## Standard Form For Members of the Legislature

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# obituaries

# W. J. Breakenridge buried on Monday

Funeral services for William John Breakenridge, 90, a former Dinsdale resident, were held Monday morning, June 20, at Amity United Presbyterian Church with Rev. Bruce Giese officiating. Burial was made in Buckingham Cemetery near Traer with French-Hand Funeral Home of Reinbeck in charge of arrangements.

Mr. Breakenridge died Friday morning, June 17, 1983, at Allen Memorial Hospital in Waterloo.

He was born October 3, 1892, in Wright County, lowa, a son of John and Ella Dinsdale Breakenridge. Graduated from Traer High School with the class of 1911 and from lowa State University at Ames with the class of 1915. While at Iowa State, W. J. was one of the founders of the Eta Chapter of the Alpha-Gamma Rho Fraternity.

On October 20, 1915, he married S. Edith McMillan and the couple moved to Cherokee County where he served as County Agent for a year. He served as President of the Tama County Farm Bureau in 1917, President of the Palo Alto County Farm Bureau from 1921 to 1925, farmed near Cylinder, Iowa for 10 years and was a member of the Cylinder School Board, the Cooperative Elevator

Board at Cylinder and served on the Iowa State Bank Board.

In 1925 he was elected Iowa State Senator for the 41st and 42nd General Assembly, representing the 47th dis-

Following the death of his parents, he and his wife. Edith, and family moved back to the family farm in the Dinsdale community where he engaged in general farming and the livestock business. He served on the Production Credit Association Board of Cedar Rapids and was a member of the Lincoln Savings Bank Board of Directors for 32 years.

W. J. was a member of Amity United Presbyterian Church, a 50-year member of Hesperia Masonic Lodge No. 340 at Traer. He and his wife moved to Reinbeck in 1978, and since April of this year, he has been a resident of Parkview Manor in Reinbeck

He was preceded in death by his parents, two brothers, two sisters, two sons: H. Wallace, killed in World War II in 1945 on the Island of Iwo Jima and J. Maxwell in 1978; one daughter, Doris Mae, only 15 months old in 1923, one grandson, William Ralph Breakenridge in 1976.

Survivors include his wife, S. Edith of Reinbeck: one son, W. Warren of Dinsdale: one daughter, Mrs. James (Lois) Gallagher of Anaheim, Calif.: 17 grandchildren and 22 great-grandchildren.

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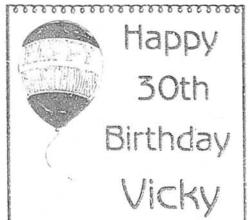
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He was born in Col May 9, 1909, a son of J Meester. After attend Bluffs School for the D he remained on the f moving to Grundy Cet married Bernita Ward at Calvary Lutheran Chi in St. Paul, Minn.

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Survivors include hi four brothers, William / Thomas F. of rural He Grundy Center, and Ca

Father's Day dinner i Mehlert home were M Seaboldt and family of Frier was also a guest.





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