

Standard Form For Members of the Legislature

Name of Representative **KLINE, WILLIAM W. (W. W.)** Senator _____

Represented Keokuk County, Iowa

1. Birthday and place 1837, Pennsylvania

2. Marriage (s) date place

Margaret Ann Stoner, 2 July 1863, Keokuk Co., Iowa

3. Significant events for example:

A. Business lawyer, farmer

B. Civic responsibilities

C. Profession

4. Church membership possibly Brethren

5. Sessions served 21st GA, 1886, Keokuk Co.

6. Public Offices

A. Local

B. State

C. National

7. Death

8. Children (1) Charles W. (c. 1868 -) (2) Kline (c. 1870); (3) Effie; (4) Mertie; ~~(4) Mertie~~ (5) Price; (6) Capitolia ("Cappie) (Feb. 1876-18 April 1877)

9. Names of parents

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10. Education Received weducation in common schools in Pennsylvania & Ohio

11. Degrees _____

12. Other applicable information_____

Moved from Pennsylvania to Ohio with parents, when he was 11. Came to Linn Co., Iowa, 1857, then shortly after that moved to Washington Co, Iowa, where he taught school in winter and farmed; mvoed to Keokuk County in 1863 whee he had a 102 acre farm.

In 1858 he began studying law while farming; became practicing attorney in Keokuk County 1870 and continued farming.

1870 census shows him with wife and 2 children including a baby "Kline". Burial records for Brethren Cemetery Liberty Township show burial of "Cappie". He is not in 1860 Census Index, nor in 1880 or 1900 Soundexes.

Indexes to Keokuk County deeds show he and wife gave quit-claim deed to half-interest in 80 acre tract to Emanuel Stoner (possibly relative of wife), 27 May 1876. Book 5. Book 9- shows a deed by WW & wf to Peter B. brown, 3 January 1891, for the 102 acre tract. This is in book 19-595 (not in microfilm in Des Moines Library).

Sources Log For Legislation Entries

Applicability

Source	Non Applicable	Applicable	Information obtained
Stork/Clingan, Legislators		x	sessions served
History of Keokuk County 1880 p 774		x	bio
WPA Keokuk Co	x		
Keokuk Co Cems 1-6		x	lists Cappie
Bio Dictionary 1878	x		
1870 Census Keokuk Co.		x	WW, wf, 2 ch
1880 and 1900 Soundex	x		
1860 Census Index Ia	x		
Index Keokuk Co Deeds 5		x	quit claim possibly to wf/s relative
Index Keokuk Co Deeds 9		x	deed of 102 acre tract