

Standard Form For Members of the Legislature

Name of Representative Thompson, Hugh Mair Senator _____

Represents Scott County, Iowa

1. Birthday and place 4 July 1811 Duffield, Dumfriesshire, Scotland

2. Marriage (s) date place

Jane Alice Robertson 4 July 1833 Anna, Dumfriesshire, Scotland

3. Significant events for example:

A. Business After the Iowa State Agricultural College was established (now Iowa State University, Ames, Iowa) he was appointed superintendent of the farm 4 years

B. Civic responsibilities _____

C. Profession Farmer

4. Church membership _____

5. Sessions served 10th, 11th General Assemblies 1864, 1866

6. Public Offices

A. Local Scott County supervisor for several years; township school director 15-20 years

B. State He was a delegate to the Iowa Republican Conventions many times

C. National _____

7. Death 1 March 1887 Long Grove, Iowa; buried Long Grove Cemetery, Long Grove, Iowa

8. Children Mark; Jane; John R.; Elizabeth; Agnes B.; Isaac Andrew L.;
Hughina B.; Hugh W.; James B.

9. Names of parents Rhodes and Sarah Elizabeth (Lickerby) Thompson

10. Education _____

11. Degrees _____

12. Other applicable information _____ *Republican*

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on a farm in Winfield Township, the same farm where he died.*

A MANAGER'S VIEW.

General Superintendent Boyce Tells That the C. E. I. & P. Must Do Under the Inter-State Law—The Printing and the Extra Employees—Davenport's Luck with the Shops.

The additional work the inter-state commerce bill will impose on such a railroad as the C. E. I. & P., is pretty clearly set forth by General Superintendent Boyce. He opened his talk with Leader's reporter by the remark that the bill will have the consoling effect to take off all the newspaper men, but as to real interest and meaning he could not be expected to elucidate, when its author Senator Oullom was unable to comply with this request when asked to do so. It will, without doubt, necessitate an entire revision of tariff, both passenger and freight on every railway in the country. The law requires the light tariff from every station to every other station on any line and its contents to be printed and posted at each and every station. There is not enough small place in the United States to print the revision of rates contemplated. It is simply impossible, and cannot be complied with by the railways as they ever so much inclined to do.

The law appropriates \$100,000 for the purpose of carrying its provisions into effect, a sum totally inadequate for the purpose intended. The commission will require the services of at least 500 clerks, who, if competent, cannot be secured for less than 1,000 each. This will involve an outlay of \$500,000 in addition to the salaries of the commissioners and the expense incident to carrying the law into effect. In the auditor's office of the C. E. I. & P. at Chicago we utilize the services of over one hundred clerks, and some of them enjoy sinecure, but all perform hard work. If the business of the company alone involves this degree of labor, it appears reasonable to suppose that the national railway commissioner, as it will, the business of every railway system of the country in large measure, will find it incumbent to employ at least five hundred clerks. Then, again, the law directs that the revised tariffs shall be published in book form and submitted to the commission for its information. A volume of this character printed in the most condensed

DEATH'S CALL.

Men. Hugh M. Thompson Dead—Sketch of the Life of the Vigorous and Influential Scotchman—His Public Career and Standing—Moving News for Many Residents.

A citizen died at Long Grove, very suddenly, from paralysis of the brain, at 2 o'clock this afternoon, who was for many years one of the prominent men in Scott county—and one of the best known men in the state for some time in the 60's and early 70's. He was HUGH M. THOMPSON.

At the announcement of his death memories will rise of stirring incidents in the political history of the county.

Mr. Thompson was born in Scotland in 1812. He came to Scott county in 1844, and settled, with his wife, on the farm in Winfield township on which he died. He possessed the sturdy independence, the brightness and firmness so characteristic of the real Scotchman, and from the time he came here to the day he was prostrated by disease, his opinions and views were very much respected. He was a representative from Scott in the 10th and 11th General Assemblies. He was county supervisor for several years. After the establishment of the state agricultural college, he was appointed superintendent of the farm, a position he held four years. In the early days he served in the township office constantly, and was school director fifteen to twenty years. He was very influential in the republican councils of the county and state, and was delegate to the party's state convention many times. He was honest and honorable—a man of strong convictions who could be rarely induced to change his mind after he had reached a conclusion.

With the wife, three daughters and five sons survive—Mrs. Galvia Lang, of Brooklyn, Iowa; Mrs. Herman A. Ficke, of Whetland; Mrs. James Neal, at the homestead; M. L., John B. and A. L. Thompson at Earlham, and Hugh and James R. at home.

The funeral will take place next Thursday forenoon at 10 o'clock, from the family residence in Long Grove.

"How old are you," said an ancient dame to a spinning little tot. "Well, if I goes by what mudder says, I is most ten, but if I goes by de fun I'ee

THE WAY OF LIFE.

That in Scott County as Exhibited by the Official Returns—A Rather Remarkable Month in Nature's Process.

