

Standard Form For Members of the Legislature

Name of Representative Maggert, Robert E. Senator \_\_\_\_\_

Represented Union County, Iowa

1. Birthday and place 2 Mar 1898 Cromwell, Indiana

2. Marriage (s) date place

Violet Karchner 23 Apr 1941

3. Significant events for example:

A. Business \_\_\_\_\_

B. Civic responsibilities Mason; Shrine; Eastern Star;  
American Legion; VFW; Kiwanis

C. Profession Mail carrier

4. Church membership Methodist

5. Sessions served 57<sup>th</sup>, 58<sup>th</sup> General Assemblies 1957, 1959

6. Public Offices

A. Local Union County auditor 1955-1956

B. State \_\_\_\_\_

C. National \_\_\_\_\_

7. Death 13 Aug 1968 in automobile enroute to the hospital; buried Sparta Cemetery, Cromwell, Indiana

8. Children James; Jeanne (Mrs. Ernest Bailey)

9. Names of parents John Edward and Sarah (Hershey) Maggart

Maggert, Robert E.

10. Education \_\_\_\_\_  
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11. Degrees \_\_\_\_\_  
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12. Other applicable information Republican  
- Military service - World War I - U.S. Army  
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# MANS LYONS - WYATT

Patty Linn Wyatt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oun B. Wyatt of Afton, Iowa, and Arnold Douglas Lyons, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lyons, Jr. of Coon Rapids, Iowa were married at 2:00 p. m. Saturday, December 14, 1968, at Afton. The ceremony was performed in the United Methodist church in Afton, Iowa, officiated by the Rev. James Morris.

The altar was adorned by baskets of gladiolas and mums.

Mon Jacobsen, Coon Rapids, and Jim Lyons, Coon Rapids, were ushers. Mrs. Carl Huss, organist, accompanied Bob Beatty as he sang "Because" and "Wedding Prayer".

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a floor-length gown of white bridal satin with an overlay of white nylon. The wrist-length bell-shaped sleeves were of nylon. The A-line skirt was trimmed with lace applique. Her veil was of nylon, gathered to a cap of white satin; decorated with a gold tiara. Her cascade bouquet was pink and white with a detachable corsage.

Sharman Wyatt, sister of the bride, was maid-of-honor. Kathy Rooker, Diagonal, was bridesmaid. They wore identical floor-length A-line dresses and white over-the-elbow gloves. Their veils were of nylon, decorated with roses. Each carried a cascade bouquet of pink and white carnations.

Gordon Gymer of Coon Rapids was best man. John Rooker, Diagonal, was groomsman. Karen Jacobsen, Coon Rapids, sister of the groom, was in charge of the guest book.

Mrs. Wyatt chose a rose metallic brocade dress for her daughter's wedding. Mrs. Lyons wore a navy blue dress. Corsages of white roses were worn by both mothers. The bride's grandmother, Mrs. L. B. Jeffrey, also, wore a corsage of white roses.

Out of state guests were Myron and Richard Wyatt of Chicago, Ill.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held in the church parlors. Mrs. Joe Carroll, Creston, was hostess for the reception. Cutting the cake was by Mrs. LeRoy Crandall. Reba Jeffrey, Afton, and Madeline Hess, served coffee and punch. Ann Red Oak, both aunts of the bride, Crandall and Marsha and Conrie Sweeney helped with the serving.

Gifts were opened by Ann Harpin and Wendy Wykoff, both of Creston.

The wedding cake was decorated with pink roses and white lace hearts. A bride and groom surrounded by a host of friends, adorned the top. The cake rested

# Robert Maggert, 70 Dies Saturday Night

Robert E. Maggert, 70, passed away Saturday night. He had been in poor health for some time, having spent weeks in the Veterans hospital in Des Moines. However, he had been home for some time, and was able to be out some. He became suddenly ill Saturday night and passed away in the ambulance enroute to the hospital.

Funeral services were held at the United Methodist church in Afton Monday, Dec. 16, 1968 at 2:00 P. M., with the Pastor, Rev. James W. Morris officiating. He was laid to rest in Sparta Cemetery, Kimmell, Indiana. The Stroud Funeral Home of Afton was in charge of services.

The organist at the service was Mrs. Carl Huss and vocalists were Harry Cole, Toni Hoffman, Jane Mikkelsen, Sandra Stalker and Sharon Thompson.

Honorary Bearers were Virgil Eckardt, Carl Myers, Charles Kelly, Robert F. Tyson, Rev. Lyle Dunham, Rev. John Nye, Raymond Doty, Former Gov. Norman A. Erbe, and Former Lt. Gov. William L. Mooty.

