

Standard Form For Members of the Legislature

Name of Representative _____ Senator McIntyre,
James Stormont - Represented Adams, Grant and Page Counties, Iowa

1. Birthday and place 19 June 1838 near London, Ontario, Canada

2. Marriage (s) date place
Sarah H. Clarke 1868 Page County, Iowa

3. Significant events for example:
A. Business _____

B. Civic responsibilities Mason; Modern Theological of the World

C. Profession Banker; Bookkeeper; Editor and publisher of two
papers; Iowa papers; Teacher; real estate business

4. Church membership Methodist Episcopal, later after marriage, Presbyterian

5. Sessions served 14th, 15th General Assemblies 1872, 1874

6. Public Offices
A. Local Asst. U.S. Collector of the 16th Division of the 5th Congressional District of
Iowa; Bookkeeper of Hastings, Nebraska
B. State _____

C. National Deputy in the Republican National Convention Philadelphia 1872

7. Death 24 Aug 1915 Chicago, Illinois

8. Children Maudie; Mrs. H.E. Cox; Mrs. Jess Mielbach;
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9. Names of parents John and Jane (Stormont) McIntyre

Mc Intyre, James S.

10. Education

11. Degrees

He attended the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan, graduating with honors and receiving a Bachelor of Law degree

12. Other applicable information

Republican

As a young man he taught school in Canada for a time and then came to America in 1860. He had much sickness, ill health and worked at whatever he could find to earn money for college.

In 1864 he moved to Iowa settling at Clearida in Papp County. There for a time he edited and published the "Clearida Republican" and the "Clearida Herald" newspapers.

- He also engaged in the banking and real estate business

- He lived in Clearida until 1893 except for 5 years when he had a change in the banking business in Hastings, Nebraska

- In 1898 he moved to Chicago, Illinois where he engaged in the brokerage and insurance business until 1906.

- Since that time he lived with his daughter, Mrs. Joseph Misko in Algona, Iowa.

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As a young man he taught school in
Canada for a time and came to the
United States about 1860. In 1864 he
was graduated from the law depart-
ment of Ann Arbor, Mich. He was
admitted to the bar of Iowa and prac-
ticed law in Clarinda. Afterward he
engaged in the real estate and bank-
ing business.

He was married to Sarah Clark,
Jan. 2, 1866. To this union four chil-
dren were born, all of whom are living
and are present to mourn their loss:
Maude McIntire of Berwyn, Ill.; Mrs.
W. E. Coon of Red Oak; Mrs Joseph
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Mr. McIntire was a public spirited
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He was a member of the Masonic
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 He was also a member of the Wood-
 men of the World.

When a young man he joined the
 Methodist Episcopal church and after
 his marriage he affiliated with the
 Presbyterian church, of which his wife
 was a member.

He was generous almost to a fault
 and through his varied experience in
 life he always maintained a cheerful
 and hopeful spirit which made for him
 a host of friends wherever he went."

The remains arrived Thursday morn-
 ing from Chicago and were taken to
 the Harmon Funeral Home. The ser-
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ty, he joined the Continental army and fought through the revolutionary war in which he rose to the rank of lieutenant.

The Senator's father, Charles Dashiell, was also born in Baltimore, in the year 1787. Having studied navigation preparatory to going to sea, he very naturally took to that profession, which he followed for two years, when on the breaking out of the war of 1812 he was compelled to give up the sea, when he emigrated to Ohio and settled in Greene county. Here he took up the millwright business which he pursued for several years and here he married Miss Nancy Marston. In 1817 he moved to Indiana while that State was yet a territory, and settled in Dearborn county, where the subject of this sketch was born in the year 1826. Besides Mark Antony, there were born to his father seven sons and seven daughters, of whom, five of the former and four of the latter are still living.

Senator Dashiell for the first sixteen years of his life lived with his parents on a farm, but being desirous of entering some profession he received a situation in a drug store, where he remained two years, after which he entered upon the study of medicine under Doctor George Sutton of Aurora, Indiana, whose reputation as a physician classes among the most eminent in the country.

Having undergone a course of study he gained admission into the Indiana Central Medical College located at Indianapolis, where he graduated in 1851. On the 18th day of December, 1851, he married Miss Louisiana Noble, daughter of Dr. B. S. Noble, and niece of Governor Noble of Indiana. For two years subsequent to this he practised medicine in that State, when in 1853 he emigrated to Iowa, and located in Hartford, Warren county, where he still resides. The Senator was not in the army himself during the war for the Union, but notwithstanding this it is very questionable whether any one family in the country was better represented in that terrible struggle than the Dashiell family, there being no less than five brothers who fought side by side in that fearful conflict beneath the stars and stripes. The term of their united service was sixteen

years; four having served three years each, and one for the period of four years which makes a very bright family army record.

Prior to the organization of the Republican party, the Senator was a whig in politics and has been a firm adherent to the principles of Republicanism since that party first sprang into existence.

