

Standard Form For Members of the Legislature

Name of Representative Jabor Howard Senator Jabor Howard - Represented Jackson and Jones counties

1. Birthday and place 13. March 1893 Jackson County Iowa
near Baldwin, Iowa

2. Marriage (s) date place

Ella Peterson 6 May 1923 Maguokita Iowa

3. Significant events for example:

A. Business He founded the Baldwin-Des Moines Iowa telephone company

B. Civic responsibilities Iron/Bronze, American Legion

C. Profession Farmer; grain farming operation

4. Church membership Methodist

5. Sessions served 58th 59th 60th General Assemblies 1959, 1961, 1963 House of

6. Public Offices Representatives
61st General Assembly 1965 - Senate

A. Local _____

B. State _____

C. National _____

7. Death 5 Apr 1968 Baldwin, Iowa; buried Pence Cemetery; Baldwin, Iowa

8. Children Jack H.; James R.

9. Names of parents George Washington and Ella C. (Gilmore) Jabor

10. Education He graduated from Bellevue, Iowa High School

11. Degrees He completed the commercial course at the Cedar Rapids Business College, Cedar Rapids, Iowa

12. Other applicable information Democrat

- Military service - World War I - U. S. Navy
- His father, George Washington Tardor, was a Senator in the 43rd and 44th General Assemblies, 1929 and 1931
- He farmed with his father in a farming operation that in 1968 had already been operating 100 years

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11, 1963

Mixer, Mrs. Catherine Wagner of Dubuque.

Sun lamp, Mrs. James Gross
Coffee maker, William Vaughn
Toaster, Frank Mangler Jr
Timer, Mrs. Marco Gurius
Knife sharpener, August Phoen
Can opener, Edward Michel.

THIEF GETS \$320 AT MANGLER HOME

An estimated \$320 was taken from the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mangler Jr. north of Bellevue Wednesday afternoon of last week.

The thief took keys from a pick-

up truck parked at used a house key house. The house sacked. Mr. Mangler was tracked to the and as far north as ing plant.

Howard Tabor, Baldwin, Retired Senator, Dies

Howard Tabor of Baldwin, retired State Senator, died Friday evening at his home following a long illness.

Services were held at 1:30 p.m. Monday in the Baldwin Methodist church with Rev. Robert Brightman officiating. Burial was in Pence cemetery.

Mr. Tabor was born in Jackson county March 13, 1893, the son of George W. and Ella Gillmore Tabor. He married Ella Peterson at Maquoketa on May 6, 1923.

A veteran of World War I, he farmed for many years. In 1958 he was elected state representative from Jackson county and served three terms in that House. In 1964 he was elected to the State Senate from Jackson and Jones counties. He did not run for reelection in 1966.

Surviving are his wife, two sons, Jack H. of Baldwin, and Dr. James R. of Denver, Colo.; a brother, Clifford of Baldwin; and two sisters, Mrs. Eloise Stewart of



Howard Tabor

Preston and Mrs. Leon Gray of Martinsville, Ind., and seven grandchildren.

Annual I at St. Do

The annual outdoor the Cross will begin day afternoon behind Catholic church. I will walk along the reaching the Pieta hill.

The observance with the weather conditions to Rev. Thomas Kea the church.

Small, brick house the 14 lithography by shatter-proof glass. The station erected in 1862, the having come from F.

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Clarence Hinke county sheriff for years, announced to again seek the Democration for that office.

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Michels, at left, the power plant. background to right. old-Leader photo.



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EDWARD BRINEGAR

Services for Edward A. Brinegar, 80, of 3312 S.W. Seventh st., who died Friday night at Iowa Methodist Hospital after a long illness, will be at 11 a.m. Tuesday at Dunn's Funeral Home on Grand avenue. Burial will be at Masonic Cemetery.

Mr. Brinegar, a lifelong Des Moines resident, was a printer for The Des Moines Register and Tribune for 17 years until his retirement in 1963. He was a member of Local 118 of the International Typographical Union.

He was also a member of Pioneer Masonic Lodge, Des Moines Consistory, Za-Ga-Zig Shrine, and Order of Eastern Star.

