

Standard Form For Members of the Legislature

Name of Representative Mills William D. Senator Mills  
William D. - Represented Marshall County, Iowa

1. Birthday and place Dec 1838 Medina County, Ohio

2. Marriage (s) date place  
Alice Butts Nov 1862

3. Significant events for example:  
A. Business \_\_\_\_\_

B. Civic responsibilities G.A.R.; Mason

C. Profession Lawyer; farmer; raised livestock; teacher

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

5. Sessions served 16<sup>th</sup> General Assembly 1876 - House of Representatives

6. Public Offices 22<sup>nd</sup>, 23<sup>rd</sup> General Assembly 1888, 1890 - Senate

A. Local Marshall County sheriff four terms beginning in 1895

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

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

7. Death 17 Jul 1906 Chicago, Illinois; buried Riverside Cemetery, Marshalltown

8. Children Mary Catherine (Mrs. A. J. Steward); Margaret; Charles P.; Iowa  
Lulu M.; Patti (died at age 7)

9. Names of parents Luman Pattibone and Sylvia (Pease) Miller

10. Education

11. Degrees

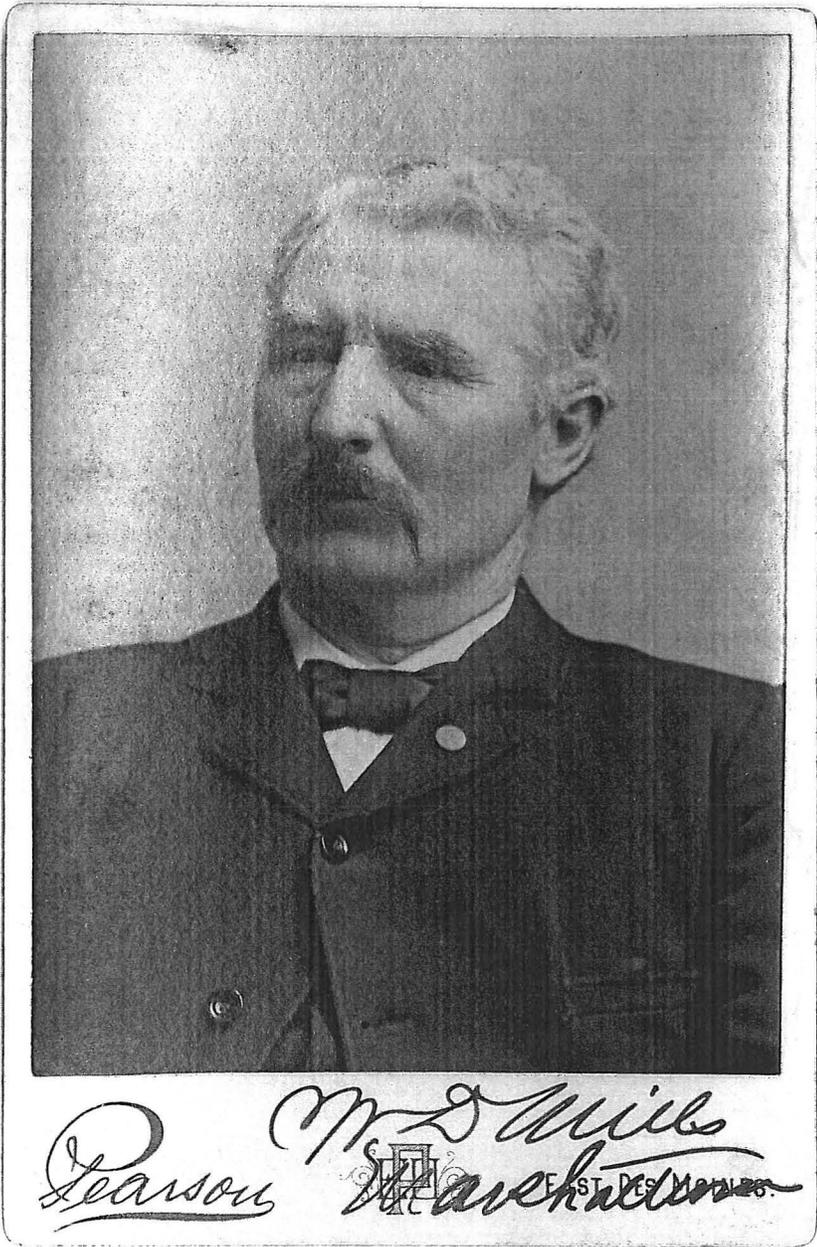
Attended Keokuk College in Iowa; also pursued his studies under the tutelage of James A. Garfield for 2 years

