, 55<sup>th</sup>, 56<sup>th</sup> General Assemblies 1947, 1949, 1951, 1953, 1955

6. Public Offices

A. Local School boards, township assessor

B. State During his years in the Iowa Legislature he was voted 'Legislator of the Year' 1955

C. National

7. Death 5 Oct 1959 Howarden, Iowa; Burial Grace Hill Cemetery, Howarden, Iowa

8. Children Lois (Mrs. Charles) Beckitt; Norma Jean (Mrs. Jerry) Alfred Skogman; Ralph Eldon (died of head injury 7 Oct 1933); Ronald Dean; Jim Russell

9. Names of parents John Albert and Anna (Hastings) Patrick

Patrick, Russell A.

10. Education

He was educated in the public schools of  
Howard, Iowa, graduating in 1917

11. Degrees

He attended the University of Minnesota for 3 years

12. Other applicable information

Republican  
- Military service - World War I - served a short time in the  
Army and Marines  
- His first wife, Stella, died in a car accident on 18 Dec 1948.  
- He farmed on the Patrick farm southeast of Howard



### Funeral Services Held Yesterday For Mrs. Gebbie

Mrs. Lucy E. Gebbie, 74, mother of the editor of the Independent and a resident of Hawarden the last year, died at her apartment at 1013 Avenue I from a heart attack about 6 o'clock Sunday evening.

Funeral services were held at 9 o'clock Wednesday morning at the Barnard Funeral home in Hawarden, Rev. William Sebring officiating, and at 2 o'clock that afternoon at the Congregational church in Bryant, S. D., Rev. A. H. Hartshorn officiating. Burial was in Woodlawn cemetery at Bryant where Mrs. Gebbie spent most of her married life.

Mrs. Gebbie was born July 26, 1885, at Artesian, S. D., where her father was a bricklayer and building contractor.

In her early years she moved with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer H. Ecker, to Heron Lake, Minn., where she was graduated from high school in 1903.

She married E. J. Gebbie at Heron Lake in 1907 and shortly thereafter they moved to Bryant where he entered the banking business. Mr. Gebbie was killed in a hunting accident near Bryant November 4, 1927.

In 1931 Mrs. Gebbie and three sons moved to Pierre, S. D., where she was employed by the state banking department through a number of different political administrations until 1946 when she moved to Springfield, Mo., to become chief instructor for the American Institute of Grapho Analysis.

She retired from the handwriting instructor's position in 1957 and spent the next year in New York City before she moved to Hawarden in 1958.

Mrs. Gebbie, who traveled extensively in her handwriting instructor's job, just recently returned from trips to Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo., to visit a son and to Sheridan, Mont., where she visited a niece.

She had not been well since returning from Montana about two months ago.

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### Merits 50-Year Woodmen Pin

Mrs. Josie McGuire was honored recently at a meeting of Maple Leaf Grove 59, Woodmen Circle, for membership covering 50 years.

Mrs. McGuire, who has served as treasurer for a number of years, as well as holding other offices, was presented a 50-year membership pin.

### Membership Drive For Cub Scouts

Cub Scout leader Bill Tausz announced this week that a membership drive is being conducted to get boys, ages 8 to 11, in join the Cub Scouts.

Those interested in joining the organization are asked to contact Mr. Tausz at an early date so plans for the year may be made and enough den mothers secured.

Tentative plans are for the first meeting of the season to be held at the Legion hall an evening in the Source: Iowa Territorial and State Legislators Collection

### Harry Kratochvil Re-elected Chairman

Harry Kratochvil, Hawarden, 4-H leader, was re-elected as chairman of the Union county 4-H buildings and grounds committee at a meeting held in Alcester on October 1.

Other members of the committee are George Treiber, vice chairman, Alcester, members of Alcester city council; Leonard Dailey, Jefferson, secretary, 4-H leader; Richard Johnson, Alcester, treasurer, representing Alcester Commercial club and Earl Heiman, Alcester, county commissioner member.

The purposes of this committee which was organized in 1953 are to see that the 4-H achievement grounds and buildings and properties at Alcester are properly maintained, kept repaired and otherwise supervised.