In October 1867, Mr. Dashiell was elected to represent the 21st Representative District in the Twelfth General Assembly, and in 1870 was elected State Senator from the 20th Senatorial District for a term of four years, to represent the people as such in the Fourteenth and Fifteenth General Assemblies.

Religiously, he is a Presbyterian by denomination and adheres to the tenets of that church.

He is rather below the medium in stature being five feet five inches in height and weighing one hundred and thirty-six pounds. His hair is dark brown, mixed with grey, and his eyes are of a hazel color, while in disposition he is mirthful, genial and sociable and possesses those qualities that render his company pleasant and agreeable.

JAMES STORMANT MCINTYRE.

STATE SENATOR.

James Stormant McIntyre is descended from a family whose name figures conspicuously in Scottish history. Anciently, and during the feudal system, the clan McIntyre, was very powerful, and throughout all the Scottish wars, took an active part. Their claymours never rested idle in their scabbards when their services were required, either to defend their chiefs, or their country. Civilization, however, brought about the dispersion of the clans, and when this took place, the ancestors of Mr. McIntyre settled down to peaceful industry, in the Shire of Inverness, Scotland.

It was here both his father and grandfather were born, while his grandmother was a true native of the Highlands, being of kindred blood to the Campbell's who became so famous in Scotland as the "McGregor" clan, whose leader, Rob Roy, has left

behind him a name, that for deeds of daring, gallantry and bravery, is second to none in the annals of his country's history.

The mother of James Stormant was born in Glasgow, Scotland; so it will be seen that Senator McIntyre is of purely Scottish descent and origin. When his father was very young he emigrated to America, and following the example of most of his countrymen, settled in Canada, in the city of Montreal. Here he married Miss Jane Stormant, and in 1835 came to the United States, choosing for his place of settlement, Niagara, in the State of New York, where the subject of this sketch was born in the year 1839. In 1840, his parents returned to Canada and took up their residence in London, where his father, a few months afterwards, was seized with a fever and died.

When about sixteen years of age, James S. again returned to the United States; and, like all other poor boys, coming amongst strangers, had to support himself at whatever honest labor his hands found to do; and, as a natural consequence, was nowhere stationary. Nor had he any place he could now call his home, for his mother had taken to herself a second husband, and of two brothers and one sister that were born to his father, but one brother beside himself remained, the other brother and his sister having died. Thus, it may be seen, he came to the country an orphan to dwell amongst strangers, with nothing to depend upon but a brave heart and willing hands.

He reached Michigan in 1856, where he concluded to permanently remain, and by hard labor and habits of industry, was prospering well, when a terrible sickness seized him, by which he was rendered prostrate for many months. He was then about eighteen years of age, and however strange and incredulous it may appear, in the short space of 24 hours, his hair, which had been a dark brown color, was changed to be as white as snow, and now, though only thirty-three years old, his locks look as venerable as a man of four-score. On the return of his health he again set to work, and by perseverance, pluck and energy, had, by the

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time he was twenty-three years old, saved money enough to pay for his tuition in the Michigan University, at Ann Arbor, which he entered as a student in 1862. In due time he graduated with honors and had the degree of Bachelor of Law conferred upon him.

In 1864 he came to Iowa, and settled in Clarinda, Page county, where, in 1866 he married Miss Sarah W. Clarke, a native of Harrison county, Ohio, by whom he has had three children, all daughters. Being somewhat inclined to literature he gave his attention for some time to editing and publishing a newspaper, the "Republican and Herald" of Clarinda; but being also engaged in the banking and real estate business, he disposed of his interest in the paper and now devotes himself to the other two branches mentioned. In Mr. McIntyre we have an example of what honesty, courage, perseverance and ability can accomplish, when these qualities are properly applied.

It would be difficult to find a more checkered life, or one, whose efforts to succeed, has been so munificently rewarded as the Senator from Page county. A poor, penniless boy, he came to the United States when only sixteen years old, and now, at the age of thirty-three is reputed to be worth fifty thousand dollars, and represents the people of the Eighth Senatorial District; comprising the counties of Fremont, Page, and Adams, as State Senator in the 14th General Assembly of the State of Iowa, to which position he was elected in October, 1871, for a period of four years.

His political history is confined entirely to the Republican party, and from 1867, until 1869, a period of three years, he occupied the position of Deputy U. S. Collector for the 16th Division of the 5th Congressional District of Iowa. On the 27th of March, 1872, he was elected as one of the delegates from the 5th Congressional District to attend the National Convention at Philadelphia.

As a legislator he is always in his seat, and his opinion upon any measure, is regarded with as much profound attention as

that of any other Senator on the floor. His district was never more ably or faithfully represented; not in words but in deeds, which speak louder and better. In his religious belief, he adheres to the Presbyterian faith. In stature, is a man about five feet nine inches in height; smart and lively in his manner of walking, will weigh one hundred and forty-two pounds, has a quick, penetrating blue eye; and, although, yet a young man, his white hair gives him quite a venerable appearance.

JOHN A. KASSON.

STATE REPRESENTATIVE.

