

Standard Form For Members of the Legislature

Name of Representative Skellin, James A. Senator \_\_\_\_\_

Represented Bremer County, Iowa

1. Birthday and place 26 Feb 1832 Cherry Valley, Otsego County, New York

2. Marriage (s) date place

Lucinda Adams 2 Oct 1862 Greene, Chenango County, New York

3. Significant events for example:

A. Business He was president of the Norwich Savings Bank 6 years before his death.

B. Civic responsibilities \_\_\_\_\_

C. Profession Farmer; bank president

4. Church membership Methodist

5. Sessions served 14<sup>th</sup> General Assembly 1872

6. Public Offices

A. Local \_\_\_\_\_

B. State \_\_\_\_\_

C. National \_\_\_\_\_

7. Death 7 Nov 1912 Norwich, Iowa; buried Harlington Cemetery, Norwich, Iowa

8. Children Mary Ellen (born 15 July 1863; died 6 Aug 1865); Grace Ann (Miss A. A. Long)

9. Names of parents Hugh and Grace (Mapwell) Skellin

10. Education

11. Degrees

12. Other applicable information

*Democrat*

- At age 4 years he moved with his parents to Green, Chenango County, New York where they lived until 1856.
- In fall 1856 he moved to Bremer County, Iowa and in 1858 he returned to New York
- Immediately after their marriage they came to Iowa <sup>until 1862</sup> settling on a farm he purchased near Tripoli, Iowa. They lived there for over 30 years until his wife, Lucinda, died on 12 May 1892.
- Two years later he moved into Hawley where he lived until his death.



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Obituary.

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To Establish A County Farm Bureau.

C. J. Brooks, division passenger agent of the C. G. W. Ry., with headquarters at Fort Dodge, was in Waverly Tuesday and met a number of Bremer county people at the State Bank, the object of his visit being to call attention to the purposes of the Crop Improvement Committee. This committee will pay \$1,000 into the local fund of any county which organizes a County Farm Bureau either in connection with a commercial club or independently, and raises at least \$1,000 locally from individuals outside of governmental and taxation sources.

Hon. Willett M. Hays, assistant secretary of agriculture, is at the head of the editorial committee of this movement, and the membership of the committee includes generally the agronomists or superintendents of extension of the state agricultural colleges of each of the states. The office of Farm Management, United States Government, assures us that they will pay one-half of the salary of the county advisor beginning the second year, but before taking this for granted it is suggested that it would be well to have the Bureau of Plant Industry, Washington D. C., in writing to this effect.

The object of the movement is to establish a farm bureau in each county, the people of which show a disposition to appreciate the effort and who will organize to help themselves. The plan upon which the authorities have agreed is the county farm bureau in charge of an agriculturist of business tact and judgment who shall be selected by or satisfactory to the extension department of the agricultural college of the state or to the office of farm management, United States department of agriculture.

The duties of the county agriculturist shall consist in general as advisor to any farmer in the county requiring his services; organizing farmers clubs, conducting corn clubs and other agricultural contests, to arrange for exhibitions of agricultural products, to give practical demonstrations and instruction in crop rotation, soil building, farm management, live stock, dairying, horticultural work, etc., in various parts of the county under ordinary conditions; to cooperate with the county and city schools in teaching the rudiments of agriculture.

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his death. He was a man who took  
much interest in the affairs of  
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beyond the years usually allotted to  
men. He will be greatly missed,  
especially by the older members of  
the community, who speak in the  
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The funeral was held from the  
residence Saturday afternoon, Rev.  
L. D. Stubbs, of the Methodist  
church officiating. As a mark of  
respect, all of the Waverly banks  
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Burial in Harrington cemetery.  
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HISTORY OF IOWA,  
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In the last presidential election he voted for General J. B. Weaver.

The Fourteenth General Assembly convened at Des Moines in January, 1872, and the Forty-fourth Senatorial District was represented by John E. Burke, of Waverly. James A. Skillen, of Tripoli, represented Bremer county, which comprised the Forty-eighth Representative District, in the House.