The committee is vested with authority to landscape the grounds as approved by the Alcester city council, rent the buildings for various purposes during the year; maintain and repair the buildings; construct new buildings as necessary; collect the rents; pay insurance and any other incidental expenses. George Treiber is the property custodian and rental officer.

### Falcons To Meet Vermillion Friday Afternoon There

The Falcons will meet Vermillion this Friday afternoon there for the Tanagers' homecoming on their field. All students who have excuses from their parents will be allowed to attend and those who drive cars will be allowed to drive them to the game upon permission from their parents.

The West Sioux Falcons who met another highly rated team, the Canton C-Hawks, lost last Friday night on their own gridiron, 48 to 13.

Early in the first quarter of the game with Canton, a senior halfback, Donald Bong, ran 20 yards to start the C-Hawks off with their first T. D. of the game. The conversion was no good. Shortly after the second kickoff of the first quarter, Gerald Swenson, a junior fullback, ran 32 yards to morally support the C-Hawks with the second T. D. The extra point was made by quarterback Paul Vickerman. Late in the first quarter, Rodney Bong, a senior halfback, ran a tiring 88 yards to score the last touchdown of this period.

To start the scoring in the third quarter, Gerald Swenson plunged 3 yards for the T. D. and also made the conversion for Canton. Following in this period Craig Dean, a senior end, snagged a pass and ran the remainder of the 28 yards for the second T. D. Rodney Bong made the extra point. Hawarden scored late in this quarter by Dennis Kallsen beautifully "zeroing in" Darrel Cornish, a senior end, who caught the pass and ran the remaining 38 yards for the Falcon's first score of the game. The extra point was made good by senior back, Pat Mohan, to end the half, 34 to 7.

By gaining 5 yards in the third quarter, Dennis Hanson, a senior quarterback, was the only player to score in this period. The conversion was made good by passing to Don Bong.

For the first touchdown of the fourth quarter Pat Mohan scampered 7 yards to add six more points.

### School News and Views

By Supt. Roger O. Blake

My home town of Marshalltown has had several bitter battles over the years in connection with municipal bond issues and annexations, but the people there pride themselves on the fact that they have never defeated a school bond issue election.

I have heard the comment that we might have to vote two or three times before our West Sioux Community will vote favorably on our proposed bond issue for a new high school building. I have more faith in our people than that! It is my conviction that the residents of our district recognize the need for a new high school and place education as a number one requirement in community life.

Elections cost money and to postpone a decision on a new high school in the hopes that it might be cheaper later, or that it is not essential, or that we can afford to wait two or three years, is false economy and not facing the issue realistically.

We need to realize that a building does not go up overnight. The need for the new high school building is real, based upon projected enrollments for the next ten years, and particularly for the next three years. Enrollment alone is not the only basis for need. Our present facilities are inadequate in nearly every department to do justice to our educational program.

In order to have the facilities ready for our anticipated enrollment two and three years from now, it is essential to start construction as early as possible. A two or three year delay may find us seeking rooms in church buildings.

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### About 1200 Attend Chevrolet Open House

At the showing of the 1960 Chevrolet and open house last week at Van Chevrolet approximately 1200 were in attendance.

A total of 50 dozen cookies and that number of doughnuts were consumed by the people who enjoyed coffee at the show rooms.

A number were given free demonstration rides in the new Corvair, a smaller make car constructed by the Chevrolet company.

Prizes were won as door prizes by Paul Benson, Ireton, and Mrs. John Obbink, Duane Vos and Mrs. Dick Vogelzang, all of Hawarden.

1960 car buyers during the event were Lawrence Jurgenson of Hudson, Louis Heeren of Le Mars and Roswell Otis of Hawarden.

Leonard Vander Esch, owner of Van Chevrolet, wishes to express his appreciation for the fine acceptance of the new models and the large attendance and interest shown at the 1960 display which included the Impala, Bel Air and Nomad, as well as the Fleetside pickup.

### Sioux County World War I Vets To Meet Tonight

A Sioux county meeting of World War I veterans, their wives and widows will be held this evening (Thursday) in the town hall in Orange City according to

### Noted Farmer And Politician Services Today

R. A. Patrick, 59, a former state representative from Sioux county for 10 years, died early Monday morning at the Hawarden hospital from cancer.

