

Standard Form For Members of the Legislature

Name of Representative Yergoy, John William Senator _____

Representative, Montgomery County, Iowa

1. Birthday and place 9 Aug 1846 Circleville, Pickaway County, Ohio

2. Marriage (s) date place

Mary Mayhew 10 Dec 1870 Montgomery County, Iowa

3. Significant events for example:

A. Business _____

B. Civic responsibilities None

C. Profession Farmer; teacher; hardware merchant

4. Church membership Baptist

5. Sessions served 22nd, 23rd General Assembly 1888, 1890

6. Public Offices

A. Local _____

B. State _____

C. National _____

7. Death 6 Jan 1923 Bozeman, Gallatin County, Montana buried Bozeman, Montana

8. Children Alfred; Maurice; Stanley; Jessie (Mrs. Steve Nettling);
Blanche (Mrs. Carl Smith)

9. Names of parents John and Rebecca (Lister) Yergoy

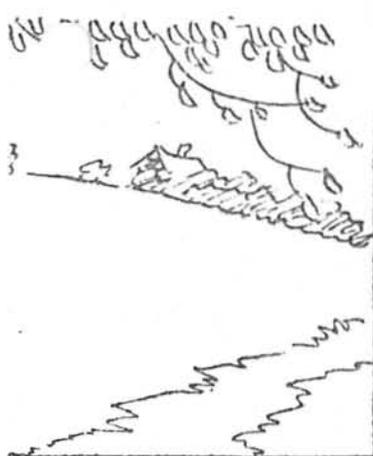
10. Education He went to school until age 16. He returned to the Clearing House High School after trying to enlist in the Civil War.

11. Degrees _____

12. Other applicable information Republican

- He came with his parents to Lucas County, Iowa in 1849 and in 1856 they moved to Montgomery County, Iowa
- He left school to enlist in the Civil War but he was not accepted because of his youthfulness.
- He then taught school for 10 years in the Villina, Iowa area
- In 1872-1873 he was engaged in the hardware business at Austin in Monmouth County, Iowa
- Since then he engaged in farming.

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5 Years Ago

Friday, January 8, 1897

B. Chapman, of Des Moines, an t in house decoration and ing, has been doing consider- we in the city. He has done interior wall decoration in the ences of A. R. Tracy, Judge er and T. D. Murphy.

ss Pearl Clements is passing a weeks with relatives at Atchi- Kas.

s. T. D. Murphy is enjoying a from her cousin, Mrs. R. E. c. of Des Moines.

do Clark was a passenger Sun- or Worcester, Mass., to resume school work.

esses Olivette and Jessie Best been entertaining their young d, Miss Flint, from Creston.

ith Palmer, Mary Hayes and e Miller returned this week to to the Academy at Godfrey, Ill.

Idge Fisher and Miss Clara De were married at Plattsmouth, Wednesday of last week.

awson's bus, formerly William an had recently been uphol- d. In and otherwise im- ed for the benefit of the travel- public.

ont Crabbe in the agency for E. Bryon's new book and is coin- cash.

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JOHN YERGEY DROPS DEAD AT BOZEMAN

John Yergey, at one time promi- nent in political and business affairs in Montgomery county, died at Boze- man, Mont., Saturday of heart fail- ure, according to a telegram receiv- ed by Harry P. Mayhew of this city, Sunday. Mr. Yergey apparently was in good health. He fell dead.

Mr. Yergey resided in and near Villisea during the greater part of his life and has many friends and relatives in this county. He served as state representative several terms from this district. A few years ago he removed to Bozeman with his family. The body will be buried in Bozeman.

The deceased is survived by his widow, three sons, Alfred, Maurice and Stanley; two daughters, Mrs. Steve Nutting and Mrs. Carl Speith. B. R. Mayhew and Wal Mayhew of Sciola departed yesterday to be in attendance at the funeral.

MRS. M'AFEE IS DEAD

Had Resided in Red Oak for Past Fifteen Years

Mrs. Phoebe T. McAfee, 83, died at the home of H. J. Fisher Satur- day morning of a complication of diseases incident to her advanced age. Short funeral services were held at the Fisher home Sunday af- ternoon. Rev. E. P. Hammond offi- ciated. The body was sent to An-

ENGAGEMENT IS ANNOUNCED

Wedding of Miss Bernice Baxter and Dr. Thompsen Set for Jan. 24

The engagement of Miss Bernice Baxter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Baxter, Red Oak, to Thomas P. Thomsen of this city, was announced at a one o'clock luncheon and bridge party at the Baxter home Saturday afternoon. The wedding will take place January 24.