12. Other applicable information

Republican

- He left school and went west during the Colorado gold rush. He returned in 1859 to Bureau County, Illinois where he taught school
- Military service - Civil War - Co. I, 10<sup>th</sup> Illinois Infantry attaining rank of Captain
- After the war he came to Iowa settling on a farm in Taylor Township of Marshall County, Iowa.
- He was defeated in his bid for a second term as Marshall County sheriff. He then moved to Chicago where he lived until his death.





where they will remain for a month or six weeks.

To clean up light and medium weight suitings we are making extremely low prices; workmanship and fit guaranteed. Now is the time to pick out that suit. Brenneck, the tailor.

Mrs. Louise and Mabel Miller, who have been spending the past week at Clear Lake, attending the International Sunday School Teachers' Training School, returned home Monday evening.

Mrs. B. G. Falls and little daughter, who have been visiting a month with the former's sisters, Mrs. W. W. Ward and Miss Ida Heath, left for her home in Chester, Ill., Monday evening.

Mr. J. V. Bass, of Steamboat Rock, who has been in the city, accompanied by his wife and daughter Ora, have returned home. Mrs. Bass has been in the city ten days at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Dilley.

Ft. Dodge plays tomorrow its closing game with the Brownies. The regular admission will be charged, but if you want to be known as a booster buy a \$1 ticket and use it on that day. The \$1 tickets are good, however, for any game this season.

The funeral of Miss Lizzie Pettit, who died Monday, will be held from the home of her mother, Mrs. Sarah West, 603 West Boone street, Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, and will be private for the family and intimate friends of the deceased and family. Burial will be in Riverside.

Mrs. H. P. Bigelow and Miss Margaret Boylan left this morning for Sunshine, Wyo., where they will visit with Mrs. Bigelow's brother, Mr. C. F. Rathbone. They will also visit at Shoshoni, Wyo., with another brother of Mrs. Bigelow's, E. H. Rathbone. They expect to be absent about three weeks.

E. L. Coburn, of Boone, who is the instructor of music in the Institute now in progress here, has been chosen to be the head of the music department of the St. Louis schools, which is one of the best salaried positions of its kind in the country. He will have charge of the work in music taught by 2,000 teachers. Mr. Coburn has been supervisor of music in the Boone schools for fourteen years.

C. E. Arney, of Washington, D. C., private secretary to Senator Dubois, of Idaho, arrived in the city this morning to visit until Wednesday with his brother, W. H. Arney and other relatives. Senator Dubois is expected thru the city on his way to his home in Boise, Idaho, Wednesday, and he will be joined here by Mr. Arney, who will make the rest of the journey with him.

Mrs. C. J. McCombs, 116 North Center street, gave a children's party Monday afternoon for her two little daughters, Anna Catharine and Elizabeth, the former of whom was 7 years of age yesterday, while the latter will reach

yard.

25 pieces good dress gingham for this sale 8 cents a yard.

Sale lasts until goods are sold.  
BENEDICT & BRINTNALL.

## "CAP" MILLS DEAD

**Former State Senator, Representative From Marshall County and Sheriff, Died This Morning in Chicago — Body Will be Brought Here for Burial.**

Captain W. D. Mills, former state senator, representative from this county to the lower house, and sheriff, died this morning at his home in Chicago. The cause, or time, of his death was not given in the short telegrams received here. The body will be brought to this city for burial, but when it will arrive is not known.

During his residence in Taylor township and this city, from 1865 to 1897, "Cap" Mills was honored by being elected to the senate in 1877, after having served one term in the house of representatives. Later, in the fall of 1895 he was elected sheriff, and served one term. In the fierce campaign near the close of his first term as sheriff he was beaten for re-election by the democratic candidate, J. W. McPherson. Soon afterwards Mr. Mills went to Chicago where he has since lived. He was a member of the G. A. R., and Masons.