Because of his will to live he submitted to medical treatment and numerous operations in hopes of overcoming his illness. He underwent an operation at Rochester, Minn., and later had several other operations at Iowa City. Late the past summer he was informed that the disease had spread through his system.

Funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock this afternoon (Thursday) at the Methodist church with Rev.



R. A. Patrick

C. E. Custer officiating. Masonic rites will be conducted at the graveside in Grace Hill cemetery.

Mr. Patrick, a republican, served five terms in the legislature. He was first elected in 1946. During that time he had been chairman of the appropriations committee and was a member of the budget and financial control committee.

In the 1955 session he was presented the press and radio awards as the outstanding member of the house of representatives. He retired after that session.

Mr. Patrick, a lifelong resident of this community, was born December 6, 1899. He was an extensive farmer and cattle feeder. After graduating from the Hawarden high school he attended the University of Minnesota. While there he was initiated into the Sigma Phi Epsilon fraternity and the Sigma Delta Psi, an athletic fraternity. He was outstanding in athletics while in high school and held the javelin record of the big 10 while attending the University of Minnesota.

Mr. Patrick was a veteran of World War I. He was a member of Two Oakes post of the American Legion and of the Last Man's club of the local Legion organization. He was a member of Dale lodge, A. F. & A. M., of which he was a past master; a member of the Odd Fellows lodge and a past noble grand of this lodge. He belonged to the Methodist church.

He took an active part in the affairs of his community and served as a member of the school board. He was township assessor for a number of years. He was also active in the rural electrification administration.

He married Miss Stella McAninch in 1921 and to this union five

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### Union County 4-H Leaders

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**Garrit Vollink, 53, a post office employee at Sheldon, died last Friday.**  
 Mr. Vollink's widow, the former Margaret Earl of Hawarden, survives him. He is also survived by a stepdaughter, Mrs. Al Masuen of Le Mars, five sisters and five brothers.  
 Funeral services were held at Sheldon Monday. Mrs. Ida McManaman and Mr. and Mrs. Chester Vipond of Hawarden and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Earl of Sacramento, Calif., were among those who attended the funeral. Mrs. McManaman and Mr. Earl are sister and brother of Mrs. Vollink.

**Photographer To Meet With Seniors**

A photographer will be present at the high school Monday evening at 7:30 to discuss the taking of senior pictures with the seniors and their parents. "It is hoped that many of the parents will be in attendance with the seniors to discuss this important event in senior life," reported Supt. Roger Blake.  
 Individual pictures of all pupils will be taken the week of November 9 for use in school records.

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 children were born, one of whom preceded him in death.  
 In 1953 he was united in marriage with Miss Bernita Conway of Des Moines, who survives him.  
 He is also survived by two daughters; Mrs. Charles Bickett of Akron, Ohio, and Mrs. Jerry Skogman of Hawarden; two sons, Ronald, a student at Iowa State University at Ames, and Jon of Glenwood, Ia., and one sister, Mrs. L. B. Langdon of Hammond, Ind.