Covers were laid for twenty-four guests. Bridesmaid place cards bearing the announcement of the engagement graced each place. A large bowl of pluk and lavender sweet peas composed the center piece of the dining table. A toy electric engine bearing a kewpie bride and groom and a placard telling of the wedding day, pursued its course over a miniature oval track about the center piece. A rear course dinner was served.

At the conclusion of the luncheon the guests enjoyed an afternoon of bridge.

SEEFELDT SEDAN TURNS TURTLE ON COBURG ROAD

Mrs. A. J. Seefeldt and Mrs. Wayne Ashby and two infants nar- rowly escaped serious injuries on Thursday afternoon when the car in which they were riding turned tur- tle on the highway west of Coburg. The car flipped completely upside down. The top of the sedan was

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NEWS OF TWENTY YEARS AGO

The following news items are taken from The Review of the issue of Jan. 14, 1903:

J. L. Smith was in Omaha last Tuesday and Wednesday on business.

A bowling alley is being installed in the Scholz building and the doors will be opened tomorrow.

Edith Hopkins returned Sunday from a visit with relatives in Chicago and other points in Illinois.

Miss Jessie Frances Smith returned home from St. Louis last Thursday and is now teaching a class in music.

J. R. Bateman, who purchased the feed barn of T. S. Wright, is moving into the Milton Patterson residence this week. Mr. Bateman takes possession of the barn Thursday of this week.

H. Gallup and Miss Addie Gallup, both of Sciola, were united in marriage at Corning Wednesday, Rev. Shipman officiating. They will make their home temporarily with the bride's mother, Mrs. Mary Gallup, at Sciola.

The following officers were elected by the Christian church Thursday evening: W. A. Wallace, trustee; S. L. Wickersham, George Farquhar and W. B. Arbuckle, deacons; O. R. Osborn, clerk; George Farquhar, trustee.

Twenty Years Ago Last Week

The following news items are taken from The Review of the issue of Jan. 7, 1903.

Chas. Strait and Miss Hattie James of Douglas township in Adams county were married Dec. 24 at the home of the bride. A reception in their honor was given at the home of A. C. Strait on Christmas day. About seventy friends and neighbors were in attendance.

SCIOLA AND TENVILLE

J. P. Mayhew received a telegram Saturday evening that J. W. Yergey of Bozeman, Mont., had passed away very suddenly at 10:45 that morning. B. R. and W. P. Mayhew left Sunday noon for Bozeman to attend the funeral. Mr. Yergey and family were former residents of this vicinity, having lived on what is now the Shaw farm where Jim Hart and family reside. Twenty years ago next July the family moved to Bozeman where they have resided ever since. The deceased was born in Ohio on Aug. 9, 1846, and would have been seventy-seven years old his next birthday. He was married December 8, 1879 to Miss Mollie Mayhew, and to this union were born six children. One son Chas. died in childhood. Mr. Yergey leaves his widow and three sons, Alfred of Bozeman, Maurice of Omaha and Stanley of Hardin, Montana, and at present at San Diego, Calif., and two daughters, Mrs. Jessie Nutting of Omaha and Mrs. Blanche Speith of Bozeman and many relatives here. When Mr. Yergey was a young man he was a very successful school teacher of this community, and there are a great many in this vicinity who went to school to him. At one time Mr. Yergey represented this county in the house of representatives in Des Moines. He resided in Villisca for several years.

Gust Swanson left Wednesday evening for Aurora, Ill., where he will spend the rest of the winter visiting with relatives.

Dr. McIntosh delivered hogs in Villisca last Thursday.

Mrs. Jim Bolt and Miss Mabel Helms spent a few days in Villisca last week with relatives.

John Smith and family recently visited Thos. Thompson, until the first of

parents, Nels Cronwe Nodaway. Her daughter has been spending the winter with her grandparents.

Mrs. Thos. Thompson and William spent Sunday with their daughter and sister, sell, and family.

Mrs. Sadie Query is spending her days with Mrs. Anderson's family north of Wall.

Miss Bertha Daniels is sick list a few days.

C. J. Anderson entertained fifteen of their home Saturday evening supper.

Forest Cartwright spent Sunday with Mike Anderson's family near Strand, Thos. Anderson.

