

Standard Form For Members of the Legislature

Name of Representative Doolittle, Clyde Heath Senator \_\_\_\_\_  
Represented Adair County, Iowa

1. Birthday and place 1 Mar 1894 Delhi, Iowa

2. Marriage (s) date place  
① Ruth Emery 1 Sept 1917 Des Moines, Iowa  
② Mary Hays 17 Aug 1939 Delhi, Iowa

3. Significant events for example:

A. Business Retired as senior vice-president of the Iowa-Des Moines National Bank in 1959; president of Green Bay Lumber Company retiring in 1965

B. Civic responsibilities Mason; Knights of Pythias

C. Profession Attorney; Banker

4. Church membership Unitarian

5. Sessions served 39<sup>th</sup>, 40<sup>th</sup> General Assembly 1921, 1923

6. Public Offices

A. Local \_\_\_\_\_

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

C. National Appointed by President Eisenhower to the Advisory Board of the National Civil War Centennial Commission

7. Death 24 Nov 1973 Des Moines, Iowa; buried Evergreen Cemetery, Delhi, Iowa

8. Children Clyde, Jr.; Janet (Mrs. Nye); Paul Bridwell (step-son)  
Ruth Thomson (step-daughter)

9. Names of parents Wes Emery and Jessie (Holt) Doolittle

Doolittle, Clyde H.

10. Education He was educated in the Delhi Iowa schools  
graduating in 1908; attended Lenox College Academy  
Hykinton, Iowa, graduating in 1910

11. Degrees Received undergraduate and law degrees from the  
University of Iowa, Iowa City, Iowa, 1921, BA and LLB degrees;  
attended University of College 1920

12. Other applicable information Republican

- Military service - World War I - Captain of the Rainbow Division  
Company E, 168<sup>th</sup> Infantry, he was wounded in July 1918 in  
the Champagne defensive, promoted to Captain, mustered out  
in 2 June 1919 after 19 months of service in France and seven  
major operations
- His first wife, Ruth, died 1935

Sources Log For Legislation Entries

Applicability

Source	Non Applicable	Applicable	Information obtained
- <u>Obituary</u> -			<u>The Manchester Press and Democrat Radio</u> <u>Manchester, Iowa, Wed. Dec. 5, 1973, p. 2, col. 1, 2</u>
- <u>Iowa Official Register 1923-1924</u> ,			<u>p. 282</u>
- <u>Iowa Press Association of Mts. H. in Iowa 1940</u> ,			<u>p. 977</u>

## Manternach Infant

Gerald John, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Manternach of Route 1, Manchester, passed away shortly after birth Friday morning at the Delaware County Memorial hospital.

Funeral services were held at the Shelly funeral home Friday at 4 p.m. with the Rev. Justin Kress officiating. Interment was made in St. Mary's cemetery with Father Kress saying graveside prayers.

Surviving are the parents; four sisters, Barbara, Ann, Sara and Cindy and two brothers, Chris and Dale, all at home and his maternal grandfather, John Knipper of Dyersville.

## Clyde H. Doolittle

Funeral services for Clyde H. Doolittle, 79, of Des Moines, who died Saturday, Nov. 26, at his home were held Tuesday, Nov. 29, at Dunn's funeral home in Des Moines. The body was cremated and committal services were held at Evergreen Cemetery at Delhi Wednesday, Nov. 28. He was a former Delaware county resident.

Mr. Doolittle was born at Delhi and received undergraduate and law degrees from the University of Iowa. He retired as a senior vice-president of the Iowa-Des Moines National Bank in 1959 and became president of Green Bay Lumber company. He retired from that position in 1965.

He had been appointed by the late President Dwight Eisenhower to the Advisory Board of the National Civil War Centennial Commission.

Mr. Doolittle was a director of the Iowa-Des Moines National Bank, a former president of the Iowa Corporate Fiduciaries association and of the Des Moines Estate Planning Council, a former secretary of the Iowa Bar association, a member of the trust executive committee of the American Bankers association and a trustee and past president of the Hawley Welfare Foundation. He was captain of the

## Justin Harrington

Funeral serves for Justin D. Harrington, 56, Ryan farmer who passed away at his farm home Monday afternoon, Nov. 26, were held Thursday morning in St. Patrick's church where a concelebrated mass was offered at 10 o'clock.

Concelebrants of the funeral mass were the Rev. Matthew Beelner and the Rev. Donald Sweeney, pastor of St. John's church at Independence and a former pastor of St. Patrick's church at Ryan. The homily was given by Father Beelner.

Present in the sanctuary were the Rev. M. J. O'Sullivan of Masonville, the Rev. Fidellus Kaufmann and the Rt. Rev. Msgr. Luke Striegel, both of St. Raphael Villa, Dubuque. Interment was made in Calvary cemetery at Ryan where Father Beelner read the graveside prayers. He was assisted by Fathers O'Sullivan, Sweeney, Kaufmann and Msgr. Striegel.

The honorary escort was made up of members of St. Patrick's Court Order of Foresters No. 856.

The Sisters of the Presentation Order from Mt. Loretta convent in Dubuque conducted the Office For The Dead at 8 p.m. Tuesday.

The Catholic Order of Forester

Mrs. Besler is survived by daughter, Mrs. Leander Becker of Dyersville; Frank Besler of Farley J. Besler of Hopkinton grandchildren and twenty-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband and three brothers and one sister.