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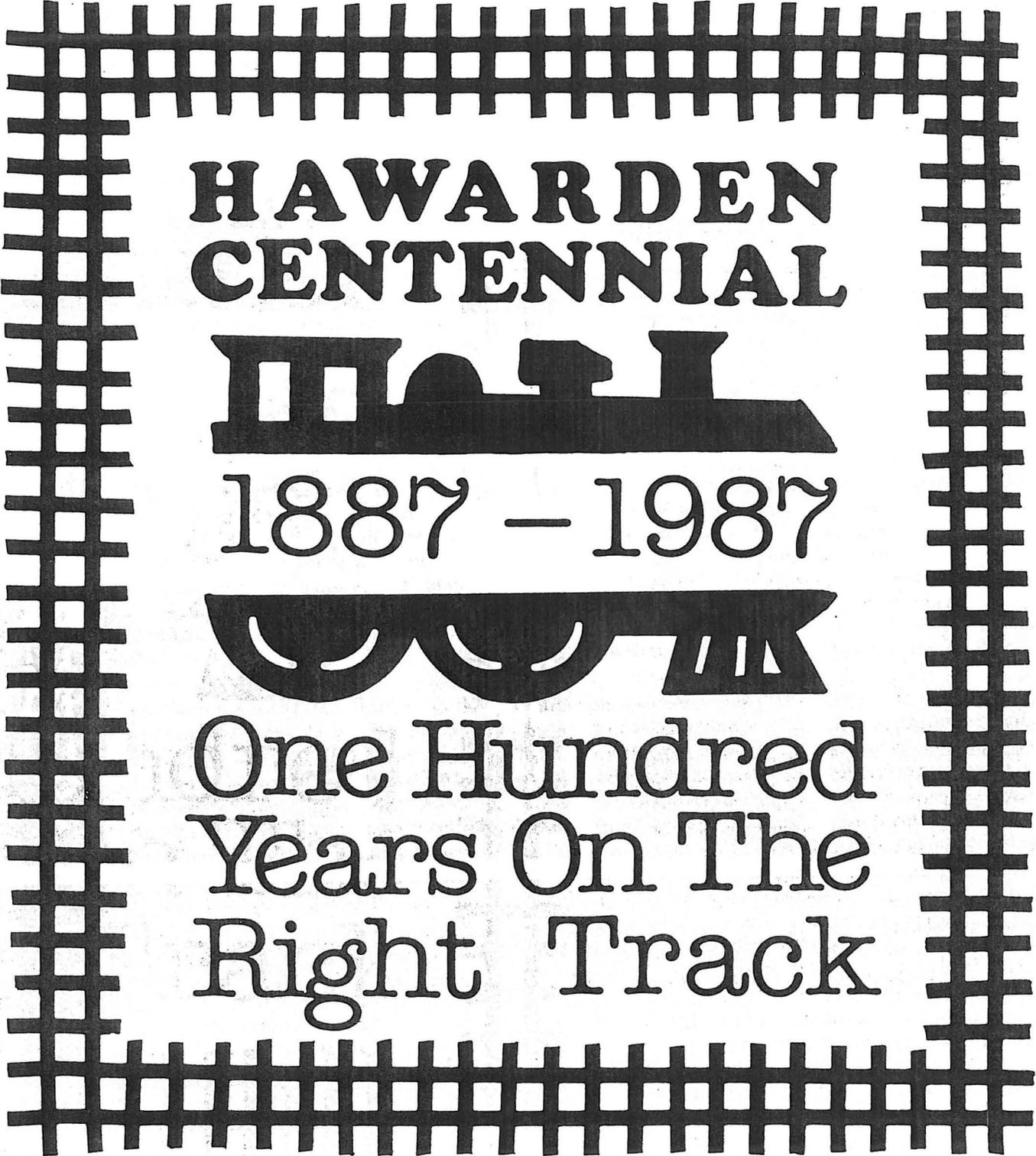
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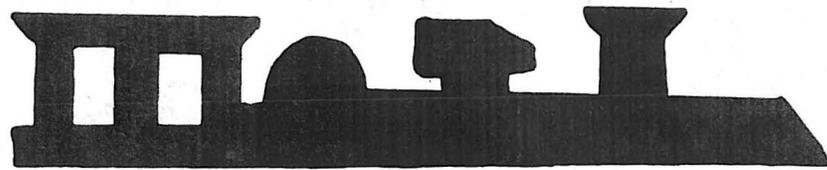
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*B. Landau*

position in Council Bluffs. He was made a vice-president of Coilcraft in 1960.

Cheryl Elizabeth was graduated from West Sioux in 1964 and U.N.I. at Cedar Falls in 1968. She married Glen A. Nicola of Melvin, Ia. in 1966. Cheryl teaches high school English and French in Hazen, N.D., where Glen is pastor of Peace Lutheran Church (ALC). They have two children, John Patrick, 16 years and Jennifer Anne, 13 years.

Scott Huges Otis was graduated from West Sioux in 1970 and Morningside College in 1974. He received his MBA from U.S.D. in 1977. He is a captain in the Iowa A.N.G. He married Janet Ruth Fechter in 1975 and they live in Akron, Ia., where Scott's with the First National Bank. They have three children: Sara Christine, age 9, Daniel Hughes, age 5 and Laura Elizabeth, age 3.