His wife, Mabel, and a daughter, Betty, who lives at home, survive.

J. P. Meinhardt, Banker, Is Dead

(The Register's Iowa News Service)

CARROLL, IA. — Services for Joseph P. Meinhardt, 62, vice-president and trust officer of the Carroll County State Bank here, will be at 10:30 a.m. Tuesday at the Saints Peter and Paul Catholic Church in Carroll. Mr. Meinhardt died of a heart attack early Saturday in a Carroll hospital.

Mr. Miller is survived by his wife, a son, John, on the home farm; a daughter, Mrs. John Leschensky of Waukon, and six grandchildren.

Services will be at 2 p.m. Monday at the First Presbyterian church here. Burial will be at a cemetery on the home farm.

Rites Monday for Howard Tabor

(The Register's Iowa News Service)

BALDWIN, IA. — Services for former State Senator Howard Tabor, 75, who died Friday at



HOWARD TABOR

his farm home near Baldwin after a long illness, will be at 1:30 p.m. Monday at the Church here.

Mr. Tabor, a Democrat, was a senator from Jackson and Jones counties in the 1965 Legislature, after three terms (1959-64) in the Iowa House.

He was a Navy veteran of World War I.

Survivors are his wife, Ella; two sons, Jack of Baldwin and Dr. James Tabor Denver, Colo.; a brother; two sisters, and seven grandchildren.

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write about "humanity" and not about persons. They are like the English Puritans who hated bear-baiting, not because it gave pain to the bears but because it gave pleasure to the spectators.

Indeed, this kind of critic would deny the very premise, the uniqueness of America, which is that we are the first mass civilization, the first mass culture in all history. For the first time, the effort is to educate everyone to the limit of his capacity. America, says Hoffer, is God's gift to the poor, who largely created this society. Of course intellectuals of the traditionalist type do not feel at home here; and of course they hate TV, which is simply the latest and

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HISTORY OF JACKSON COUNTY, IOWA 1900-1989



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The People of Jackson County, Iowa

ey was when they replaced their badly torn
ousers by helping themselves to those worn by
ad soldiers.

When in the Confederate army he took part in
e of Bull Run under General Thomas
stone) all Jackson in which the Union was
ced to retreat.

The experiences of the eleven deserters were
any and varied. The last camp they made
gether was between Lookout Mountain and
ft. Raccoon in Tennessee. They never met
gain.

He next found himself mixed up with a band of
ushwhackers and to save his life and to keep
rom being returned to the Confederacy as a
eserter, had to pretend an interest in their nefar-
ous activities.

While getting away from the bushwhackers he
was really escaping two dangers. Several times
while getting to the Union lines he donned a
dress and a sunbonnet and plowed in the fields as
he farm women did whose husbands were in the
army.

It was in the fall of 1863 when the nineteen
ear old boy surrendered to the commander of
he 4th Ohio Cavalry. He was placed in the
guardhouse, but was given a parole provided he
would enlist. On December 12, 1863 he enlisted
in Company E, 12th Tennessee Cavalry at Nash-
ville, Tennessee. He was also a bugler. He served
in his unit until the close of the war.

It was forty-three years after the war before
Alabama Jim went back to his old home, and
then found only four of his old friends still living.

When the war was over, because of his deser-
tion of the South, he came north with the Flynn
boys from Fulton, Iowa. Six months later he mar-
ried the Flynn's daughter, Sidney Ann. Her
father, Martin Flynn, gave her a 50 acre farm
about a mile south of Fulton where they lived for
many years. Ten children were born to them:
Wy Hadden, Charles, Glen, Mary, Sarah, Lil-
lie, Elma. Two boys died in infancy.

While living on the farm, Alabama Jim drove
a team of mules on the stagecoach between Ful-
ton and Maquoketa. One time a granddaughter
asked her mother, Lillie Wilcox, how she learned
to sew with such fine, even stitches. She replied
that when she was a young girl it was her job to
keep Grandpa's well-worn mittens patched and
she always tried to do it just as well as she could.

