

Standard Form For Members of the Legislature

Name of Representative Kuhlmann, Paul Heinrich Senator _____

Represented Crawford County, Iowa

1. Birthday and place 9 May 1888 Charter Oak Township near Charter Oak, Iowa

2. Marriage (s) date place
① Eless Grant 21 Mar 1912 Denison, Iowa

② Helen Peterson 28 Jan 1947 Sioux City, Iowa

3. Significant events for example:

A. Business President and manager of the Berni Co-op; founder of the Berni Elevator and Lumberyard Corporation, Farm Bureau

B. Civic responsibilities Charter Oak Community Club

C. Profession Farmer (near Berni, Iowa)

4. Church membership Lutheran

5. Sessions served 51st General Assembly 1945

6. Public Offices

A. Local Served on the Crawford County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service

B. State Member of the Pioneer Lawyers Association of Iowa

C. National _____

7. Death 8 Nov 1975 Denison, Iowa; buried St. John's Lutheran Cemetery, Charter Oak, Iowa

8. Children Ruth (Mrs. Donald Burnett); Lois (Mrs. Blaine Butler); Paul, Jr.

9. Names of parents George and Sophie (Boheman) Kuhlmann

10. Education He was educated in schools of Crawford County,
Iowa

11. Degrees _____

12. Other applicable information Democrat

- His wife, Elsie, died 22 Jan 1939

Obituaries

PAUL H. KUHLMANN
 Paul Heinrich Kuhlmann, son of George and Sophie Kuhlmann, was born May 9, 1888, in Charter Oak Township, Charter Oak. He was baptized on May 20, 1888, at St. John's Lutheran Church by Pastor Bretscher, and was confirmed into the Lutheran Faith on April 5, 1903, in the same church by Pastor A. Amstein.

He was married March 21, 1912, in Denison, to Elese Teut. To this union three children were born, Ruth (Mrs. Donald Burnett) of Augusta, Georgia, Lois, (Mrs. Blaine Butler) and Paul, Jr. of Charter Oak.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Elese, on January, 22, 1939.

On January, 23, 1947, he married Helen Petersen of Spencer, in Sioux City. Mr. Kuhlmann suffered a stroke two weeks ago and died at the Crawford County Memorial Hospital on Saturday, November 8, 1975, at the age of 87 years and 6 months.

Preceding him in death were his brothers, namely, William, Fred, Ferdinand, and one infant brother. He is survived by his wife, two daughters, one son, one sister, Mrs. Martha Kragel of Eventide, ten grandchildren, and six great grandchildren.

Mr. Kuhlmann spent his active years in farming near Berne, Ia., and was always concerned about the affairs of church, township, and community. He served as an Elder of St. John's Lutheran Church, and on the finance committee for a number of years. For many years he served as president and manager of the Berne Co-op and was founder of the Berne Elevator and Lumberyard Corporation. He served on the Crawford County A.S.C. board for several years. He served as Iowa State Representative from 1945 to 1947. He was a member of the Pioneer Lawmakers Association of Iowa. He was a member of the Crawford County Farm Bureau and Charter Oak Community Club.

Funeral services were held at 10:30 a.m., Monday, Nov. 10, at St. John's Lutheran Church in Charter Oak, with Pastor Albert Prouty officiating.

Pallbearers were Ervin Kuhlmann, Herbert Kuhlmann, Raymond Kuhlmann, George Kuhlmann, Donald Kragel, and Melvin Magill. Interment was made in St. John's Lutheran Cemetery with Huebner Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

NORMAN W. REITER

Funeral services for Norman W. Reiter, 74, of rural Vall were held Monday, Nov. 3 at 1:30 p.m. at the Wheatland United Presbyterian Church near Breda.

Mr. Reiter died suddenly Thursday morning, Oct. 23 at his farm home southwest of Wall Lake of a heart attack.

The Rev. Donald W. Gibson officiated the service with burial in the Wheatland Cemetery.

Music was furnished by Mrs. Harry Hayunga, organist, a duet composed of Mrs. William J. Geake and Mrs. Paul Bleret and congregational singing.

Mrs. Leonard Peters and Mrs. Darwin Becker were in charge of the floral offerings.

Pallbearers were Norbert Snyder, Leo Rohde, Lawrence Groen, Robert Bartlett, Herman Schwanz and William Schwanz.

Norman W. Reiter was born in Red Hill, Penn., on Oct. 3, 1901, the son of Manohah and Maggie Weiss Reiter. He was married to Margaret Aden on July 18, 1925. Mr. Reiter retired from farming several years ago.

He is survived by his wife, Margaret; three sons, Gordon R. (Dick), Edwin of Wall Lake and Robert of Bettendorf; five grandsons; five granddaughters; two brothers, Jesse of Wall Lake and Manohah of Morrisville, Penn., and three sisters, Helen, Mrs. Paul Landis of Boyertown, Penn., Pearl, Mrs. Abram Moyer of Hamburg, Penn. and Naomi Reiter of Red Hill, Penn.

He was preceded in death by his parents, one daughter in infancy, one granddaughter, Carrie Ellen, three brothers, Wilson, Edwin and Irvin, and five sisters, Emma, Kate, Eva, Mamie and Cora.

FARM

Many advantages in buying tested boars

by Nina List

Buying a production tested boar has several advantages according to Farmland's Ida Grove Test Station Manager Glen Conradi.

One of the first bonuses in buying a production tested boar through a central test station is the selection of boars that are offered for sale. Boars in a central test station spend approximately 70 days on test Conradi said. At the end of this test period the boars must have gained 150 lbs. and be weighing at least 220 lbs.

In order to be sold at the test station, through the sale ring, boars must meet certain other criteria Conradi pointed out. First of all a boar must gain 1.8 lbs. per day, the pen can not have a feed efficiency over 280 and individual boars must meet backfat standards.

These backfat standards vary with the average daily gain. A pig that gains between 1.80 and 1.99 can not probe over 9 inches of grease. This is different for the pig gaining 2.40 pounds per day. A pig gaining 2.40, said Conradi, can probe up to 1.2 inches of grease.

Besides meeting production requirements, a boar must meet several other basic requirements. "A boar must come out of this test station walking sound, or he can't be sold through our sale ring," stated Conradi. Boars with physical defects such as enlarged sheaths are also weeded out.

"Any producer who is interested in buying a boar can come in and observe the boars and make his own comparisons. He can make a pick from out of 50 or 60 boars offered for sale," Conradi pointed out.

Presently in the Ida Grove test station, Conradi said that he had boars on test representing six of the eight major breeds. These breeds include Berkshire, Chester White, Durocs, Hampshire, Spots, and Yorkshires.

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