

Standard Form For Members of the Legislature

Name of Representative Thompson, George Levi Senator

Represented Buchanan County, Iowa

1. Birthday and place 1 Nov 1891 Lamont, Iowa in

Buchanan County, Iowa

2. Marriage (s) date place

Joan May Allen 12 Apr 1924 Crestadia, Iowa

3. Significant events for example:

A. Business

B. Civic responsibilities American Legion

C. Profession Farmer; dairy and cattle specialist; automobile  
business; retail meat and grocery business; breeder of purebred  
Aberdeen Angus cattle

4. Church membership

5. Sessions served 46<sup>th</sup> General Assembly 1935

6. Public Offices

A. Local

B. State

C. National

7. Death 6 May 1962 3 1/2 blocks, Third, buried Oak Hill Hampton Cemetery, Lamont, Iowa

8. Children John L.; Jay D.

9. Names of parents John Stephen Douglas and Sarah Amelia (Colony) Thompson

10. Education He was educated in the Lamont, Iowa public  
schools graduating in 1908

11. Degrees He attended Lenox College, 1909; graduated  
from Iowa State College Ames, Iowa 1914 in Animal Husbandry

12. Other applicable information Democrat

- He was head of the dairy husbandry department at the  
University of West Virginia, Morgantown, West Virginia in 1915
- Military service - World War I, 2nd Lieutenant in the balloon  
division, aviation section for 2 years. He is a licensed  
balloon pilot
- He was a beef/cattle specialist of the Bureau of Animal  
Industry in Washington, D. C. in 1919
- He was engaged in the automobile business 1920-1923
- He started farming in 1924
- He operated a retail meat and grocery business 1929-1933
- He retired in 1946 and began traveling to Florida





**m, Coach Honored**  
 eting Zephyrhills High School  
 on, center, who guided the last  
 Florida state tournament, was  
 y Jake Gall, left, at a banquet  
 1962 State Champs. At right is  
 e banquet, while in front are  
 1 Clyde Bracknell, lower right,  
 —News photo

## Building Permits Total 38 in April

A total of 38 building permits were issued by City of Zephyrhills in April, according to a report filed by Inspector Thomas J. Nevins with the city clerk.  
 Of this number, three were for new homes valued at \$14,760, and one for the new airport buildings at a \$10,000 figure. These, with additions, alterations and repairs added on the remaining 33 permits, brought the total value to \$48,160.  
 There also was one permit issued for moving a house and one for building a driveway.

## George Thompson Dies After Fall At Trailer Park

George L. Thompson, 70, of 4 South St., Winters' Trailer Park, died Sunday at Jackson Memorial Hospital. He had been taken there by ambulance Saturday following a fall in which he incurred a broken collarbone at his home. He had suffered from a heart ailment for some time.

Mr. Thompson was born in Lamont, Iowa, Nov. 1, 1891. He was graduated from the Lamont High School in 1908 and from Iowa State College in 1914. During World War I he served as an officer in the Balloon Observation Corps of the United States Army. He was a Democratic member of the Iowa Legislature for the 1935-36 term. Before coming to Zephyrhills Mr. Thompson was a farmer and merchant.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Iva Allen Thompson, to whom he was married on April 12, 1924; two sons, J. D. of Perry and John I. of Hampton, Iowa; and two grandchildren.

The body was sent to Iowa for final rites and burial.

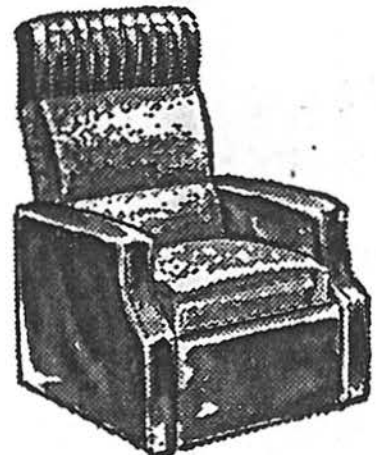
### LEAVE ON VACATION

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde H. Hunter of Lane Road left Sunday for an extended trip through Louisiana and Las Cruces, N. M., where they will visit a nephew. Other western points on their itinerary include Las Vegas, Nev., the Grand Canyon, Salt Lake City, Utah, and St. Louis, Mo. In Detroit, Mich., they will visit their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Fred M. Rush, and children, and enroute home will visit other relatives in Nashville, Tenn.

Walter N. Decker, 1221 13th Ave., left Monday for his summer home in Middletown, N. Y. He has been coming here for seven years.

Joe Higginson of the Crystal Springs Boys 4-H Club won second place in the District Events Day lamp contest and was awarded a free trip to summer camp. The contests were held Saturday in Dade City, Jim Marsh, club reporter, writes.