Alabama Jim had a crippled forefinger
thought to have been injured by a shell, and he
had one eye injured by a powder blast. For this
reason he was issued a pension for the blind.

While in the army he had a beautiful tattoo of
the American flag and an eagle put on his arm,
and if a grandchild asked to see it, he would roll
up his sleeve and show it to her.

In his retirement years he and his wife moved
first to Fulton and then to Maquoketa, making
their home with son Glen and his wife, Myrtle.

He enjoyed belonging to the G.A.R. (Grand
Army of the Republic) in which he was an officer.
He liked to march with the other civil war veter-
ans led by the fife and drum corps in the Memorial
Day Parade.

He also enjoyed a group of old friends, known
as the whittling club, who gathered at the Bur-
rows Livery Stable where they entertained each
other by spinning yarns of long ago days.

In his younger days he enjoyed fox hunting,
even as far from home as Seldom Seen, three
miles east of Andrew. It is interesting to note that
in the 1800's he hunted foxes on land that is now
owned by granddaughter, Alice Wilcox Corneli-
us and her family.

Alabama Jim died October 6, 1938 at the age
of ninety-six at the home of his daughter Mrs.
Lillie Wilcox in Maquoketa, Iowa. He was bur-
ied with military honors in the Esgate Cemetery.
A (Wilcox) Cornelius and Ruth (Wilcox)
Woods

JACK AND SHIRLEY (BURKLAND) TABOR

Each Memorial Day, Ella Tabor would load
her white Thunderbird full of flowers and grand-
children and head for the cemetery for an annual
lesson on family history.



Seated left to right: Jack and Shirley Tabor; Standing
left to right: Mary Roeder, Eric Tabor, Anne, Paul
Tabor

The story always started with Andrew Jackson
"Uncle Jack" Tabor who rode on horseback
from Jackson County, Indiana with his twin
brother to settle in Monmouth Township, Jack-
son County, Iowa. He was born in 1831, married
Nancy Cooley in 1854, and died a year after the
turn of the century.

Their son George Washington Tabor was born
and lived in the stone house north of Baldwin.
George brought his bride Ella Gilmore to live
there as well. George helped establish the Bal-
dwin Savings Bank. He also served in the Iowa
Legislature and was eventually defeated by the
first woman to serve in the Iowa Senate.

His son Howard carried on the family beef and
grain farming operation and lived across the gar-
den from the stone house with his wife Ella Peter-
sen Tabor. Howard served in the Navy in World
War I and also carried on the family's tradition
in Democratic politics in the Iowa Legislature.
He was also proud of his efforts in founding the
Baldwin-Nashville telephone company. How-
ard died in 1968.

Ella was a practical nurse in the Maquoketa
area and belonged to the Baldwin Fantasy Art
Club and Jackson County Hospital Auxiliary.
Ella and Howard were long-time members of the
Baldwin Methodist Church. Ella lived out her
days planting trees and tending beautiful flower
and vegetable gardens on the family farm until
her death in 1986.

Their son Jack was born in 1924 in the same
stone house and grew up attending the Baldwin
and Monmouth schools. He attended Iowa State
University before enlisting and serving in the
Army in World War II. He returned to farm with
his father and met Shirley Burkland when his
cousin Jane Tabor (Proctor) brought her home
for Thanksgiving dinner from Cornell College.
Shirley, who grew up in Chicago, married Jack in
1949. They belong to the United Church of
Christ in Maquoketa.

Jack has served on the board of the Jackson
County Public Hospital and the Baldwin Savings
Bank board. Shirley was a leader in the local 4-H
club for many years. They have raised four chil-
dren in the same stone house.