W. D. Mills was born in Medina county, Ohio, in 1838, and he was the fifth child born to Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Mills. He attended Hiram, Ohio, College and pursued his studies under the tutelage of James A. Garfield for two years. He left school and went west during the Colorado-gold excitement, but returned in 1859 to Bureau county, Illinois, where he taught school.

When war was declared in 1861 he enlisted in Company I, Twelfth Illinois infantry, and after serving for three months he re-enlisted in the same company and regiment, as second lieutenant. In April, 1862, he was commissioned first lieutenant, and on the same day was promoted to the captaincy.

He served until the close of the war and took part in many important engagements. Soon after peace was declared he came to Marshall county and bought a farm in Taylor township, on which he lived until after he had entered politics, when he moved to this city. He was married in November, 1862, to Miss Alice Butt. He is survived by four children. Politically Mr. Mills was a true republican, and during his political career he had many friends, who made his various elections possible.

FOR LOSS OF APPETITE

Britain & Co. are paying today, delivered in wagon load lots at their yards, or bought by their country salesmen, are paying the following prices today:

Premium hogs, over 160 pounds—6.30.  
Packers—5.60@5.90.

### Cattle.

Britain & Co. are paying today, according to grade, the following prices, which, however, are subject to change without notice:

Fair to good corn fed native steers ..... 3.75@4.00  
Common to fair corn fed native steers ..... 3.25@3.75  
Good to choice heifers ..... 3.00@3.75  
Fair to good heifers and cows ..... 2.50@3.00  
Good beef cows ..... 2.25@2.50  
Selected bologna bulls ..... 2.25@2.75  
Veal and mutton prices, given to farmers by telephone on application.

### Grains.

W. H. Sloppy, at his elevator, will pay the following prices any time this week:

Good dry corn—43.  
Good white oats—32.  
Rye—56.  
Wheat—70.  
Barley—37.  
Timothy seed—1.15.  
Clover seed—6.00.  
Timothy hay—10.00.  
Straw—5.00.

Benedict & Co. quote the following prices in effect today:

It will pay you to look in at W  
Shirt Waist Sale  
25 PER CENT



HELLO! HELL

Have you seen the

SUN RAY

gain the advan-  
ther. From the get-  
ies had an uphill fight  
hed their single tally  
which made the going  
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threatening, if not stormy, conditions,  
over the 21st and into the next storm  
period.  
"A reactionary storm period is cen-  
tral on the 22d and 23rd, in which  
storms and seismic disturbances will  
be reported from wide extremes of  
the globe. Within sixty hours of six  
o'clock p. m., on the 21st, earthquake  
and volcanic perturbations will reach  
a maximum tendency in most coun-  
tries common to them. Change to  
rising barometer and some cooler will  
follow these reactionary disturbances  
for two or three days—say from the  
23rd to 25th—progressively from west  
to east.  
"A regular storm period runs from  
the 26th to the 30th, being central on  
the 28th. All who have properly stud-  
ied our theory and forecasts have sat-  
isfied themselves of the fact that high  
temperatures and tendency to elec-  
trical storms are common on and  
touching dates when the moon is pass-  
ing over the celestial equator. Hence  
as early as the 26th, the last storm  
is scheduled to begin."  
**MILLS FUNERAL THURSDAY.**  
Body Will Arrive at 8:20 O'clock—  
Buried in Riverside.  
The body of **Captain W. D. Mills**, who  
died suddenly in Chicago Tuesday  
morning at 10 o'clock, will arrive in  
the city Thursday morning at 8:20  
o'clock and will be buried in River-  
side. The body, accompanied by an es-  
cort from Frank M. Thomas Post No.  
94, G. A. R., will be taken from the  
train to Riverside, where the post will  
hold short burial services, Chaplain  
Jesse Cole delivering the funeral ad-  
dress. The Arney quartet, of Taylor  
township, will sing. The pall bearers,  
also from the G. A. R., will be Charles  
Eckles, E. B. Emes, L. McKinnon, W. B.  
Beeson, C. H. Brock and E. C. Mc-  
Millan.  
**Pure Food.**  
Right now is the time when the pub-  
lic will best appreciate visible evidence  
of good faith from the makers of the  
food we eat. The consumer is scared  
and skeptical, and you can't blame him.  
Based on this fact is our reason for  
asking consideration of our product,  
which is manufactured with special  
reference to its purity and is fully  
guaranteed to comply strictly with the  
provisions of the pure food law.  
**MARSHALL VINEGAR COMPANY.**  
**Excursion Tickets to Des Moines, Iowa.**  
Via the Northwestern Line, will be  
sold July 30, 31, and August 1, limited  
to return until August 2, inclusive, ac-  
cording to the published schedule.  
Apply to agents Chicago & North-  
western Railway.