James A. Skillin was born in Otsego county, N. Y., February 26, 1832. He is a son Hugh and Grace (Maxwell) Skillin. When four years old, his parents removed to Chenango county, New York, where he grew to manhood on his father's farm. In the fall of 1856 he came to Bremer county, and in the following year bought his present farm from his brother, who had preceded him. In June, 1858, he returned to Chenango county, New York, and there resided until 1862, and was married, October 2d, of that year, to Miss Lucinda Adams, daughter of Moses B. and Anna (Webb) Adams. Her father was a native of Dutchess county, New York, and her mother was a native of Great Barrington, Massachusetts. They have had two children—Mary Ellen, born July 15, 1863; died August 6, 1865; and Grace Anna, born October 4, 1865. In the fall of 1870, Mr. Skillin was elected to represent Bremer county, for a term of two years in the Fourteenth General Assembly of Iowa, and worthily filled the office. Mr. Skillen is a democrat, and his election to the office just mentioned, is noteworthy, in that his personal qualities alone could have earned the honor for him in a county so strongly republican.

The Fifteenth General Assembly convened at Des Moines, in January, 1874. Bremer county, in the Forty-eighth Senatorial District, was represented by Hiram Bailey, a farmer and a very good man, from Chickasaw county. Louis Case, of Waverly, represented Bremer county in the House, this term, and ably performed his duties. The district was No. 62.

The Sixteenth General Assembly convened in January, 1876, at Des Moines, in which Bremer county was represented in the State Senate by Aaron Kimball, of Cresso, Howard county. He was a banker, and is now president of the State Temperance Association. In the House, Hon. Louis Case having been re-elected, again represented Bremer county.

The Seventeenth General Assembly convened at Des Moines in January, 1878, with Aaron Kimball representing the Senatorial District of which Bremer county formed a part. J. K. L. Maynard represented Bremer county in the Lower House of the General Assembly. He is a resident of Janesville, and is a member of the Bar, in which chapter he is noted at length.

The Eighteenth General Assembly convened at Des Moines January, 1880. In the Senate, this district was represented by C. A. Marshall, who is a Congregational minister in Nashua. In the House, E. J. Dean, represented Bremer county.

The Nineteenth General Assembly convened at the Capitol, in January, 1882, and Bremer county was served in the Senate by C. A. Marshall. L. S. Hanchett was Representative of the county in the Lower House.

L. S. Hanchett was born in Chautauqua county, New York, on the 14th day of July,

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WHICH CONVENEED AT THE CAPITOL AT DES MOINES,  
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Capt. Whaley was a leading republican all his life and for years he was well known and honored in the councils of his party. He was elected to represent Butler county in the Iowa legislature and returned to the same office in 1879. On the death of Senator [unclear] lord, he was chosen to represent the forty-sixth senatorial district, which included Butler, Floyd and Mitchell counties, for the unexpired term being also re-elected for the second term.

He was chairman of the committee on military affairs of the Senate and also chairman of the Senate committee which selected Marshalltown, Iowa as the location for the Iowa soldiers' home.

He again re-entered politics when on the election of President McKinley, he was made postmaster at Aplington, an office which he held until a few years ago.

He was a member of the Presbyterian church of Aplington and for over twenty years was an elder in the church, being sent to represent the church in the Presbytery and being sent in 1898 to the general assembly as representative of the Waterloo Presbytery.

He was a member of the Masonic lodge of Parkersburg, having been honored as a Knight Templar and as a member of the Mystic Shrine. He was also a member of the John Bradley G. A. R. post at Parkersburg.

Mr. Whaley was married on October 17, 1871, to Jane Hull Smith daughter of George B. Smith, one of the oldest leading residents of Aplington. She passed away a year ago last July. Four sons are left to mourn their father's death.

