

Standard Form For Members of the Legislature

Name of **Representative** Rowan, James Senator \_\_\_\_\_

Represented Dubuque County, Iowa

1. Birthday and place 10 Mar 1827 Dublin, Ireland

2. Marriage (s) date place

Christine Healy 3 May 1851 Dubuque County, Iowa

3. Significant events for example:

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

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

C. Profession Grain dealer; gardener; red cloth business;  
merchandising; lead mines

4. Church membership Catholic

5. Sessions served 22<sup>nd</sup> General Assembly 1888

6. Public Offices

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

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

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

7. Death 4 Sept 1910 Dubuque, Iowa; buried Mt. Olivet Cemetery, Dubuque, Iowa

8. Children Joseph John; Emerson; George; Clement; Annalie; Isabella T.;  
Mary Stella

9. Names of parents \_\_\_\_\_

10. Education He had some education in Dublin, Ireland but it was left for America. He was instructed in the classics by a Presbyterian minister in Patterson, New Jersey that added to his education.

11. Degrees \_\_\_\_\_

12. Other applicable information Democrat

- Military service - Mexican War - and Civil War
- Sailed to America at age 10, landing in New York City and then moved to Patterson, New Jersey where he learned the trade of gardening.
- In 1846 enlisted with Columbia, New York Volunteers for service in California
- After the Mexican War he engaged in gold mining in the American River until 1849 when he returned to New York City.
- Later he came to Dubuque, Iowa purchasing land and developing it, but his venture proved unprofitable.
- He moved into Dubuque and engaged in the grain business.
- In 1852 he entered a partnership with Christian Healy
- In 1854 he began working in real estate
- In 1856 he became interested in lead mining and gained a handsome reward operating until 1860.
- In 1861 he followed the grain business again and then after the war he went back into real estate



arouse the greatest opposition to conservation as a cause, and if it were a correct expression of the purpose of conservationists it ought to arouse this opposition. Real conservation involves wise, non-wasteful use in the present generation, with every possible means of preservation for succeeding generations; and though the problem to secure this end may be difficult, the burden is on the present generation promptly to solve it and not to run away from it as cowards, lest in the attempt to meet it we may make some mistake. As I have said elsewhere, the problem is how to save and how to utilize, how to conserve and still develop; for no sane person can contend that it is for the common good that nature's blessings should be stored only for unborn generations.

"I beg of you, therefore, in your deliberations and in your informal discussions, when men come forward to suggest evils that the promotion of conservation is to remedy, that you invite them to point out the specific evils and the specific remedies; that you invite them to come down to details in order that their discussions may flow into channels that shall be useful rather than into periods that shall be eloquent and entertaining, without shedding real light on the subject. The people should be shown exactly what is needed in order that they make their representatives in congress and the state legislature do their intelligent bidding."

Horses wanted of any kind at Du-  
buque House, Saturday, Sept. 10.

D. LEVY & SON.

and Sermon Was Preached by Dr.  
J. M. Wolfe—Business  
Meeting Monday.

The exercises attending the reunion of the Alumnae association of Mt. St. Joseph's college on Sunday were purely religious. In the chapel of the Sacred Heart, where the faithful alumna knelt and prayed in happy school girl days, the members of the association attended solemn high mass on Sunday morning at 2 o'clock. Very Rev. M. Barry was the celebrant of the mass; Rev. A. R. Thier, deacon, and Rev. T. Conry, sub-deacon. The sermon was preached by Rev. John M. Wolfe.

Solemn benediction of the Blessed Sacrament took place on Sunday afternoon.

On Monday morning Dr. A. R. Thier, chaplain for the Mount, celebrated a requiem mass for the repose of the souls of the deceased alumnae.

The business meeting was held on Monday forenoon and the remainder of the time preceding adjournment will be filled up with social intercourse and renewal of old friendships.

#### DIED.

ROWAN In this city, James Rowan, at 1022 Bluff street, Sunday, Sept. 4, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Funeral Tuesday from the residence, at 8:45 a. m., to St. Patrick's church. Burial private. Omit flowers.

Read the Times-Journal want ads.

# A Plan for HOME DECORATION FREE

# ATTEMPT TO BLOW UP OFFICERS HOME

The Times Journal on La Sept 6 Chief of Police A. Hiltz today received an letter written on Union square, and mailed in this city threatening to blow up his September 10. A similar threat was in the epistle relative to of Mayor Cross and the First bank.

It said he did not want any a estimated that he desired on with the chief for an al- vice.

Receipt of this letter, on the he partly successful attempt the Grand opera house, with a crime bomb, last Friday led intense excitement. The it worried but will overlook to capture the writer of the case identification in sum-

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League House SATURDAY SEPT 10  
D. LEVY & SON.

Donald Hunter, of Iowa from Omaha to spend a few days with his parents.

Mullen Bros. painting steam and gas fitting 1236 Main St. Tels 769.

Mrs. Frank Welch has returned to her home from a months' visiting with relatives and friends at Boyesdale, Prairie du Chien and La Cross.