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Mother's Day

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## ARTHUR STOOKESBERRY

MR. SPEAKER: Your committee, appointed to prepare a suitable resolution commemorating the life, character and public service of the late Honorable Arthur Stookesberry, begs leave to submit the following memorial:

Arthur Stookesberry was born February 14, 1882, in Davis County, Iowa. He was the son of David and Hannah Watkins Stookesberry.

He was a graduate of the Southern Iowa Normal School of Bloomfield and a graduate of the Chillicothe Business College. He also attended Drake University. He taught 16 years in the public schools of Iowa and Oklahoma, and was an ordained minister of the Christian Church, serving in Iowa and Missouri.

He was elected clerk of the district court of Davis County in 1916 and re-elected in 1918. He served as mayor of Bloomfield for four years and was a justice of the peace for many years. During World War II he was a guard at the Iowa Ordnance Plant at Burlington.

He was a farmer, owning and operating his own farm for several years.

In 1924, Mr. Stookesberry was elected to the General Assembly and served in the Fortieth, Fortieth Extra and Forty-first sessions. He was a Democrat.

His first wife, Jennie Mae, passed away on October 16, 1947. He later married Lucy Ledbetter in 1949.

Mr. Stookesberry died November 1, 1962, at Davis County Hospital, Bloomfield, Iowa. He was 80 years old. Survivors at the time of his death included his widow, Lucy; a foster daughter, Mrs. Bernie Willier of Bloomfield; a foster son, J. Harlan Stookesberry of Richland, Washington; and seven grandchildren.

*Therefore, Be It Resolved by the House of Representatives of the Sixtieth General Assembly of Iowa:* That in the passing of the Honorable Arthur Stookesberry the state has lost an honored citizen and a faithful and useful public servant, and the House 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 House and that the Chief Clerk be directed to forward an enrolled copy to the family of the deceased.

DEWEY E. GOODE,  
DELMONT MOFFITT,  
FLOYD H. MILLEN,  
*Committee.*

## GEORGE L. THOMPSON

MR. SPEAKER: Your committee, appointed to prepare a suitable resolution commemorating the life, character and public service of the late Honorable George L. Thompson, begs leave to submit the following memorial:

George L. Thompson of Lamont, Iowa, was born November, 1891, on a

farm in Buchanan County. He was a graduate of Lamont High School and graduated from Iowa State University at Ames in 1914.

He was head of Dairy Husbandry Department at the University of West Virginia, Morgantown, West Virginia, in 1915.

He served two years in World War I as a Second Lieutenant, Balloon Division, Aviation Section, A.E.F., and was a licensed balloon pilot.

Mr. Thompson was a beef cattle specialist in the Bureau of Animal Industry, Washington, D. C., in 1919.

He married Iva M. Allen, Castalia, Iowa, in 1924, and they had two sons, John I. and Jay D. He was a charter member of the Alpha Gamma Rho social fraternity; a member of Alpha Zeta, honorary agricultural fraternity; a charter member and first commander of Loren Foster Post, American Legion, Lamont, Iowa. He was engaged in the automobile business from 1920 to 1923.

He was engaged in farming and also operated a retail meat and grocery business. He was a member of the allotment committee of the Buchanan County Corn-Hog Central Association in 1934, and also a breeder of purebred Aberdeen Angus cattle.

He served as a member of the Forty-sixth General Assembly of the State of Iowa.

Mr. Thompson passed away May 6, 1962.

Surviving him are his widow, Mrs. Iva Allen Thompson of Zephyrhills, Florida; two sons, John of Hampton, Iowa, and Jay of Perry, Florida, three grandchildren, and one sister, Mrs. Almore Ovel, of Lamont, Iowa.

*Therefore, Be It Resolved by the House of Representatives of the Sixtieth General Assembly of Iowa:* That in the passing of the Honorable George L. Thompson the state has lost an honored citizen and a faithful and useful public servant, and the House 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 House and that the Chief Clerk be directed to forward an enrolled copy to the family of the deceased.

KENNETH L. PARKER,  
MAURICE E. BARINGER,  
JAMES PATTON,  
*Committee.*

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#### THORE THOMPSON

MR. SPEAKER: Your committee, appointed to prepare a suitable resolution commemorating the life, character and public service of the late Honorable Thore Thompson, begs leave to submit the following memorial:

Thore Thompson, son of Thore and Ingoberg Thompson, was born August 23, 1877, in a log cabin at the Thompson homestead near Wadena, Iowa. He received his education in the district school, attended Upper Iowa Uni-

# Individual Record

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**George Levi THOMPSON (AFN: 1C4T-T2C)**  
Sex: M

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## Event(s)

