

CHARLES E. CAMPBELL, lawyer and insurance executive, died at West Des Moines, Iowa, January 4, 1947; born at Newton, Iowa, July 10, 1860; graduated from the law school of the State University of Iowa in 1886 and began the practice of law in Des Moines; became interested in the fire insurance business and controlled the Capital Insurance company, Des Moines, for many years until 1913, when it was reinsured by the Great American Insurance company, and he continued as local manager for the latter company in Des Moines until 1924; active in municipal affairs and served as a member of the board of public works; removed to California in 1926 and returned to Des Moines in August, 1946, since which time he had been in declining health; a member of Plymouth Congregational church and is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Morton Holliday of Des Moines, and Mrs. Frank Kranner of Lakeport, Cal., two sisters, Mrs. J. M. Galusha, of Des Moines, and Mrs. Morton Macartney, of Arlington, Va.; a brother, Everett K. Campbell, of Kansas City, Mo., and six grandchildren.

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FRANK GILMAN PIERCE, organizer and for 47 years the secretary of the Iowa League of Municipalities, died at Marshalltown, Iowa, January 23, 1947; born at Earlville, Iowa, December 7, 1868, the son of William Pierce and Martha Jane Moore, the family moving to Marshalltown two years later, where he lived continuously until his death; graduated from the Marshalltown high school in 1886; taught rural school and later entered the State University of Iowa, graduating in 1892; became mayor of Marshalltown in 1895; married Nellie Loree of Marshalltown in 1899 who survives him; active in municipal affairs and state political movements all his life; engaged in a local insurance agency and as an officer of the League of Municipalities established its official publication which he edited; a man of positive and unyielding characteristics and refused to surrender his office when defeated at a recent annual meeting of the state organization, but finally lost the contest in the courts; a member of the Congregational church, the Masons, Elks, Knights of Pythias, Redmen and the Rotary club.

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HAROLD E. FELTON, legislator and businessman, died at Des Moines, Iowa, December 7, 1946; born in New Virginia, Warren county, Iowa, November 11, 1890; the son of Z. T. and Sara Felton; educated in the New Virginia schools; married Velda Frederick of New Virginia, March 24, 1913; engaged in grain and feed manufacturing business at Indianola; chairman Warren county Republican committee ten years; member of Iowa state Republican committee from seventh district in 1930; served as a member of the Iowa Board of Control of state institutions from 1931 to 1939; a member of the Iowa House of Representatives from 1941 to 1946

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