

Standard Form For Members of the Legislature

Name of Representative Clarke, Kingsley M. - Senator _____

1. Birthday and place 17 November 1913, Adel, Iowa

2. Marriage (s) date place

Mary Jane Stacy, 1940

3. Significant events for example:

A. Business lawyer; farm manager

B. Civic responsibilities _____

C. Profession _____

4. Church membership _____

5. Sessions served 53 GA, 1949, House, Dallas Co.

6. Public Offices

A. Local Adel School Bd, one term

B. State _____

C. National _____

7. Death 21 JULY 1982, Iowa Methodist Hospital, Des Moines
Medical Center

8. Children (1) Kingsley Jr. (c. 1944 -), Chicago; (2) Lance Stacy (c. 1947 -)
Hollywood, Fla.

9. Names of parents Charles F. and Kate F. Clarke

Clarke, Kingsley M.

10. Education Adel High School (1931); Univ. of Iowa; Drake Univ Law School

11. Degrees LL.B. Drake Univ.

12. Other applicable information Practiced law in Des Moines & Adel 45 yrs. Also managed farms in area for Litchfield Realty of New York. Grandfather, an atty in Adel, also was representative & governor of Iowa; his father lawyer; his cousin was Nile Kinnick.

Played baseball at Iowa. In several semi-pro teams late 1930's and 1940's; one of group organizing South Dallas Co. Little League in 1950's. Made major contribution to lighting of girls' softball diamonds and tennis courts. An organizer and charter member of Hillcrest Country Club; was planning to organize semi-pro team in Adel, in 1982, but illness prevented.

Survived by wife, two sons, three sisters.

Clarke, Kingsley M.

Sources Log For Legislation Entries

Applicability

| Source | Non Applicable | Applicable | Information obtained |
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| Dallas Co. Nnews, Thur 29 July 1982 | | x | death; obit |
| Stork/Clingan, Legislators | | x | sessions served |
| Ia Offic Register 19 49 | | x | bio |
| House Journal 1953 | x | | |
| Dallas Co. Cemeteries--Adel | x | | |

Jason Carrico of Redfield demonstrates the technique which won him junior showmanship honors in beef competition at the Dallas County Fair.

photo by Beth Dalbey

A blue ribbon fair

Andy Reiste of Adel won the grand championship in the market steer competition at the Dallas County Fair last week.

The same steer won the heavyweight championship at the five-day fair, which officials said had good attendance.

Fair officials had some problems to deal with during the show, however. Some scheduled events had to be called off and one of them, a Sunday appearance by the Life Flight helicopter from Des Moines, was cancelled because the craft sustained \$50,000 damage when an ambulance crashed into the helicopter earlier that day.

The officials also had to deal with a power outage at the show barn Friday evening which took Iowa Power and Light Company employees several hours to fix.

But, as usual, there were many winners in the dozens of categories of competition.

Market beef winners

In addition to Reiste, other market beef winners were Lynette Leonard of Perry for the reserve champion market steer and the medium-weight champion steer, Jeff Boston of Waukee for the reserve heavyweight champion steer and the lightweight champion steer, and Ben Kelly of Waukee for the reserve medium-weight champion steer.

More market beef winners were Jodi Pitsenbarger of Perry for the reserve lightweight champion steer, Chad Wilkerson of Linden for the champion market heifer and Todd Campidilli of Bouton for the reserve champion market heifer.

Sheep winners

Winners in the sheep judging competition included Pitsenbarger for champion market lamb, Ann Taylor of Minburn for reserve champion market lamb, the champion pen-of-three and the senior showmanship award, and Cynthia Barret of Dallas Center for top and second rate of gain.

Steve Taylor of Minburn took several awards, winning

the reserve champion pen-of-three, the grand and reserve champion rambouillet ewe, the grand and reserve champion commercial ewe and the pair of ewes.

Also winning were Chad Carpenter of Dallas Center for the champion suffolk ewe, Lynette Leonard for the reserve champion suffolk ewe, Tracy Durbin of Linden for the grand and reserve champion Hampshire ewe and Tricia Taylor of Minburn for junior showmanship.

Winners for swine

Vicki Peterson of F field had the grand champion market swine at the fair. He also was the grand champion in the market pen-of-three competition.

Joel Nelson of Bouton won the reserve champion award for market swine, Chris Nelson of Bouton won the reserve champion award for market pen-of-three and Mike Robison of Adel won the grand championship for production barrow.

Cheri Smith of Perry won the reserve championship for production barrow and the senior showmanship award. Randy Kreafer of Adel had the grand champion production gilt and Mark Manning of Dallas Center won the junior showmanship award.

Horse winners

Ben Kelly of Waukee had the grand champion pony at the fair, while Tracy Durbin of Linden had the reserve champion pony. Shawn Boston of Adel had the grand champion horse and Troy Snyder of Waukee had the reserve champion horse.

Other horse awards went to Melissa Martin of Waukee for first-place junior horsemanship, Debbie Kent of Dexter

Fair results . . .

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There is speculation among Dexter residents that the fire may be connected to a latent anti-tavern feeling here that increased as the result of the recent shooting.