Resolved, That in the death of this noble man the state has lost a worthy citizen, soldier and statesman and the House and Senate a noble and honored member, and be it further

Resolved, That these sentiments be entered upon the House Journal and a copy be sent to the bereaved family of the deceased.

W. I. ATKINSON,  
M. F. LEROY,  
GEO. W. CROZIER,

Committee

Adopted April 10, 1913.

HON. JAMES SKILLEN.

MR. SPEAKER—Your committee appointed to draft proper resolutions in respect in honor of the Honorable James A. Skillen, a former member of this body respectfully submit the following:

The Honorable James A. Skillen was born at Cherry Valley, New York, February 26, 1832. He passed out of this life at the home of his daughter, Mrs. D. A. Long, in Waverly, Iowa, November 7, 1912, being in his eighty-first year.

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For six years prior to his death Mr. Skillen was president of the Waverly Savings Bank. He had the confidence of the people of his county in a remarkable degree, and both in public and private matters was true to every trust that was reposed in his hands. As his record as a legislator was without a blemish so was his private life without stain. Therefore be it

Resolved, That the House of Representatives take this occasion to express its high regard and appreciation of his character and public services, and at this time extend to his family its sincere sympathy in their sorrow; and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the Journal of the House and that the chief clerk be directed to send an engrossed copy to the family of the deceased.

C. W. MILLER,  
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Adopted April 10, 1913.

HON. JOHN HOMRIGHAUS.

MR. SPEAKER—Your committee appointed to draft proper resolutions of respect in honor of the Honorable John Homrighaus, a former member of this body, respectfully submit the following:

The Honorable John Homrighaus was born November 16, 1844, in Tuscarawas county, Ohio, of German parents. In 1850 he was brought by his parents to Cook county, Illinois, where he received his education in the public schools. In 1863 he moved to Iowa and settled in Bremner county, where he has ever since resided. He was engaged as a contractor and builder and was also the proprietor of a wagon and blacksmith shop. In 1872 he retired from business on account of health; and made an extensive visit to Germany and other European countries. On his return to Iowa he engaged in farming. He was justice of the peace for six years. In 1880 he read law and 1882 was elected county supervisor. In 1888 he was elected state representative from his county to the Iowa legislature and in this the Twenty-second General Assembly he introduced and carried through three important bills, the insurance bill, a revenue bill, and a bill to enhance the usefulness of the Iowa agricultural college. During this Assembly he was chairman of the agricultural committee, a member of the committee on ways and means, committee on elections and compensation of public officers and one of the committee on representative districts. He received the re-election to the Twenty-fifth General Assembly, and while a member of that House he introduced the oleomargarine bill which became a law that is of inestimable value to the farmers of this state. This is one of the most important bills passed by that legislature and Mr. Homrighaus received much honorable mention at the time as he had solved in a simple way a problem that had been perplexing the friends of the dairy interests for many years. This Iowa law was immediately copied by other states and finally adopted as a federal statute, applying to every section of the country.

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**James A. Skillin**  
Male

Pedigree

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**Event(s):**

**Birth:** 26 FEB 1832 Cherry Valley, Otsego, New York  
**Christening:**  
**Death:** 07 NOV 1912 Waverly, Bremer, Iowa  
**Burial:** 10 NOV 1912 Harlington Cem, , Bremer, Iowa

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**Parents:**

**Father:** Hugh Skillin  
**Mother:** Grace Maxwell

Family

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**Messages:**

Record submitted after 1991 by a member of the LDS Church. No additional information is available.  
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## Family Group Record

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### Husband

James A. Skillin

[Pedigree](#)**Birth:** 26 JAN 1832 Cherry Valley, Otsego, New York**Christening:****Marriage:** 02 OCT 1862 Greene, Chenango, New York**Death:** 07 NOV 1912 Waverly, Bremer, Iowa**Burial:** 10 NOV 1912 Waverly, Bremer, Iowa