## Miss Zita Reinert

Miss Zita Reinert, 75, died Saturday after she was struck by an auto in Dubuque.

Funeral services were held at 10 a.m. Tuesday in St. Peter and Paul's church in Dubuque. Burial was in St. Peter and Paul's at Sherrill. The Behr funeral home was in charge of arrangements.

Miss Reinert was born in Iowa and was a member of the Ghost Rosary society and the Order of St. Francis.

Surviving are four sisters: Mary Lucine, F.S.P.A., at West Bend, Martha Greeley, Sister Mary S.S.N.D., presently at Mount St. Francis, Mo., and Frances Reinert, Dubuque, and two brothers: R. Reinert of Dubuque and L. Reinert of Petersburg.

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## Deaths of the Week

### LeRoy E. Hansel

LeRoy E. Hansel, 67, resident at 209 E. Marion street, Manchester, the past six years, died Friday afternoon in St. Luke's hospital in Cedar Rapids following a brief illness.

Funeral services were held at 1:30 p.m. Monday in the Bohnenkamp funeral home, with the Rev. Gary Keast officiating. Burial was made in the Hansel cemetery at Garber.

The son of Japen and Dora Feidt Hansel, he was born April 16, 1906, at Garber. He received his education at the Studebaker school in Clayton county and was married Nov. 25, 1933, at Galena, Ill., to Bea Jennie Mangold.

They farmed for 23 years in Clayton county and he had worked as a carpenter for the past 15 years in Linn and Delaware county.

Mr. Hansel is survived by his wife; three daughters, Mrs. Ivan (Phyllis) Freitag and Mrs. Roger (Diane) Breitsprecher, both of Elkaeder and Mrs. Richard (Sheryl) Harmon of Tuscon, Ariz.; one son Paul D. Hansel of Center Point; eight grandchildren; four sisters, Mrs. Clare King of Sonoma, Calif., Mrs. Robert (Ruth) Hatfield and Mrs. Roger (Beth) Fuller, both of Manchester and Mrs. Thomas (Mary) Cross of Cecil, Pa., and three brothers,

Rainbow Division in World War I and served as a representative from Delaware county to the Iowa legislature.

He is survived by his wife, Mary; a son, Clyde Jr. of Des Moines; a daughter, Janet Nye of Casper, Wyo.; a step-son, Paul Bridwell of Pittsburgh, Pa; a step-daughter, Ruth Thomson of Woodbridge, Va.; two sisters, Mrs. Mary Maxfield and Theodosia Doolittle of Manchester, and nine grandchildren.

### Francis J. Funk

EDGEWOOD: Francis Joseph Funk 90, son of Joseph and Mary Putz Funk was born Aug. 27, 1883 at Edgewood. He passed away Monday, Nov. 28, at the Edgewood Convalescent home.

He was united in marriage with Susan Kline at Faith, S. D., where they resided until her death in 1918. He spent the remainder of his life in Edgewood and was a longtime employee of the Hatch Produce company.

He was preceded in death by two sisters, two brothers and two infant grandsons.

Survivors are two daughters, Mrs. John (Margaret) Walker of Des Moines and Mrs. Floyd (Victoria) Smith of Edgewood; one son, Joseph of Cedar Rapids; 10 grandchildren; three brothers, Alfred of Manchester, Ralph and Walter both of Edgewood, one sister, Sister Mary Agnes Funk of LaCrosse, Wis.

Rosary was held at 8 p.m. Thursday at Appleton. Services were held at St. Mark's church in Edgewood Friday, Nov. 30, by the Rev. Albert Nege. Graveside services were held

PETERSBURG: Miss J Ollendick, 88, formerly of Petersburg, died Friday morning at Good Neighbor Home in Peter.

Funeral services were held at Peter and Paul church at 10:30 a.m. Monday with the Rev. Rey worth officiating. Burial was in the church cemetery. The prayer was recited at the McBride home at 8 p.m. Sunday.

Miss Ollendick was born in Petersburg April 18, 1885, the daughter of Bernard and Catherine Ollendick. She resided at Petersburg until about 12 years ago when she moved to the home at Peter.

Surviving are two sisters, Theresa Demmer of Dyer; Mrs. John J. (Elizabeth) Seaman of Petersburg. She was in death by her parents' brother.

### Mrs. Jennie Schaff

Mrs. Jennie Schaffhauser of Dubuque, former Delaware resident, died Sunday afternoon at a Manor in Dubuque. She was the widow of George J. Schaffhauser who died in 1957.

Mrs. Schaffhauser was born in Masonville and was one of the surviving widows of Spanish American War veterans.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Donald F. (Vera) Wunderlich of Dubuque and Mrs. Persis I. Galena, Ill.; two grandchildren, two great-grandchildren, and two sisters, Mrs. Mary Reed and Evelyn Kruessel, both of Dubuque.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Tuesday in the Egel home in Dubuque. Burial was in Linwood cemetery in Dubuque.

### Mrs. Margaret Be

Mrs. Margaret Besle Worthington died Monday afternoon in Mercy Medical Center.

Funeral services will be held at 10:30 a.m. Thursday in the Catholic church in Worthington with the Rev. Donald Peters officiating. The Reiff funeral home was in charge of arrangements. She was born at Monticello, Ill., May 5, 1889, the daughter of J. Elizabeth Kiser Gudenkauf