The oldest, Paul, is a microbiologist. He and
his wife Martha have three energetic children:
Ben, Kate and Meg. They live in Dubuque. Paul
has gotten the family interested in planting a

vineyard on the homestead with hopes of a
future winery. The next oldest, Anne, is a nutri-
tionist and active in peace and social justice
issues. She has two beautiful daughters, Emily
and Maureen. They live in Davenport. Eric, a
lawyer, is the third oldest. He farms and has car-
ried on the family political tradition by running
for Congress. He and his wife Jonna Jensen have
one special son named Noah. The youngest,
Mary, has been involved in politics, journalism
and law. She and her husband, Phil Roeder, have
two busy children, Oliver and Hannah. Jack
Tabor

THE TAYLOR FAMILY

James Lock Taylor, born June 15, 1819, died
December 10, 1899, came from western Penn-
sylvania to Iowa in 1842. His wife Maria Daniels
Taylor, was born April 9, 1822, and died May 24,
1890. They took up land in Jackson County,
Jackson Township, from the government. They
endured the hardships of pioneer life in their ear-
ly years, but success came to them in their later
years. Mr. Taylor was a Justice of the Peace for
many years and was called Squire Taylor. They
were the parents of eleven children: Isaac, James
Polk, Peggy Jane, and Sarah Jane, who died
young; Mary A., Matilda, Melissa, Elizabeth;
Smith, and Benton, who died as young men; and
Douglas. Most of the children were farmers and
remained in Jackson County.

Douglas was born January 11, 1863 and died
September 22, 1945. He married Mary Daniels
on March 20, 1890. She was born February 11,
1872 and died in September 1929. They were
parents of eight children: Elma, Elsie, Myra,
Otilie, James L., Zola, Mary Madge, and Lester
Douglas. After his marriage, Douglas rented the
homestead for some years and then bought it. All
the daughters were school teachers at some time.

Son James, born June 11, 1898, enlisted in the
U. S. Army in World War I and served two years,
one year overseas. He took part in the battles of
Ainse, Meuse, Argonne Woods, Fismes, and
Chateau Thierry. After returning from the ser-
vice, he worked as a barber for a few years. In
1923 he married Rose Belle Stemmer, born
December 24, 1903. In 1935 he established a
garage and a Chrysler-Plymouth dealership in
Northwood, Iowa, which he continued until
1965. He served as a member of the Northwood
City Council for several terms, belonged to the
Elks, VFW, Legion, and the Northwood Country
Club. His wife worked as a bookkeeper in the
business; she is a member of a study club, likes to
garden and sew, plays golf, and is a charter mem-
ber of the Iowa Genealogical Society; she has
done research on both families.

Lester Douglas Taylor enlisted in World War
II and served as a Navy gunner on a destroyer; he
was in many battles in the Pacific. He earned a
Silver Star, ten bronze stars, and three campaign
ribbons. He married Avela Betcher on June 7,
1934. They have one son, William.

Jean Taylor, the only child of James and Rose
Belle, attended Grinnell College, graduated from
Iowa State Teachers' College, and has a Masters
degree from Mankato State University. She
teaches business education at North Central
Schools at Manly, Iowa. Her husband is
Lemoyne Ellingson; he was a fighter pilot on an
aircraft carrier in World War II and served in the
Pacific area. Jean and "Lem" are both licensed
pilots and have their own airplane. Jean flew
copilot in the Powder Puff Derby in 1976. They
have two daughters, Pamela Jo and Kimberly
Jean. They have three grandsons.

As of October 1988, the only surviving chil-
dren of Douglas Taylor and Mary Daniels Taylor
are James L. and Zola. Mrs. James L. Taylor

LEON N. AND DULA (KILBURG) TEBBE

Leon N. Tebbe born February 11, 1942 in
Jackson County, the oldest son of Elmer and

State of Iowa

1969

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ROBERT D. RAY, Governor

ROGER W. JEPSEN, President of the Senate

WILLIAM H. HARBOR, Speaker of the House

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Attorney in 1927, he moved to Elkader and entered into partnership with Attorney V. T. Price. After Mr. Price's death in 1931 he took H. K. Roggen-sack as a partner and continued in the law practice. He was mayor of Edge-wood from 1924 until 1927, and also served as mayor of Elkader for a num-ber of years. He served in the army during World War I and later served as commander of the Clayton County American Legion. He was a member of the Iowa State Bar Association, K. P. Lodge, Eastern Star and Elkader Lodge No. 72, A. F. and A. M., Clinton Consistory and El Kahir Shrine. For many years he served as a trustee or moderator of the Congregational Church and as a Sunday School teacher and choir member. He was a member of Rotary and served as President of the School Board.