**Birth:** 1 Nov 1891  
Of Lamont, Buchanan, Ia

**Death:** 1962

**Burial:**  
Madison Twp, Buchanan, Ia

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## Parents

**Father:** John D THOMPSON (AFN: K2J2-0M)

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**Mother:** Sarah Amelia COLONEY (AFN: K2KF-08)

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## Submitter(s)

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# Family Group Record

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## Husband's Name

John D THOMPSON (AFN:K2J2-0M)

Pedigree

**Born:** 19 May 1860      **Place:** , Kane, Il  
**Died:** 10 Jan 1929      **Place:** Of Lamont, Buchanan, Ia  
**Buried:**                      **Place:** Madison Twp, Buchanan, Ia  
**Married:** 1 Jan 1891      **Place:** Of Lamont, Buchanan, Ia

**Father:** George Gilmore THOMPSON (AFN:K2J1-P4)

Family

**Mother:** Cynthia SERBAUGH (AFN:K2J1-Q9)

## Wife's Name

Sarah Amelia COLONEY (AFN:K2KF-08)

Pedigree

**Born:** 28 May 1868      **Place:** Near Earlville, Delaware, Ia  
**Died:** 24 Oct 1941      **Place:** Lamont, Buchanan, Ia  
**Buried:**                      **Place:** Madison Twp, Buchanan, Ia  
**Married:** 1 Jan 1891      **Place:** Of Lamont, Buchanan, Ia

**Father:** Levi F COLOMEY (AFN:K2KD-XX)

Family

**Mother:** Mary (AFN:K2KD-Z4)

## Children

### 1. Sex Name

M George L THOMPSON (AFN:K2J2-20)

Pedigree

**Born:** Abt. 1885      **Place:** <Of Lamont, Buchanan, Ia>

### 2. Sex Name

F Mary C THOMPSON (AFN:K2J2-35)

Pedigree

**Born:** Abt. 1887      **Place:** <Of Lamont, Buchanan, Ia>

### 3. Sex Name

F Mary C THOMPSON (AFN:1C4V-74S)

Pedigree

**Born:** 27 Aug 1893      **Place:** Of Lamont, Buchanan, Ia

### 4. Sex Name

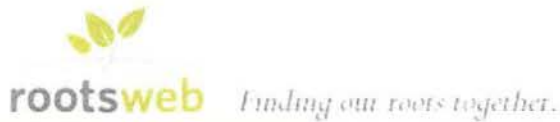
M George Levi THOMPSON (AFN:1C4T-T2C)

Pedigree

**Born:** 1 Nov 1891      **Place:** Of Lamont, Buchanan, Ia  
**Died:** 6 May 1962      **Place:**  
**Buried:**                      **Place:** Madison Twp, Buchanan, Ia

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- **ID:** I7518
- **Name:** George Levi Thompson
- **Sex:** M
- **Birth:** 1 NOV 1891 in Lamont, Buchanan, Iowa <sup>1</sup>
- **Death:** 6 MAY 1962 in Zephyr Hills, Pasco, Florida <sup>2</sup>
- **Burial:** 13 MAY 1965 Lamont, Buchanan, Iowa <sup>2</sup>
- **Occupation:** 1920 worked in auto garage <sup>3</sup>
- **Note:** <sup>4 5 6</sup>

Attended Iowa State taking animal husbandry  
 1910, 1920 living with parents  
 Retired in 1946 and began travelling to Florida

- **Change Date:** 14 NOV 2005

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**Father:** [John Stephen Douglas Thompson](#) b: 19 MAY 1860 in Kane, Illinois

**Mother:** [Sarah Amelia \(Sadie\) Colomey](#) b: 28 MAY 1868 in Near Earlville, Delaware, Iowa

**Marriage 1** [Iva May Allen](#) b: 8 NOV 1897 in Castalia, Iowa

- **Married:** 12 APR 1924 in Waterloo, Black Hawk, Iowa <sup>2</sup>

**Children**

1. [Living Thompson](#)
2. [Living Thompson](#)

**Sources:**

1. Text: WWI draft registration
2. Text:  
<http://www.gencircles.com/users/jaydthompson/1/data/15>
3. Text: 1920 US Federal Census
4. Text: History of Buchanan County, Iowa, and its people, Chappell, Harry Church, b. 1870, Chappell, Katharyn Joella, S.J. Clarke Pub. Co. , Chicago, Illinois, 1914
5. Text: 1910 US Federal Census
6. Text: Email from Jay Thompson Feb 29, 2004

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### World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918

Name:	<b>George Levi Thompson</b>
County:	<b>Buchanan</b>
State:	<b>Iowa</b>
Birthplace:	<b>Iowa;United States of America</b>
Birth Date:	<b>1 Nov 1891</b>
Race:	<b>Caucasian (White)</b>
FHI, Roll Number:	<b>1642912</b>
Draft Board:	<b>0</b>
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