In stature, Mr. Kasson measure 5 feet, 11 inches, and in avoirdupois turns the scale at 160 pounds. He has a ruling motive-mental temperament; a strong, muscular frame; tough and active brain. But few men have a stronger will power; he is determined, but not stubborn; full of life; is companionable; enjoys good society; is altogether intellectual in his tendencies; has large ideality, full caution, firm hope, moderate acquisitiveness; is generous, but not prodigal; has large sympathy—being full of that humorous nature that puts him in harmony with his fellow-beings. The entire organization of his brain and the discipline of his mind places him in no secondary position in society.

The Kassons are of Scotch-Irish descent. The first family, James Kasson, with a number of sons, emigrated with him in 1721 or 22 to America, and settled on a large tract of land, situated in the States of Rhode Island and Connecticut, of which the records show the purchase to have been made in 1722. A part of the second generation settled in Litchfield, Connecticut. The third generation scattered in the States of Vermont, New York, and Pennsylvania, and since then are found in other States—including Louisiana and California. Some engaged in the professions, some in the trades, but chiefly in agriculture.

John A. Kasson is a native of the farming town of Charlotte, Chittenden county,

Vermont, situated on the shore of Lake Champlain, looking across the lake westward to the noble range of the Adirondack Mountains, and eastward upon the picturesque Green Mountain range. In this romantic locality he was born January 11, 1822. He was first trained in the public schools of his native State, from which he went to a country academy, and from thence fitted for college at Burlington, where he entered the University of Vermont, in 1838, and graduated in 1842—being second in scholarship in his class.

He immediately began the study of law with his brother, Charles D. Kasson, a distinguished lawyer of that State, then in practice at Burlington, but now deceased. But the limited means of his family prevented their rendering him any assistance, and he was obliged to provide for himself, as he had been accustomed to do from early life—his father having died when young Kasson was but six years old. Through a train of circumstances peculiar to poverty, he was compelled to abandon, for the present, his legal studies. The year following his graduation was spent as a tutor in Virginia. It was there that he learned the characteristic of slavery, which set him firmly against the institution from that time forward to the day of universal emancipation under the proclamation of Abraham Lincoln.

On his return from Virginia, he renewed the study of law at Worcester, Mass., with Hon. Emery Washburn, afterward Governor of the State, and now Professor of the law school at Harvard University.

His arrival at Worcester was an era in his life. In his purse he had seventy-five cents, the extent of his worldly wealth. With this sum he found himself among "strangers in a strange land." But relying upon his own mental and physical resources, he had set his head on success, and is made of the material to never turn back. One instance, soon after his entering upon his studies, exhibits a trait in human character, commendable in his poverty.

One day when the other members of the firm were absent a man came in for advice, which Mr. Kasson gave to the best of his

ability, charging two dollars. The junior partner soon returned, when Mr. K. reported, handing over the two dollars, which was coolly taken and pocketed, with a "thank you." This was a serious disappointment to Mr. K. as his seventy-five cents had disappeared and he was anxious for a division of this his first legal fee.

Mr. Washburn soon after became judge of one of the courts of Massachusetts, and after six months hard study, Mr. Kasson was admitted by him at a term of the court held at Lowell, to practice in the courts of that State.

The clerk, when he made the record, was asked the unusual question, "what is the fee?" to which he promptly responded, five dollars. The money was taken from a scanty purse and received with much better spirit than it was given, as fees for that purpose in those days were not required.

After his admission to the bar he went to New Bedford, where he entered the law office of Timothy Coffin, a famous advocate especially in Marine practice. After a year of additional study, and partial practice, he formed a co-partnership with Thomas I. Eliot, afterwards, for many years, a member of Congress from that district.

After five years practice in the United States and State Courts of Eastern Massachusetts, he decided to go where there were fewer old men to monopolize the business of his profession, and a fresher country, opening more avenues to young men for a successful career. At Saint Louis he spent one year in the law office of Joseph Crocke and becoming familiar with the mode of practice in that State, he opened an office of his own, and speedily gained a large and lucrative practice, from merchants and mercantile incorporations. He has often spoken with affection of the late John J. Roe, who first enrolled himself as his steady client and firm friend. But after six years of very hard labor in his profession, the climate of Saint Louis proved too severe for his constitution, and in 1857, he established himself at Des Moines, Iowa, where he engaged in the practice of his profession. Attention

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Name:	James S McIntyre
Birth Date:	abt 1838
Birth Place:	Canada
Death Date:	24 Aug 1915
Death Place:	Chicago, Cook, Illinois
Burial Date:	26 Aug 1915
Burial Place:	Clarinda, IA
Death Age:	77
Occupation:	Bookkeeper
Race:	White
Marital Status:	Married
Gender:	Male
Residence:	Algona, IA
Father Name:	John McIntyre
Father Birth Place:	Scotland
Mother Name:	Jane Stermorel
Mother Birth Place:	Scotland
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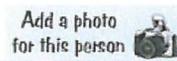


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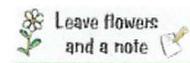


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