Mr. Sharp, as a Republican, served in the Iowa Senate in the Fifty-first, Fifty-second, Fifty-second Extra and Fifty-third sessions of the General Assembly, and served in the House of Representatives in the Forty-eighth, Forty-ninth, Fiftieth and Fiftieth Extra sessions of the General Assembly. He passed away October 22, 1967.

Surviving Mr. Sharp are his widow, Jessie; two daughters, Mrs. Laura Roehlk of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, and Mrs. Bette Eastham of New Jersey; one son, Fern Eugene Sharp, Jr., of Lake Forest, Illinois. He is also survived by one sister and ten grandchildren.

Therefore, Be It Resolved by the Senate of the Sixty-third General Assembly of Iowa: That in the passing of the Honorable Fern E. Sharp, the state has lost an honored citizen and a faithful and useful public servant, and the Senate by this resolution would express its appreciation of his ser-vice, 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 that the Secretary of the Senate be directed to forward an enrolled copy to the family of the deceased.

LESLIE C. KLINK, Chairman
FLOYD GILLEY
KENNETH PARKER

Committee

The resolution was unanimously adopted.

HOWARD TABOR

MR. PRESIDENT: Your committee, appointed to prepare a suitable reso-lution commemorating the life, character and public service of the late Honorable Howard Tabor, begs leave to submit the following memorial:

Howard Tabor was born March 13, 1893, at Baldwin, Iowa. He was the son of George W. and Ella Tabor. Graduated from Baldwin High School and completed the commercial course at the Cedar Rapids Business College.

He married Ella C. Peterson of Sabula, Iowa, June 6, 1923. To this union were born two sons.

Mr. Tabor was in partnership with his son, Jack, in a farming and cattle feeding business on a farm that has been in the family for one hundred years. Served as committeeman on the Agricultural Adjustment Administration seven years. Member of the Methodist Church, Farm Bureau, and American Legion.

Mr. Tabor, a Democrat, served in the Iowa House of Representatives in the Fifty-eighth, Fifty-ninth, Sixtieth and Sixtieth Extra sessions from Jackson County, and Senator from Jackson-Jones Counties during the Sixty-first session.

He passed away April 5, 1968. Surviving Mr. Tabor are his widow, Ella, and two sons, Jack Tabor of Baldwin, Iowa and Dr. James Tabor of Englewood, Colorado. Also surviving Mr. Tabor are two sisters, Mrs. Leon Gray of Martinville, Indiana and Mrs. Eloise Stewart of Preston, Iowa and one brother Clifford Tabor, Baldwin, Iowa.

Therefore, Be It Resolved by the Senate of the Sixty-third General Assembly of Iowa: That in the passing of the Honorable Howard Tabor, the state has lost an honored citizen and a faithful and useful public servant, and the Senate 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 Senate and the Secretary of the Senate be directed to forward an enrolled copy to the family of the deceased.

CLIFTON C. LAMBORN, Chairman
ROGER J. SHAFF
JOHN M. WALSH

Committee

The resolution was unanimously adopted.

DANIEL W. TURNER

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

Daniel Webster Turner was born March 17, 1877, on a farm near Corning, Adams County, Iowa. He died April 15, 1969, at Corning, Iowa, 92 years old.

Shortly after graduation from the old Corning Academy in 1898, he enlisted in the Army for service in the Spanish-American war. He served in the Philippines.

He joined the Iowa National Guard when he came home from the war and rose to the rank of major before resigning ten years later.

In 1903 he was elected State Senator from the old Adams-Taylor County district. He was 26 years old, the youngest Iowan ever elected to the Senate up to that time.

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Event(s)

Birth: 13 Mar 1893

Death: Apr 1968
Baldwin, Jackson, Iowa, USA

Burial:
Pence Cemetery, Monmouth Twp, Jackson, Iowa, USA

Parents

Father: [George W. Tabor](#) Disc #128 Pin #25276

Mother: [Ella G. Gilmore](#) Disc #128 Pin #25277

Marriage(s)

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