Junction. A number of years ago M.  
Jorgenson had a similar fall, and sus-  
tained injuries to his back, from which  
he never entirely recovered.  
He is a Dane and is about 46 years  
of age. He has a wife and seven chil-  
dren.  
**Injury Very Serious.**  
Examination at the hospital showed  
the spinal column to have been frac-  
tured, with two of the vertebra brok-  
en. The spinal cord was also injured,  
but not cut off. Parts of the broken  
vertebra were removed. Jorgenson's  
condition is very serious, but he may  
recover. If he should, he will be con-  
fined to his bed for a long time.  
**LECTURE WELL ATTENDED.**  
**J. E. Cameron Talks On "Trees and  
Forests" — Additional Normal En-  
rollment.**  
Fourteen names so far have been  
added to the enrollment of those in at-  
tendance at normal here, making a to-  
tal of 164. The new arrivals who reg-  
istered Tuesday, were:  
Marshalltown—Mrs. Noma Bentley  
Osman and Misses Florence Herman,  
Nellie Aisquith, and Mr. Purnel Wha-  
ley, and Misses Emma Curtis and Alice  
L. O. Swearingen.  
Liscomb—Nettie Patton.  
Clemens—Ida M. Liscom.  
Luray—Rose Forrey.  
Colesburg—Katy Corvan.  
Rhodes—Ed Blumenscheln.  
Melbourne—Lenora V. Crane and  
Myrtle E. Lanning.  
Toledo—Lillian Rebbeke.  
There was a good attendance, in-  
cluding quite a number of outsiders,  
Tuesday evening at Mr. J. E. Camer-  
on's lecture on "Trees and Forests,"  
which was illustrated and most enter-  
taining, as well as instructive. His  
illustrated lecture on "Birds," Thurs-  
day evening, will be of special interest  
to boys and girls. Thursday and Fri-  
day mornings at 10:55 o'clock, and in  
the afternoon of both days, at 3 o'clock,  
Dr. A. E. Winship, of Boston, Mass.,  
will lecture. Lectures will be given  
the first three days of next week, by  
Professor William Crane Wilcox, of the  
State University of Iowa, who is con-  
sidered an especially fine platform  
speaker.  
**In the Police Court.**  
Harry Harvey and Fred Bailey, two  
young men, were arrested this morning  
for being drunk and for cruelty to ani-  
mals. The latter charge was filed by  
J. N. Baughman. To the first charge  
they pleaded guilty and paid the costs.  
It is claimed they beat and abused the  
horse they were driving, and damaged  
the State's property. The time for the hearing  
on the cruelty to animals charge has  
not been set.

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THE  
HISTORY  
OF  
MARSHALL COUNTY,  
I O W A,

CONTAINING

*A History of the County, its Cities, Towns, &c.,*

A Biographical Directory of Citizens, War Record of its Volunteers in the late Rebellion, General and Local Statistics, Portraits of Early Settlers and Prominent Men, History of the Northwest, History of Iowa, Map of Marshall County, Constitution of the United States, Miscellaneous Matters, &c.

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Lane, O. N., far., Sec. 11 ; P. O. Marshalltown.

