fine law library and also a splendid literary library, as he was a lover of literature, science, history, and music.

LEE NAGLE was born in Milton, Iowa, June 14, 1870, and died in Iowa City, Iowa, September 11, 1942. His parents were William Volney and Elsie Creath Nagle. He graduated from the Milton high school in 1890. Mr. Nagle entered the lumber business with his father at Milton and was with the company from 1890 to 1897. Cashier of the Farmers and Merchants bank at Milton, 1902, when he moved to Red Oak, where he operated the Nagle Lumber Company with his father until 1905. During World War I, he served as fuel administrator for Montgomery County. He began ownership and operation of the Nagle Lumber Company at Iowa City in 1922, in which business he was associated with his two sons. In 1931, he was owner and operator of the Nagle-Eaton Lumber Company at Cedar Rapids. Mr. Nagle represented Johnson County in the state legislature from 1927 to 1929 and was a member of the house of representatives from Van Buren County in 1902; was president of the First Capital National Bank until January 1, 1942. He strongly advocated good government and participated in such activities. He served for several years as treasurer of the Johnson County Republican central committee and held that position at the time of his death.

WILLBUR AARON REASER was born in Antwerp, Ohio, December 25, 1860; died in Minneapolis, Minnesota, December 9, 1942. He was the son of John Thompson Reaser and Mary Willbur; educated in the high school at Fort Dodge, Iowa, and in Le Grande (Ia.) college; as an artist studied in Paris, London, and elsewhere in Europe; married Cora Conlee at Fort Dodge, Iowa, in 1887. He opened a studio in New York and became popular there and in Washington as a painter of portraits. He had retired some years before his death which occurred at the home of his daughter, Mrs. T. C. Roberts, in Minneapolis. Surviving him, also, was a son, Robert A. Reaser, of New York, and a brother, George W. Reaser of Los Angeles.

ARTHUR REYNOLDS was born in Panora, Iowa, March 10, 1868, and died in San Mateo, California, January 1, 1943. Mr. Reynolds began a notable banking career in 1889 after spending a year at Grinnell college. His first job was assistant cashier of the Guthrie County National Bank, Panora. In 1893, he was named cashier of the bank, and two years later he accepted a position as cashier of the Des Moines National Bank, later merged with the Iowa National Bank. He was president of the Des Moines National Bank 18 years. In 1915, Mr. Reynolds was called to Chicago as first vice president of the Continental and Commercial Bank. In 1921 he was elected president of the bank to succeed his brother, the late George M. Reynolds, who had been named chairman of the board. He continued to head the bank through two mergers, and in 1929, the bank, then known as the Continental Illinois Company, had deposits in excess of one billion dollars. Reynolds was with the institution until he resigned to take a San Francisco banking post. He had gone to the Pacific coast in 1933 as vice president and executive officer of the Bank of America National Trust and Savings association, founded by A. P. Giannini at San Francisco. Mr. Reynolds retired three years ago.

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