J. G. Shifflett

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His association was a member of the American, Iowa State and District Bar associations, the Grinnell Country Club, the Order of the Eastern Star, of which he was a past patron, the Elks Lodge, Masonic Lodge, Scottish Rite Masons, York Rite of which he was past high priest, and Zio-Ga-Zig Shrine. He had served the Congregational Church also as a member of its board of trustees, of which he was a past president.

Loved Out of Doors

Mr. Shifflett had a healthy love of the outdoors. He was an enthusiastic follower of college and high school athletic teams and seldom missed a home game when it was possible for him to attend. He had extended his interest also to the University of Oklahoma football team, of which his son-in-law, "Bud" Wilkinson, is the successful coach. His great outdoor hobby was fishing and he made regular summer trips to the Minnesota Lakes where he found health and recreation.

As a Lawyer

As a lawyer Mr. Shifflett exemplified the term "counselor at law" in its best sense. He was not essentially a trial lawyer, but instead an advisor, counselor, and guide. People trusted him and served at his discretion, discreet, and friendly, and he handled important matters with faultless technique and capability.

A true gentleman, an ancient sportsman, a lawyer of exceptional parts, his memory will long be green in the community, where he lived and worked and of which he had made himself an integral part.