**LANE, R. H.**, farmer, S. 12 ; P. O. Marshalltown ; owns 86 acres of land ; he is a native of Trumbull Co., Ohio ; born in 1832 ; came to this county in 1853. He married Miss Harriett Nelson in this county ; she was born in Michigan, on the 28th of Oct., 1833 ; the names of their children who are living are Ata Mabel (married to J. W. Brown), N. Grant, Harriet E., Fred Earl, Daniel Alonzo ; lost three children—John Henry, Mary Louisa, Isaac Augustus. Mr. Lane is Republican in politics, and holds faithful allegiance to that organization ; the records show he has held various local offices ; he is generous, reasonable, prompt and reliable in all his business relations. May abundant prosperity crown his years with peace.

Lehman, A. S., far., S. 25 ; P. O. Marshalltown.

Long, I. N., far., S. 2 ; P. O. Marshalltown.

**LOUCKS, GEORGE L.**, far., S. 26 ; P. O. Marshalltown ; was born in this township on the 12th of March, 1856. He married Miss Bell Rice in this county on the 27th of December, 1877 ; she was born in New York on the 27th of March, 1856. They are members of the Congregational Church ; politically, Mr. Loucks is a Republican. His father, A. Loucks, was a native of New York ; he married Miss Jane Collier ; they came to this county in 1844 or 1845, thus becoming one of the pioneer families of Marshall Co.

Lloyd, John, far., S. 34 ; P. O. Marshalltown.

Lloyd, Joshua, far., S. 24 ; P. O. Marshalltown.

**M**oCLEERY, JOSEPH, far., S. 10 ; P. O. Marshalltown.

McLellan, N., far., S. 33 ; P. O. Albion.

McMeekin, John, far., S. 3 ; P. O. Albion.

Maulsby, B., far., S. 26 ; P. O. Marshalltown.

Maulsby, T., far., S. 26 ; P. O. Marshalltown.

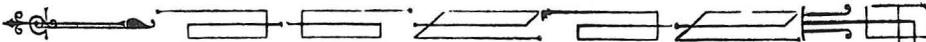
Malmsberry, I., far., S. 3 ; P. O. Marshalltown.

**MESSENGER, E. N.**, farmer, S. 12 ; P. O. Marshalltown ; owns 302½

acres of land ; was born in Portage Co., Ohio, on the 28th of Sept., 1821. He married Miss Marietta Holcomb in Portage Co., on the 19th of May, 1846 ; she was born in the aforesaid county the 19th of Oct., 1826 ; they moved to this county and settled on their present farm in 1855, thus becoming one of the pioneer families in this county ; they have two children—Almira E., born in Portage Co., Ohio ; she married John B. Clossen in this township on Dec. 30, 1870 ; he was born in Hanover, Germany, April 30, 1846 ; came with his father to Lee Co., Ill., in 1850 ; he remained in Lee Co., Ill., till Jan., 1864. He then enlisted in Co. D, 34th Ill. V. I. ; he served until the close of the war, and was honorably discharged July 15, 1865 ; he was in many severe engagements, among them being the battles of Buzzard Roost, Resaca, Rome, Peach Tree, and all through to Atlanta. They live on Sec. 30, Vienna Tp. In politics, Mr. Clossen is a firm Republican. Second child was W. W. Messenger ; he married Miss Drusilla Brown ; they reside in this township. Mr. E. N. Messenger is Republican in politics. He came to this county with scarcely anything, and he has by his own industry accumulated a large property.

Mills, W. D., far., S. 27 ; P. O. Marshalltown.

**MODLIN, GEORGE**, farmer, Sec. 34 ; P. O. Marshalltown ; born in Henry Co., Ind., July 27, 1839 ; when he was 10 years of age, his parents moved to Blackford Co., Ind., where they remained until 1856 ; they then moved to this State, and settled in Grundy Co., where the subject of this sketch remained until 1862, when he went to Story Co., where he married Miss Martha Pearson Jan. 5, 1862 ; she was born in Henry Co., Ind., Jan. 3, 1844 ; they remained in Story Co. about two years, when they moved to Grundy Co., remaining there until 1866, when they moved to this county ; they have five children—Miss R. R., born in Grundy Feb. 12, 1866 ; Leonard, born in this county Jan. 29, 1869 ; Laban, born in this county in 1871 ; Luther, born Sept. 29, 1873 ; Mary, born in this county



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of the church. He has lived in harmony with his professions, and his honorable, upright life is well worthy of emulation. In the years of his residence here he has won the confidence and regard of all with whom he has been brought in contact and has a wide circle of warm friends.