Laura Otis, center front. Left to right; Scott H. Otis, Janet F. Otis, Sara Otis, Roswell C. Otis, Daniel Otis, Barbara H. Otis.

#### John Albert Patrick Family

My paternal grandparents were Ima Hastings Patrick and John Albert Patrick. Grandmother was born in Independance, Ia., on Mar. 30, 1872. She moved to Wisconsin with her parents, John Quincy Adams Hastings and Barbara Ann Spece Hastings, when she was a small girl. Grandfather was born near Dubuque, Ia., on Mar. 15, 1865. He came to Plymouth Co. when he was nineteen years old with his parents, John and Mary Patrick. They settled on a farm which is the present site of the town of Craig, Ia. My grandparents were married at Monroe, Wi., on Feb. 22, 1893 and came to this vicinity as newlyweds. They made their home on a farm three miles SE of Hawarden which he purchased in 1891, and that is where Jerry and I live now. They lived there until 1911 when they retired and moved to Hawarden at 1220 Ave. I. The house where they lived was east of the high school, which later became the grade school, and has since been torn down. That house was originally the Catholic parsonage which was moved to that location. Today it is an apartment house owned by Larry Ohdahl.

Grandmother was active in Sunday School work and was superintendent of the primary department in the Methodist Church for twenty-five years. Grandfather was elected to the city council in Hawarden in 1918 and served for ten years and was instrumental in securing a municipal light plant in Hawarden. He was appointed mayor in 1940 to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Dr. C.A. Wyant who moved to California. The light plant was proving inadequate to take care of the heavy load it was carrying, so Mayor Patrick, the council, and the superintendent of the light plant began to make plans to enlarge the plant, but the war prevented this. Grandfather died in Aug. of 1946 and grandmother died on Oct. 7, 1951. They are buried in Grace Hill Cemetery at Hawarden.

My grandparents had three children. Ralph J. Patrick was born in 1894 at Hawarden. He died in 1898 of scarlet fever.

Their second child was **Russell Albert Patrick**, born on Dec. 6, 1899 at Hawarden and he was my father. He graduated from Hawarden High School in 1917 and attended the University of Minnesota for three years. He was very athletic and while there competed in the javelin throw, missing going to the Olympics by only one point. During his life he was very active in such sports as the high jump, baseball, bowling, etc. He served a short time in the army and marines at the end of WWI.

My dad married my mother, Stella Mae McAninch in Aug. of 1921. She was born at Hawarden on Feb. 9, 1903 and was the daughter of Henry and Mary (Christenson) McAninch. They made their home on the Patrick farm SE of Hawarden. Russell farmed and during WWII managed the R.E.A. in Orange City for two years. He was elected to the state legislature in Des Moines in 1946. He served six terms (until 1958). In 1955, he was voted "Legislator of the Year."

My mother died on Dec. 18, 1948, in a car accident. Dad married Benita Conway on June 14, 1953. He died on Oct. 5, 1959. Benita was a secretary to Slife and Smith before purchasing a dress shop and moving to Sheldon, Ia. She now lives in Forsyth, Mo.

My parents (**Russell and Stella**) had five children. Lois June was born June 3, 1922 at Hawarden and graduated from Hawarden High School in 1940. She graduated from beauty school in Sioux City and worked for Hilda Blom and the Johnson twins who had beauty salons in Hawarden. Her name is Lois Bickett now and she has one son, Russell (born Dec. 4, 1960). Lois, Rusty and his wife Sherry all live in West Des Moines, Ia.

Ralph Eldon Patrick was born at Hawarden on Jan. 3, 1927. He passed away from a head injury on Oct. 7, 1933.

