

Standard Form For Members of the Legislature

Name of Representative Calbertson, William Benjamin Senator _____
Represented Ia. Marion County, Iowa

1. Birthday and place _____ Jefferson County Iowa

2. Marriage (s) date place _____

3. Significant events for example:

A. Business He was admitted to the bar in 1857

B. Civic responsibilities _____

C. Profession Lawyer

4. Church membership _____

5. Sessions served 20th, 21st General Assemblies 1884, 1886

6. Public Offices

A. Local _____

B. State _____

C. National _____

7. Death Coalington, Iowa

8. Children _____

9. Names of parents John H. Calbertson

Culbertson, William B.

10. Education He was educated in schools in Fairfield, Iowa
and at Howe's Academy at Mount Pleasant, Iowa

11. Degrees He was a graduate of the Yale College Law Department

12. Other applicable information Democrat

- He was raised on his father's farm in Jefferson County, Iowa
- He studied law with Charles Negus and then became his partner
in the firm of Negus and Culbertson
- He practiced law for many years in Fairfield, Iowa
- He later moved to Burlington, Iowa and practiced law there.
- His father, John H. Culbertson, was a Territorial Legislator for 2 years
and a large landowner of Jefferson County, Iowa