**CAPT. W. D. MILLS.** No one is more universally esteemed in Taylor Township, Marshall County, than the old soldier whose name appears at the head of this sketch. Whenever a call for public help is issued, Captain Mills aids with money and work, and is always promptly on hand whenever any great political or any other important public event occurs. Notwithstanding the prominent position which he holds among the citizens of this township and county, he is one of the most unostentatious of men. He is at the present time a successful farmer and stock-raiser in Taylor Township, and owns a fine farm of five hundred acres, on which he has resided for the past twenty-eight years. He carries on general stock-raising, keeping some of the very best grades.

Captain Mills was born in Medina County, Ohio, in 1838, and was the fifth in order of birth in a family of six children born to Luman and Sylvia (Peas) Mills, natives of Connecticut. The Mills family came originally from England. Our subject attended Hiram (Ohio) College, and conducted his studies under the tutelage of James A. Garfield for two years. He left that state during the time of the Pike's Peak excitement, in 1859, and that same year returned to Bureau County, Ill., where he taught school during the winter months and farmed during the summer.

When war was declared in 1861, the patriotism of our subject was manifested when he enlisted in Company I, Twelfth Illinois Infantry. He went out for three months, at the end of which time he returned to his home and re-enlisted for three years. When he returned to the service, in August, he went out as Second Lieutenant of the same

company and regiment as before, but in April, 1862, he was promoted to the rank of First Lieutenant, and received on that same date his commission as Captain. He took part in the battles of Fts. Henry and Donelson, Shiloh, Iuka, Corinth, and was in all the engagements during the Atlanta Campaign. His term of service expired in 1864, and he returned home to once more enjoy the peace and comfort of domestic life. A short time afterward he came to Marshalltown and bought a farm, to which he moved his wife and household effects, and immediately set about clearing and improving the land.

The Captain was married to Miss Alice Butt in November, 1862, and the result of this union was the birth of five children, namely: Mary E., wife of A. F. Steward; Marguerite, Charles P., Lula M., and Nettie, who died when eleven years of age. Captain Mills was sent to the State Legislature in 1874, where he served one term. In 1877 he was elected to the Senate, to which he proved a valuable and able addition. Politically, he is a true Republican, and socially is a member of the Free and Accepted Masons. He is an exceedingly popular man in the community, and justly merits the high esteem in which he is held.



**WILLIAM E. TOOGOOD.** In these days of money making, when life is a constant struggle between right and wrong, it is a pleasure to present to an intelligent reader the unsullied record of an honorable man. To the youth it will be a useful lesson, an incentive to honest industry. Such a man we find in the subject of this sketch.

William E. Toogood was born in Somersetshire, England, town of Fifet, in 1838, and his parents, William and Elizabeth (Sanford) Toogood, were natives of the same place. His grandparents were Thomas and Elizabeth Toogood. The father of our subject, who was a farmer in his native country, was a man of considerable wealth. For many years he was a worthy member of the Episcopal

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officers of the Cedar Rapids Savings Bank, an institution to which he devoted much of his time and attention. By the death of Mr. Daniel the last member of a family which began business in Marion and Cedar Rapids in the early forties has been removed.

B. L. W.

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GEORGE WELLS was born in Newington, Conn., May 14, 1821; he died at his home near Wellsburg, Grundy county, Iowa, Aug. 2, 1906. He came to Iowa in 1855 and invested heavily in lands, realizing his values would increase. At one time he owned about 9,000 acres in Grundy county, and he left an immense fortune at the time of his death. He took an active interest in the first railroad built in that county and the village of Wellsburg was named for him. He represented Grundy county in the 17th General Assembly.

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E. G. PERROTT was born in Northport, N. Y., Sep. 4, 1832; he died in Emergency Hospital, Los Angeles, Cal., April 17, 1906. He received his schooling in New York City. At the age of 11 he went to sea and remained for three years. From 15 until the age of 40 he was engaged in ship-building, helping to build the boat "America" that won the first cup in the International Yacht Race. After locating in Iowa he engaged for a time in farming. He was a member of the 26th General Assembly and was re-elected to the 27th.