(Norma Jean) was born Sept. 10, 1935 at Hawarden. I graduated from Hawarden High School in 1953 and attended Gates Business College in Waterloo, Ia. for a short time. I married Jerry Alfred Skogman at the First Methodist Church in Hawarden on Dec. 23, 1953. He is the son of Alfred and Madelyn (Vander Schoor) Skogman of Hawarden, and he graduated from Hawarden High School in 1951. He served two years in the army (1953-1955). We lived in Blairston, Ia., for three years while Jerry was a telegraph operator for the C. & NW Railroad. We moved back to Hawarden in 1958 to farm. Jerry served six years on the West Sioux School Board (1974-1980) and has been a trustee and on the election board in Washington Twp. for many years. At present he farms our quarter section, adjusts crop-hail for Farmer's Mutual of Iowa, and is a real-estate salesman for Jim Anderson Realty. We had one daughter, Laurie Lee, born Jan. 15, 1962, at Hawarden. She graduated from West Sioux High in 1980. She was married to Mark Bolluyt, son of Edward and Clara Bolluyt, on Sept. 13, 1980 at the United Methodist Church in Hawarden. They live in Orange City, Ia., and she works for the Reformed

#### The Pasewalk Family

The Pasewalk name begins in Germany. The town of Pasewalk is located north of Berlin. During the reign of Ferdinand the Great, King of Prussia the family made armor and weapons. They were honored by having the town named for them. They also enjoyed certain court privileges and were designated the "Kings Armorers." The family coat of arms consists of a black initial "P" and crossed gold torches, a gold vertical band, a small red shield. The meaning of the torches is zeal in performing works. The red shield represents creative powers. The work with metal started with the making of armor and arms. Future generations were shipwrights and made German steel hulled sailing ships. Then there were ironsmiths, railroaders, blacksmiths, welders and machinists.

Ferdinand Pasewalk and wife Louise emigrated to the U.S. in 1844. He came from Pommerania, Germany. They settled on a homestead near Watertown, Wi. The year was 1866 when twenty-seven German families moved to the town known as Norfolk, Nb. One of the children of Ferdinand and Louise, a son named August born in 1859 is the person of interest in this history.

August Pasewalk was born in Watertown, Wi. He was seven years old when his folks moved to Norfolk, Nb., and because of the full covered wagons he walked most of the way. He became Norfolk's first blacksmith and wagon maker. He married Bertha Degner. Their family consisted of seven children. The second child was a son

Church In America as a secretary. Mark is a mechanic at Vay Wyk Trucking in Sheldon, Ia. They have one daughter, Ashley Rae, born Apr. 16, 1984.

Ronald Dean Patrick was born Feb. 9, 1939. He graduated from Hawarden High School in 1957. He graduated from college in Ames and married Gloria Miller, who taught second grade in Hawarden, on June 3, 1963. They spent two years in the Peace Corp in S. America and now live and farm near Grant, Nb. They have four children, Miguel, Christina, Trent, and Rik.

Jon Russell Patrick was born Oct. 23, 1941, at Hawarden. He was at Glenwood State School for the handicapped for many years and now resides at Hillcrest Care Center in Hawarden.

The third child of John and Ima Patrick was Helen M. Patrick born on Dec. 10, 1908. She graduated from Hawarden High School in 1925 and attended college in Cedar Falls, Ia. She taught school many years and married Lyle B. Langdon of Cedar Falls, Ia., on June 24, 1930. They have retired and live in Sun City, Az. They have two daughters, Janet of Dearborn, Mi., and Sharon Jenson of Jonesboro, Ga.

born in 1883 named Adolph. He was educated in the Lutheran school, later attended Norfolk Business College where he taught bookkeeping after graduation. In 1905, he left Norfolk to work in the Farmers and Traders Bank at Wakefield, Nb. A prominent business man named William Harrison who's family had emigrated from England married Harriet Russell, her family was from England also. Their family consisted of five children. Their daughter named Mary met and married Adolph Pasewalk in 1910. The couple moved to Omaha, Nb., where Adolph worked for the Omaha Grain Exchange and the Beal Commission Co. The Exchange closed in 1920. A friend, J. Gus Anderson, who Adolph knew in Wakefield was contacted and this led to Adolph's employment as bookkeeper at Schoeneman's Lumber Co. in Hawarden, Ia. Adolph (A.J.) worked for Schoeneman Brothers for forty-seven years. He retired at the age of eighty due to failing eyesight. Mary and Adolph celebrated their sixty-second wedding anniversary on Sept. 14, 1972.