25-year terms for McCurnin, Cross, Kuebler

ADEL — Tommy D. Kuebler, Douglas K. Cross and Matthew J. McCurnin were all sentenced to 25-year prison terms Friday for the first-degree armed robbery and possession of Russell and Marjorie Vaagen of rural Adel.

Kuebler, Cross, McCurnin and Joel D. Wahlert were charged in connection with the April 16 break-in at the Vaagens' home. The Vaagens were tied, beaten and threatened and their home was ransacked.

Kuebler pleaded guilty to a single count of first-degree armed robbery and received the maximum sentence from District Court Judge Ray Hanrahan. Kuebler's sentence will run concurrently with a previous sentence.

Kuebler, who was an escapee from the Riverview Work Release Center at Newton at the time of the Vaagen break-in, also faces possible escape charges.

Cross and McCurnin were found guilty of two counts of each crime by a Dallas County jury last month. They could have received up to 60 years in prison.

Wahlert is scheduled to be sentenced this Friday, but now faces additional escape charges for his role in a breakout from the Dallas County Jail last week.

The three sentenced last Friday will not be eligible for parole for over five years.

Utility bill blues prompt changes at Wood home

by BETH DALBEY

ADEL — When Jack and Myra Wood received a \$600 bill for propane and an \$80 bill for electricity for the coldest month in the severe winter of 1982, they decided it was time to adopt a hedge against inflation.

The eight persons living in the Wood home can use plenty of electricity and propane, but six months later the Woods believe they've seen the last of utility bills which put the bite on their pocketbooks.

The cause for the optimism is a wind generator and solar system designed to cut down on energy usage. "Even if it only saves us 50 percent," said Myra, "it will pay for itself."

Darrel Hendricks, president of the Des Moines-based firm that installed the wind

Wind generator . . .

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Former legislator, civic leader Kingsley Clarke dies at 68

ADEL — Kingsley Clarke, a former Adel school board member and state legislator from Dallas County, died July 21, 1982 at Iowa Methodist Medical Center in Des Moines. He was 68.

A grandson of former Iowa Gov. George W. Clarke and a cousin of Heisman Trophy winner Nile Kinnick, Clarke was born Nov. 17, 1913 to Charles F. and Kate F. Clarke.

The lifelong resident of Adel graduated from Adel High School in 1931 and attended the University of Iowa before graduating from the Drake Law School.

Clarke practiced law in Des Moines and Adel for 45 years, the third generation of his family to do so. He also managed farms in this area for Litchfield Realty of New York.

The Republican served on the Adel school board for one term and also was a member of the Iowa House of Representatives from 1949-50.

A baseball fan, Clarke was a member of the group who organized the South

Dallas County Little League in the 1950s. He was also one of the organizers and a charter member of the Hillcrest Country Club northeast of Adel.

Clarke made major contributions toward the lighting project for the girls' softball diamonds south of town and for the tennis courts in Kinnick-Feller Park.

He played baseball for the University of Iowa while attending that school and was a member of the Adel semiprofessional baseball teams in the late 1930s and early 1940s.

He had planned to organize another semiprofessional baseball team in Adel this season, but complications prevented it.

Survivors include his wife, Mary Jane; two sons, Kingsley, Jr. of Chicago and Lance of Hollywood, Fla.; and three sisters, Portia Potter of Laguna Hills, Calif., Elsie L. Hobbs of Mercer Island, Wash. and Theodora Bell of Aspen, Colo.

The family held a private service after the death.



Kingsley Clarke

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Farm



CLARK, G. T., Knoxville Marlon County
Democrat

Born at Knoxville, March 2, 1905. Graduate of Knoxville, Iowa high school and attended Des Moines University. Auditor for grocery store chain for three years. Operator of stock and grain farm. Chairman of Township AAA committee several years and president of rural school board 14 years. Chairman of the Democratic Central Committee 10 years. Married Ruth Burgess in 1927. Father of one son, James R. Clark, 14 years. Member of all branches of I.O.O.F. and member of Masonic lodge and Za-Ga-Zig Shrine. Serving first term.

CLARKE, Kingsley M., Adel Dallas County
Republican

Born November, 1913. Attended grade and high school at Adel, Iowa. Two years Liberal Arts at University of Iowa. Graduate Drake Law, 1936. Served in the army 1942 to 1946. Graduate of J. A. G. School, Ann Arbor, Michigan, September, 1945. Married Mary Jane Stacy in 1940. Two sons, Kingsley, Jr., five years, and Lance Stacy, two years.



CLARK, Ted D., Mystic Appanoose County
Republican

Born in Detroit, Michigan, June 12, 1929. Moved to Appanoose county with his parents the following year where he has resided since. Graduated from Mystic high school, 1939. Married Gracie Mae Frost, has two children Billy and Sally. Member of Masonic and Eagle lodges. Former member of Mystic Independent Board of Education and present member of Appanoose county Board of Education. Engaged in grocery, meat market, hardware, furniture and appliance business at Mystic. Member of Methodist church. Chairman of Young Republican organization of Appanoose county. Serving first term.