Removed to B. & L. Bldg., 623-627. F. Doermann, Ladies' and Gents' Tailoring.

Mrs. S. J. Trollet who has spent the past two months visiting her sister, Mrs. C. J. W. Saunders, has departed for her home at Phoenix, Ariz.

Messrs. Al and Chris Schrau spent Labor day with friends in Chicago.

Fresh Cut Flowers at Harkett's.

Miss Emma Kelly, of the waist department of Roshck's store, has returned from a two weeks' vacation spent in Chicago.

## FUNERAL OF JAS. ROWAN

SERVICES HELD AT ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH, FATHER DOWLING OFFICIATING.

The funeral of the late James Rowan was held Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock from the family residence, 1022 Bluff street, to St. Patrick's church. Rev. Father Dowling celebrated the requiem mass at the church and officiated at the burial service in Mt. Olivet.

The honorary pall bearers were Messrs. D. D. Myers and B. J. O'Neil. Active pall bearers: Frank Plekenbrock, Wm. Lawther, Jos. Anton Kaesle, Frank Schroeder, J. J. Murray and Frank Altman.

St. Louis Grain Market.  
St. Louis, Sept. 8.—Close: Wheat—Sept, 96½c; Dec, \$1.00½.  
Corn—Sept, 84½c; Dec, 84c.

Loans and Discounts	\$ 57
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	2
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	7
U. S. Bonds on hand	7
Premiums on U. S. Bonds, Bonds, Securities, etc.	7
Banking house, Furniture, and Fixtures	5
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)	5
Due from State and Private Banks and Bankers, Trust Companies, and Savings Banks	40
Due from approved Reserve Agents	13
Checks and other Cash Items Exchanges for Clearing House	1
Notes of other National Banks	10
Fractional Paper, Currency, Nickels, and Cents	4
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz:	
Specie	\$9,459.55
Legal-tender notes	10,000.00
	\$ 103
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent. circulation)	1
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$1,111</b>

<b>LIABILITIES.</b>	
Capital stock paid in	\$ 100
Surplus fund	20
Undivided profits, less Expenses and Taxes paid	2
National Bank Note outstanding	24
Due to other National Banks	190
Due to State and Private Banks and Bankers	138
Due to Trust Companies and Savings Banks	103
Dividends unpaid	
Individual deposits subject to check	203
Demand certificates of deposit	1
Time certificates of deposit	826
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$1,111</b>

Total \$1,111.  
State of Iowa, County of Dubuque, I. D. D. Myers, President of above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.  
D. D. MYERS, President  
Subscribed and sworn to before this 6th day of September, 1910.  
GEO. J. HOMAN,  
Notary Public

Correct—Attest.  
C. H. BERG,  
T. W. RUEBE,  
W. J. BROWN,  
Directors



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## JAMES Rowan

Birth **10 MAR 1827** in [Dublin, Ireland](#)

Death **4 SEP 1910** in [Dubuque, Iowa](#)

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Timeline ([View details](#))

**1827**  
10 Mar [Birth](#)  
[Dublin, Ireland](#)

**1827**  
Apr [Baptism](#)  
[St. Nichols Chapel, Francis St., Dublin](#)

**1847**  
BEF [Occupation](#)  
[Gardener in New Jersey](#)  
Age: 20

**1847**  
Age: 20 [Military](#) [1 source citation](#)  
BET 1847 AND 1848  
[Mexican War](#)

**1849**  
Age: 22 [Bounty Land Warrant](#)  
[I have a copy in my files](#)

**1851**  
28 Apr [Married by](#)  
[Rev McEvoy](#)  
Age: 24

**1851**  
28 Apr [Marriage to CHRISTINA Heatley](#) [1 source citation](#)  
[Dubuque, Iowa, St. Raphael's Cathedral](#)  
Age: 24

**1910**  
4 Sep [Death](#)  
[Dubuque, Iowa](#)  
Age: 83

[Marriage End](#)  
Y

[Height](#)  
5 ft. 9 in.

[Medical](#)  
He had a ruddy complexion, his eyes were blue or hazel, and his hair was dark brown.

[Religion](#)  
[Roman Catholic](#)

[Burial](#)  
[Mt. Olivet Cemetery, Dubuque, Iowa](#)

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### Family Members

#### Parents

No Father

No Mother

[Show siblings](#)

#### Spouse & Children

[CHRISTINA Heatley](#)  
1834 – 1916

[JOSEPH John Rowan](#)  
1852 – 1927

[Emerson Rowan](#)  
1854 – 1855

[George Rowan](#)  
1856 – 1872

[Clement Rowan](#)  
1857 – 1858

[Anna C. Rowan](#)  
1860 – 1872

[Isabella T. Rowan](#)  
1864 – 1943

[Mary Stella Rowan](#)  
1865 – 1965

[Family group sheet](#)

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#### Certificate of Marriage

1 citation provides evidence for **Marriage**

#### Index to Mexican War Pension Applications - 1985

1 citation provides evidence for **Military**

### Web Links

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