The family consisted of five children. Mrs. Mary Harrison Pasewalk passed away in 1972. Adolph Julius Pasewalk passed away in 1979 and was followed by their son Robert in 1980. The living members consist of Russell Harrison Pasewalk of Hawthorne, Ca., LeRoy William Pasewalk of Torrance, Ca., Marian Elizabeth Wendel of Hawarden, Ia. and Dawn LaToi Hartman of Hawarden, Ia. who resides in the original family home at 1216 9th St.

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His courage, enthusiasm and common sense fitted him for his place as a dedicated public servant. The future promise of the contributions Clark McNeal would make to society were boundless. The State of Iowa and the nation, upon the untimely death of Clark McNeal, suffered the loss of a great leader.

In addition to the widow and children, Mr. McNeal is survived by two sisters, Mrs. Lyle Gross of Eagle Grove, Iowa, and Mrs. Robert Walsh of Independence, Iowa.

*Therefore, Be It Resolved by the House of Representatives of the Fifty-ninth General Assembly of Iowa:* That in the passing of the Honorable Clark H. McNeal the state has lost an honored citizen and a faithful and useful public servant, and the House by this resolution would express its appreciation of 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 House and that the Chief Clerk be directed to forward an enrolled copy to the family of the deceased.

R. W. HAGIE,  
VERN LISLE,  
SCOTT SWISHER,  
*Committee.*

#### RUSSELL A. PATRICK

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

Russell A. Patrick was born in Sioux County, Hawarden, Iowa, December 6, 1899, and passed away October 8, 1959. He was the son of J. A. and Ima Hastings Patrick.

Mr. Patrick was educated in the public schools of Hawarden, Iowa, and the University of Minnesota. While there he was initiated into the Sigma Phi Epsilon Fraternity and the Sigma Delta Psi, an athletic fraternity. He was outstanding in athletics while in high school and held the javelin record of the Big Ten while attending the University of Minnesota.

He was preceded in death by his first wife, Stella McAninch. To this union five children were born, one of whom preceded him in death. In 1953 he was united in marriage with Miss Bernita Conway of Garner, Iowa.

He was very prominent in civic and community affairs, was an extensive farmer and cattle feeder. Active in R.E.A. organization and a firm believer in local government. He was a veteran of World War I, a member of the American Legion and of the Last Man's Club of the local Legion organization. He was a member of Dale Lodge, A. F. and A. M., of which he was a past master, a member of the Odd Fellows Lodge and a past noble grand of this lodge. He belonged to the Methodist Church.

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ELMER H. DEN HERDER,  
ARTHUR C. HANSON,  
MARVIN W. SMITH,  
*Committee.*

JOHN H. SCHROEDER

MR. SPEAKER: Your committee, appointed to prepare a suitable resolution commemorating the life, character and public service of the late John H. Schroeder, begs leave to submit the following memorial:

John H. Schroeder was born at New Vienna, Iowa, on July 28, 1865. He was the son of Henry and Philomena Schroeder. He passed away at the age of ninety-five on May 21, 1959. Mr. Schroeder, a retired farmer of the Arcadia community, represented Carroll County in the Iowa legislature in 1933 and 1934.

Mr. Schroeder was graduated from St. Boniface Parochial school at New Vienna and attended Iowa State Teachers College at Cedar Falls. As a young man he was a high school teacher at Granville, Akron and other schools.

He was married to Pauline Brumsman on June 6, 1893, at St. Boniface Church in New Vienna. After leaving the teaching profession, Mr. Schroeder farmed near Arcadia until 1926.

After his wife's death, September 21, 1942, Mr. Schroeder divided his time among the homes of his children until November, 1956, when he went to the home of Mrs. W. R. Macke and the late Mr. Macke of Carroll, where he passed away.

Surviving are one son, Mr. Walter E. Schroeder; two daughters, Mrs. Ben (Alvera) Haverkamp, Arcadia, and Mrs. A. E. (Delores) Bennett, Omaha; a stepdaughter, Mrs. Alvina Kaiser, Randolph, Nebraska; one sister, Mrs. Mary Pilmaier, Omaha, and a half-brother, Joe Rehker, Arcadia.

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