Robert E. Maggert was born at Cromwell, Indiana, March 2, 1898, the son of John Edward and Sarah Hersey Maggert. He had lived at Afton for many years.

April 23, 1921, he was married to Violet Karchner, who survives, as well as a son, James, of Ankeny; a daughter, Mrs. Ernest (Jeanne) Bailey of Lynchburg, Va.; six grandchildren; and a sister, Mrs. Bonnie Whirlledge in California. He was preceded in death by his parents, five brothers and a sister.

Mr. Maggert served the Afton area as rural mail carrier for several years. He served as Union county auditor during the 1955-56 term and as state representative for Union county for the 1957-1959 session of the legislature. He was appointed superintendent of buildings and grounds when his term in legislature expired and served from 1960-63.

He was a veteran of World War I, serving with the army in France.

Mr. Maggert was a member of the Albion Masonic Lodge No. 97 at Albion, Ind.; the Des Moines Consistory, Za-Ga-Zig Temple Shrine at Des Moines, the Order of the Eastern Star at Ligonier, Ind., the White Shrine of Jerusalem at Creston, the American Legion and V. F. W. posts at Afton, and was a former member of the Afton Community Club and the Creston Kiwanis Club.

# Christmas Eve Service At Dodge Center Church

The Christmas Eve Service will be held at the Dodge Center church on Tuesday evening, December 24th, beginning at 11 p. m.

The Christmas Eve Service has been held before at the church, and has proven quite popular with the community as well as the public of the surrounding area. Everyone is welcome to the service.

The entire service will be made up of music in the true Christmas fashion with local talent presenting the Yule time numbers.

Following is the program for the service:

- There's A Song in the Air...Choir..
- Prayer.....Rev. Morris
- What Child Is This? .....
- ..... Sharon Thompson
- Oh, Little Town of Bethlehem
- Joy To the World.....Choir
- Scripture.....Greg Seeley
- Sweet Little Jesus Boy .....
- ..... Steve Wilson
- Meditation.....Rev. Morris
- Hark, The Herald Angels Sing
- O Come All Ye Faithful...Choir
- The Holy City.....Max Huss
- Silent Night.....Choir
- Benediction.....Rev. Morris
- Accompanist: Nancy Silliman
- Choir Director: Bruce Huss

# Adult Education Classes To Organize Jan. 9th

The pre-registration canvas of the residents of the East Union Community School District concerning Adult Education classes has been completed, and there has been enough interest shown to warrant efforts to organize several classes. From all indications there will definitely be 4 courses and a distinct possibility of 3 more. The 4 courses which appear certain to be offered are:

1. Woodworking and Furniture Refinishing;
  2. Upholstery;
  3. Psychology;
  4. Adult High School Basic Education.
- The other courses for which there appears to be quite some interest are: 1. Art; 2. Sewing; 3. A short course (4 to 6 weeks) on tax structure and a better understanding of where our taxes go.

The organizational meeting for all these classes except psychology, will be held at 7:30 January 9th at the lunch room of the Afton Elementary Center of the East Union District. Because of a conflict the psychology course will hold its first meeting at the High School on Monday, January 13th at 7:30 P. M. After the first meeting each class will determine the time and place of its next meeting.

Any resident of the East Union

# Bill Riley Tale Show January

The East Union I will present Bill Riley State Fair Talent Sprouts on January in the Lorimer 1 Sprouts include 2-1 and the State Fair is for ages 14-20. At to perform contact OR Dave Sutton, East Community School, A Tickets will be Adults - 50 cents, 25 cents, and fan \$1.50.

# Amy Morrison, Dies in Mount

Amy Morrison, 70, resident, passed away gold county hospital last Thursday. She had been a patient at the Sunny home at Mt. Ayr before the hospital a few days before her death.

Funeral services were held p. m. Saturday at the Methodist church in Afton, Iowa, officiated by Rev. Jerry Nichols. Burial was in the Afton cemetery.

Surviving are three children: Millard Morrison of Wash., Clarence Morrison of Ayr and Herschel Tingley.

# Mr. and Mrs. Tom To Celebrate Golden Wedding Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. Tom To celebrate their Golden Anniversary Sunday, 1 at an open house to Fellowship Hall of United Methodist church.

A cordial welcome to all their friends, neighbors and relatives to attend the open house from 2 until 4 p. m. on Sunday.

Their children and grandchildren are hosting the event. Mr. and Mrs. Arnold To there be no gifts.

# FARM SOLD

The farm south of Afton as the Joe Hnat farm sold by the McElroy Brothers Enterprises will be given as soon as the transaction is made.

The transaction was handled by the Kenneth Seeley Agency.