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### Wife

Lucinda Adams

[Pedigree](#)**Birth:** 20 SEP 1833 Greene, Chenango, New York**Christening:****Marriage:** 02 OCT 1862 Greene, Chenango, New York**Death:** 12 MAY 1892 Tripoli, Bremer, Iowa**Burial:** 14 MAY 1892 Tripoli, Bremer, Iowa

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### Children

1. Mary Ellen Skillin

[Pedigree](#)

Female

**Birth:** 15 JUL 1863 Tripoli, Bremer, Iowa**Christening:****Death:** 06 AUG 1863 Tripoli, Bremer, Iowa**Burial:**

2. Grace Anna Skillin

[Pedigree](#)

Female

**Birth:** 04 OCT 1865 Tripoli, Bremer, Iowa**Christening:****Death:** 18 DEC 1965 Waverly, Bremer, Iowa**Burial:** 21 DEC 1965 Waverly, Bremer, Iowa

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You searched for **James A. Skillin** in **Iowa**

### 1870 United States Federal Census

Name:	<b>James A Skillin</b>	
Birth Year:	<b>abt 1832</b>	
Age in 1870:	<b>38</b>	
Birthplace:	<b>New York</b>	
Home in 1870:	<b>Fremont, Bremer, Iowa</b>	
Race:	<b>White</b>	
Gender:	<b>Male</b>	
Value of real estate:	<a href="#">View image</a>	
Post Office:	<b>Waverly</b>	
Household Members:	Name	Age
	<b>James A Skillin</b>	<b>38</b>
	<b>Lucinda M Skillin</b>	<b>37</b>
	<b>Grac Ann Skillin</b>	<b>4</b>
	<b>Martin Thomas</b>	<b>19</b>

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 This database is an index to individuals enumerated in the 1870 United States Federal Census, the Ninth Census of the United States. Census takers recorded many details including each person's name, age at last birthday, sex, color, birthplace, occupation, and more. No relationships were shown between members of a household. Additionally, the names of those listed on the population schedule are linked to actual images of the 1870 Federal Census. [Learn more...](#)

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You searched for **James A. Skillin** in **Iowa**

### 1880 United States Federal Census

Name:	<b>James A. Skillin</b>	
Home in 1880:	<b>Fremont, Bremer, Iowa</b>	
Age:	<b>48</b>	
Estimated birth year:	<b>abt 1832</b>	
Birthplace:	<b>New York</b>	
Relation to Head of Household:	<b>Self (Head)</b>	
Spouse's name:	<b>Lucinda M.</b>	
Father's birthplace:	<b>Ireland</b>	
Mother's birthplace:	<b>Ireland</b>	
Neighbors:	<a href="#">View others on page</a>	
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	<b>James A. Skillin</b>	<b>48</b>
	<b>Lucinda M. Skillin</b>	<b>46</b>
	<b>Grace A. Skillin</b>	<b>14</b>
	<b>Henry Tanne</b>	<b>19</b>

**Source Citation:** Year: 1880; Census Place: Fremont, Bremer, Iowa; Roll 328; Family History Film: 1254328; Page: 271C; Enumeration District: 70; Image: 0625.

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You searched for **James A. Skillin** in **Iowa**

### 1900 United States Federal Census

Name:	<b>James A Skillin</b>	
Home in 1900:	<b>Waverly, Bremer, Iowa</b>	
Age:	<b>68</b>	
Birth Date:	<b>Jan 1832</b>	
Birthplace:	<b>New York</b>	
Race:	<b>White</b>	
Gender:	<b>Male</b>	
Relationship to Head of House:	<b>Head</b>	
Father's Birthplace:	<b>Ireland</b>	
Mother's Birthplace:	<b>Ireland</b>	
Spouse's name:	<b>Fidelia A</b>	
Marriage Year:	<b>1893</b>	
Marital Status:	<b>Married</b>	
Years Married:	<b>7</b>	
Occupation:	<a href="#">View on Image</a>	
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Household Members:	Name	Age
	<b>James A Skillin</b>	<b>68</b>
	<b>Fidelia A Skillin</b>	<b>57</b>

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