

Standard Form For Members of the Legislature

Name of **Representative** Shaw, Edgar Senator \_\_\_\_\_  
Represented Marion County, Iowa

1. Birthday and place 9 June 1825 Steuben County, New York

2. Marriage (s) date place

Clarissa Brown 1851 probably New York State

3. Significant events for example:

A. Business \_\_\_\_\_

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

C. Profession Lawyer

4. Church membership \_\_\_\_\_

5. Sessions served 21<sup>st</sup> General Assembly 1896

6. Public Offices

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

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

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

7. Death 7 Nov 1906 Pella, Iowa

8. Children Charles Edgar; Nelliston S.; Mathie (Mrs. W. R. Stripes);

Mathie (Mrs. G. S. Jop); McCollen; Luella (Mrs. Dew - she herself is listed as a doctor);  
Leda (died July 1867 age 6 months); Dora (died Nov 1876 - age 4 years)

9. Names of parents Jeremiah and Etsey (Fitch) Shaw

Shaw, Edgar

10. Education

11. Degrees

12. Other applicable information

Democrat

- He studied law in Balston Springs, New York and practiced  
in Albany, New York until 1869.  
In spring 1869 he and his family moved to Pella, Iowa.



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### Obituary

Mr. E. Shaw was born in Stuben county, New York, June 9, 1825. He studied law in Balston Springs, New York, and practiced in Alleghany, of that state, until the spring of 1869, when he and family moved to Pella. In 1885 and 1886 he represented Marion county in the state legislature.

In 1851 he married Clarissa Brown, and eight children blessed this union, two of whom have passed on. Leola, aged six months, died in July of 1867, and Dora, aged four years, died in November of 1876. The surviving children are Charles Edgar, living in Chicago, Ill.; Williston, of Minneapolis, Minnesota; Mrs. W. R. Stryker, of Washington, Iowa; Mrs. G. S. Fox, San Diego, California; McClellan, East Grand River Fork, Minnesota, and Dr. Luella Shaw-Dean, Pella, Iowa.

Mr. Shaw peacefully passed away Wednesday evening, November 7th, after an illness of four months, aged 81 years and five months.

### A Very Pleasant Incident

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- ID: I20283
- Name: Edgar SHAW
- Sex: M
- Birth: ABT 1826 in NY
- Death: AFT 1870

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Father: [Jeremiah SHAW](#) b: 1780

Mother: [Betsey FITCH](#)

Marriage 1 [Carrissa BROWN](#) b: ABT 1828 in NY

### Children

1. [Charles SHAW](#) b: ABT 1852 in NY
2. [Williston S. SHAW](#) b: 21 MAR 1856 in NY
3. [Matta SHAW](#) b: ABT 1858 in NY
4. [Hattie SHAW](#) b: ABT 1862 in NY
5. [McClellan SHAW](#) b: ABT 1865 in NY
6. [Lewelly SHAW](#) b: ABT 1868 in NY

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- ID: I22653
- Name: Edgar Shaw
- Sex: M
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- Change Date: 31 JAN 2006

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**Father:** [Jeremiah Shaw](#) b: ABT 1780 in Nobletown, Dutchess, New York

**Mother:** [Elizabeth iBetseyi Fitch](#)

**Marriage 1** [Clarissa Brownell](#)

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You searched for **Edgar Shaw** in **Iowa**

1870 United States Federal Census

Name:	<b>Edgar Shaw</b>	
Birth Year:	<b>abt 1826</b>	
Age in 1870:	<b>44</b>	
Birthplace:	<b>New York</b>	
Home in 1870:	<b>Pella, Marion, Iowa</b>	
Race:	<b>White</b>	
Gender:	<b>Male</b>	
Value of real estate:	<a href="#">View image</a>	
Post Office:	<b>Pella Marion County</b>	
Household Members:	Name	Age
	<b>Edgar Shaw</b>	<b>44</b>
	<b>Carrisfa Shaw</b>	<b>42</b>
	<b>Charles Shaw</b>	<b>18</b>
	<b>Williston Shaw</b>	<b>14</b>
	<b>Metha Shaw</b>	<b>12</b>
	<b>Hattie Shaw</b>	<b>8</b>
	<b>Mcclellan Shaw</b>	<b>5</b>
	<b>Lewelly Shaw</b>	<b>2</b>

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## 1900 United States Federal Census

Name:	<b>Edgar Shaw</b>	
Home in 1900:	<b>Lake Prairie, Marion, Iowa</b>	
Age:	<b>74</b>	
Birth Date:	<b>Jun 1825</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>Pennsylvania</b>	
Mother's Birthplace:	<b>Pennsylvania</b>	
Spouse's name:	<b>Clarissa</b>	
Marriage Year:	<b>1851</b>	
Marital Status:	<b>Married</b>	
Years Married:	<b>49</b>	
Occupation:	<a href="#">View on Image</a>	
Neighbors:	<a href="#">View others on page</a>	
Household Members:	Name	Age
	<a href="#">Edgar Shaw</a>	<b>74</b>
	<a href="#">Clarissa Shaw</a>	<b>72</b>

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