Physicians and midwives are observing the law providing for vital and mortality returns, better. In the month of February, the returns show, eighty-one children were born in the city and county—but it is probable that at least twenty others were born, who will be reported next month some time. Here is the list as copied from the record:

- BIRTHS.**
- Mr. and Mrs. Wm. R. Little, city, boy.
 - Chas. H. Gould, city, boy.
 - Jno. T. Quinn, city, boy.
 - Frits Bormick, Buffalo township, boy.
 - A. T. B. Vinall, city, boy.
 - John A. Freund, Pleasant Valley township, girl.
 - B. Lage, city, boy.
 - Geo. Hansen, Davenport township, girl.
 - Emil Fick, city, girl.
 - Wm. Weiss, city, boy.
 - Chr. Droska, city, boy.
 - Fr. V. Ko-pke, city, boy.
 - Chr. Thiessen, Davenport township, boy.
 - H. C. Boutag, city, boy.
 - Albert Wayles, city, girl.
 - Frits Nickels, city, boy.
 - Carl Lange, city, boy.
 - J. N. H. W. Bandan, city, boy.
 - P. N. Brakma, city, boy.
 - John C. Schlicher, city, girl.
 - Wm. Bueck, Davenport township, girl.
 - Car. H. Westphal, city, girl.
 - M. M. Guntz, city, boy.
 - Robert E. Whita, LeClaire township, girl.
 - S. Palmer, LeClaire twp., boy.
 - Geo. J. Holtz, Princeton township, girl.
 - B. B. Dada, Pleasant Valley township, girl.
 - Louis Runge, Jr., boy.
 - W. Flocks, boy.
 - Michael Moore, city, girl.
 - Aug. Meier, city, boy.
 - T. E. Boyde, city, boy.
 - K. Murr, city, boy.
 - Ed. J. Fischer, city, girl.
 - Andrew Winfield, Davenport twp., girl.
 - E. Hugo Schmidt, city, boy.
 - John Falk, Pleasant Valley twp., boy.
 - Elisha Osborn, city, boy.
 - Carson Holt, city, boy.
 - A. J. Murr, Buffalo, girl.
 - Chas. Schardien, Buffalo, girl.
 - D. Thomas Jr., Buffalo, boy.
 - Frank Winfield, Buffalo, girl.
 - Jas. Mosier, Buffalo, boy.
 - Anna Ott, city, girl.
 - W. W. Colby, Pleasant Valley, girl.
 - Jno. M. Zimmerman, Princeton twp., girl.
 - C. A. Ficke, city, girl.
 - Alfred D. Flue, city, boy.
 - Thomas Gillam, city, boy.
 - August Gunther, Blue Grass twp., boy.
 - John Jens, city, girl.
 - J. C. Landt, city, girl.
 - John Petersen, Sheridan township, boy.
 - Hans Ewoldt, Lincoln twp., boy.
 - Wm. Cook, Sheridan twp., boy.
 - Gus. Postal, Winfield twp., boy.
 - H. G. Haas, Winfield twp., girl.
 - Martia, Butler twp., boy.
 - John Schnoor, city, boy.
 - Hy. Nagel, city, boy.
 - Max Lafrans, city, girl.
 - Chas. Budorn, city, girl.
 - John Schaefer, Davenport township, boy.
 - Herman Willert, Davenport

FABLE.
The venerable wife of Richard H. in Davenport fort o'clock this morn but five days' duration was pleurisy. Mrs. Houghton, cashire, England Richard Houghton after they had at They remained in husband garden until 1845, when America, and Their home has above Eleventh years. Mrs. H very kind heart-impulses, who per others. Her child useful lives, and stay. Four some mourn, with their dear mother place to-morrow (at 2 o'clock from 1111 Ripley street to attend.

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MISSIONARY LECTURE.

announcement that Miss Mary G.
of Chicago, secretary of the
Baptist Home Missionary so-
the west, would speak at the Cal-
tist church last evening drew an
and numerous congregation at
e of worship. The lady's kin-
is noted journalist of the Bur-
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manner made her address of an
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Burdette came in the interest
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of the city were represented in
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THE ANGEL OF DEATH.

**Death of Mrs. Margaret Houghton
and of Mr. Hugh Thompson—Short
sketches of each.**

With the first day of the month of
March the spirits of two old residents of
Scott county answer to the call of the
angel of death and leave this world of
suffering and care. The oldest of these
was:

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HOUGHTON.

The other was Mrs. Margaret Hough-
ton whose spirit took its flight at 7 o'clock
yesterday morning. Mrs. Houghton was
born in Lancashire, England, in 1814

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Individual Record

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Hugh Mair Thompson Compact Disc #141 Pin #632396 Pedigree
Sex: M

Event(s)

Birth: Jul 1811

Dykehead, Dumfrishire, Scotland

Christening: 4 Jul 1811

Kirkpatrick Fleming, Dumpfrishire, Scotland

Death: 1 Mar 1887

Long Grove, Scott, Iowa

Burial: 3 Mar 1887

Long Grove, Scott, Iowa

Parents

Father: [Isaac Thomson](#) Disc #141 Pin #632542

Mother: [Sarah Elizabeth Lockerby](#) Disc #141 Pin #632543

Marriage(s)

Spouse: [Jane Alice Robertson](#) Disc #141 Pin #632397

Marriage: 4 Jul 1833

Auna, Dumpfishire, Scotland

Notes and Sources

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IOWA CLOSE-UP

Long Grove in Scott County

Population: 605

Founded: 1838

How it was named: A narrow strip of timber stretched several miles through the area.

Top employer: Alan Shepard Elementary School

Claims to fame: Strawberry Festival each June. The

Alexander

Browlie

House, a

two-story

sod home

built in

1838, is on the National

Register of Historic Places.

Buffalo Bill Cody's oldest

brother is buried in the Long

Grove Christian Church's

cemetery.



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