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WILLIAM D. MILLS was born in Medina county, Ohio, in 1838; he died in Chicago in July, 1906. Throughout the civil war he served in Company I, 12th Illinois Infantry; in 1862 he was promoted to the captaincy. From 1865 to 1897 he resided in Marshall county, Iowa. He served one term as sheriff. He represented Marshall county in the 16th General Assembly, and was a member of the senate in the 22d and 23d General Assemblies.

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WILLIAM F. POWELL was born in Kent county, Delaware, in 1849; his lifeless body was found near Panora, Kansas, June 24, 1906. More than thirty years of his life were spent in Indianola, Iowa, where he settled in 1871. In 1873 he graduated from Simpson College; he was admitted to the bar in 1875, and elected mayor in 1876. He represented Warren county in the 19th General Assembly.

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JOHN CLARK was born in Oxford, Mass., Dec. 9, 1817; he died in Albia, Iowa, Aug. 2, 1906. In 1841 he removed to Iowa, and in 1843 settled in Kishkekosh, now Monroe county, where he afterward resided. He was elected the first sheriff of the county in 1845, and for many years filled the office of county supervisor. He represented Monroe county in the 10th General Assembly.

Department of Iowa  
Grand Army of the Republic

Veteran's name Mills, William D

War

Residence

Battles, etc.

Occupation

Nearest relatives

Date birth

1839 Place Medina Co., Ohio

Father

Nativity

Date death J1 17 1906 Place Chicago, Ill

Mother

Nativity

Cause Riverside Cem Place burial Marshalltown

Wife Alice Butts

War record

Capt I 12 Ill. Inf.

Children

Four children

Res. Princeton

Charles born Ap 17, 1879 Marshall Co., Iowa

Enlisted 17 Ap 1862 Must. 8 Oct '62

Term expired 8 Ag 1864

Enlisted first as 2nd Lieut Aug 1, 1861. Promoted 1st Lieut Apr 7 1862.

Promoted Capt Apr 17 1862, mustered Oct 8 1862. Term expired Aug 8 1864.

Source: Adj. Gen. Rept. Ill.: (William D) Ex-Soldiers Living Iowa 1886: 2nd Lieut-res Marshalltown/ Graves Reg.: burial- (out of file)

Discharged

Date

Place

Department of Iowa  
Grand Army of the Republic

Veteran's name Mills, William D

Record Membership and Dues Paid

Offices of honor in G. A. R.

Post name Post No. Place Date Joined  
Frank M. Thomas 94 (153) Marshalltown 13 N '83  
Re. 1st trm '94 Sus. 1st trm '99  
Sus. 1st trm '04

Year Date Paid Amount Year Date Paid Amount  
One time Sheriff of Marshall Co. Also, was State Representative and Senator.

Member-at-Large

Year Date Paid Amount

Application to join A. F. Haradon Camp No. 13, S. U. V. of Marshalltown, Iowa on file #86 on Desc Book Elected Ap 23, 1897

Suspended

Died

You searched for **William D. Mills** in **Iowa**Provided in  
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Widow: **Alice Mills**

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Name: **William D Mills**  
 Home in 1900: **Chicago Ward 30, Cook, Illinois**  
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 Age: **61**  
 Birth Date: **Dec 1838**  
 Birthplace: **Ohio**  
 Race: **White**  
 Gender: **Male**  
 Relationship to head-of-house: **Head**  
 Father's Birthplace: **Connecticut**  
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ID: I272  
 Name: William D MILLS  
 Surname: Mills  
 Given Name: William D  
 Prefix: Senator  
 Nickname: Billy  
 Sex: M  
 Birth: Dec 1838 in OH  
 Death: 17 Jul 1906 in Chicago, IL <sup>1</sup>  
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[Mary Catherine MILLS](#) b: ABT 1865 in Marshall county, IA  
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 Title: Death record  
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**Born:** 1838  
**Died:** 1906  
**Cemetery:** RIVERSIDE  
**Location:** MARSHALLTOWN  
**County:** MARSHALL CO. - IOWA

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