

Standard Form For Members of the Legislature

Name of Representative Blatt, Joseph B. Senator Blatt, Joseph B.
Represented Adams, Cass and Madison Counties from

1. Birthday and place 24. Dec 1921

2. Marriage (s) date place
Sarah

3. Significant events for example:

A. Business _____

B. Civic responsibilities _____

C. Profession Mens clothier

4. Church membership Baptist

5. Sessions served 58th General Assembly 1959 - House of Representatives

6. Public Offices 59th, 60th, 61st, 62nd, 66th General Assembly - 1961, 1963, 1965, 1967, 1969-1970 - Senate

A. Local _____

B. State _____

C. National _____

7. Death 10 Mar 1980, Inez City, Arizona

8. Children Joseph B. Jr.; Kevin; Chris (Mrs. Abbott); Sharon (Mrs. Kennedy)

9. Names of parents _____

10. Education

11. Degrees

12. Other applicable information

Republican

- *He came to Westport, Iowa shortly after World War II*
- *Military service - World War II*
- *In Westport he was a prominent clothier for men*
- *The family moved to Oakley, Iowa in 1969*

miners supplying the University are in the process of installing equipment to wash and clean the coal before they deliver. This construction will take approximately six months. If they are unable to continue delivering coal in the meantime, this brings on a serious financial problem for them along with the fact there will be an increased cost to the University to purchase other coal from another state.

This was the first opportunity I have had to be present when the Federal Environmental Protection people and the Iowa Department of Environmental Quality people testified at the meeting. In my opinion there has always been a tendency for each of these agencies to blame the other when not present. At the close of our meeting we got reserved commitments. They have agreed to meet again on Tuesday of next week and attempt to reach a compromise by possibly blending some cleaned coal with raw coal to bring the emissions into tolerance. I am sure that something can be done, agreements can be reached and we will be watching and monitoring the progress of these agencies next week.

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Joseph R. Flatt

**Joe Flatt Dies
In Arizona**

Joseph B. Flatt, 58, former well-known Winterset resident, died Monday, March 10, in Arizona. He had been a resident of Sun City, Arizona since the fall of 1978.

Mr. Flatt came to Winterset shortly after service in World War II, and became a prominent clothier, state legislator, church leader and National Guard commander.

The family moved to Ankeny, Iowa in 1969.

Funeral services for Mr.

Flatt will be held this Friday, March 14, at 2 p.m. from the Saylorville Baptist Church at Saylorville, Iowa. Pastor Joe Hayes will officiate. The Ankeny Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Surviving are his wife, Dorothy, two sons, Joe Flatt Jr. of Carmel, Indiana and Kevin Flatt, on military duty in Germany; two daughters, Mrs. Chris Abbott of Indianola and Mrs. Sharon Kennedy of Phoenix, Ariz.; eight grandchildren; a brother, Howard Flatt of Des Moines; and two sisters, Mildred and Doris, both of California.

**Recruit Census
Takers Here**

The U.S. Bureau of the Census will have a recruiter and examiner at the Extension Office, 117 N. First St. in Winterset, at 9 a.m. the next two Fridays, March 14 and 21.

Applicants for enumerators and crew leader positions with the 1980 census are asked to contact the Extension Office at 462-1001.

Applicants should allow one to two hours for completing their applications and taking a written timed test.

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