Mrs. Thos. Thompson spent the week at Council Bluffs on Thursday by the serious operation, Mrs. Hayes, who

Ray Robb spent Sunday at Red Oak with his sister.

Normie Danbom spent Sunday dinner guest son and family.

Lawrence and C. Anderson and families were entertained and Mrs. Walter Anderson.

Leonard Lindquist, Hazel and Miss Est Dorothy Donohue were at the Beryl Altaffer last week.

Mrs. Vina Gourley left last Friday for Dakota where she will remain indefinitely with Mrs. Kate Green at Will make a short visit to Villisca.

Miss Leah Jackson spent her two weeks' vacation with her parents, Geo. J.

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Mrs. John Zuber and sons John and Ronald spent a few days the first of the week with relatives at Afton.

James Kendrick, the township assessor, has commenced to make his business calls again.

Miss Louise Focht attended a shower for Miss Helen Davie at the home of Mrs. H. H. Nordyke in Villisca last Thursday evening and spent the night with Dorothy Wheeler.

John Smith went to Nodaway Saturday to visit a few days with his wife and children at the home of her parents, Nels Cronwell and wife.

A. H. Lehman and family of Morton Mills spent Sunday with P. S. Focht and family.

Mrs. Frank Gourley called on her mother, Mrs. Rachel Black, and Mrs. Guss Dunn and little son Loren Eugene Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Roy Bates and daughter Carol spent a few days last week with Mrs. Bates' parents, Andrew Swanson and wife, near Red Oak.

Rev. L. B. Carpenter will hold services at the Holmes Chapel Sunday, January 21, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, when every one is invited to be present.

Mrs. Ray Huey and little son spent a few days last week with Jim Bolt and family.

The funeral of John W. Yergey, who was formerly a resident of this vicinity and an account of whose death was given last week, was held Tuesday afternoon of last week at the Presbyterian church in Bozeman, Mont. The service was largely attended, and the floral tributes were numerous and very beautiful. Among those in attendance were members of the Presbyterian session, of which Mr. Yergey had been a faithful member for many years, and

music he had ever heard in the Cunningham home.

Robt. Hyde has been busy the past week shredding corn fodder. Beh Moyer is doing the work.

Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Gourley and Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Focht visited in the Atwood home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Godfred and sons Harold and Victor attended the wedding of their nephew and cousin in Red Oak Tuesday the 9th.

The picture show was attended by a fairly good crowd last Tuesday night, which was given by F. Bates at the school house.

J. Q. Focht ate Sunday dinner in the Oscar Focht home.

Don't forget the next community club meeting. The date is Jan. 26.

The friends of Floyd Curby were sorry to hear of his accident which occurred Jan. 10, when he was thrown from a horse and seriously injured. The Curby family moved from near here last fall to a farm near Villisca.

Some from this vicinity attended the funeral services of Jasper Paulin in Grant Sunday afternoon.

Fred Focht and wife visited Saturday evening in the Walter Hone home near Red Oak.

Revival meetings conducted by Rev. Sutton of Elliott will begin at the Christian church Sunday evening, Jan. 21. Everybody come.

Chas. Arnold of Des Moines took supper Monday evening with his brother, J. H. Arnold and wife.

Tom Albright went to Missouri Monday to spend several days with relatives.

Mrs. Walter Graham left Monday afternoon on her return to her home in St. Louis, Mo., after a visit of a couple of weeks here in the home of her brother, S. C. Ashmore.

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also many of the members of the Ma-
 sonic order, with which the deceased
 was affiliated. The lodge officers
 conducted the burial service.

Frank Gourley was a business vis-
 itor at the county seat Monday.

Orville Waganan and wife spent
 Sunday with Clyde Gourley and wife.

MORTON MILLS NEWS

Fred Focht has been shelling corn
 the past week for Ralph DeVoss,
 Mr. Minick, Joe and Lars O. Larson.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Lehman, daugh-
 ter Elizabeth, took supper Thursday
 in the Russel Neary home.

Mrs. S. I. Atwood went to Grant
 last week to visit her mother, Mrs.
 Cozad, and other relatives.

Uncle Billy Atwood celebrated his
 88th birthday the 10th and in the
 evening listened to the first radio
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The Friendship club met V
 day, January 10, with Mrs. J
 Decker and elected the follow
 ficers for the year 1923: Pr
 Mrs. Joe English; vice preside
 John Malnberg; secretary and
 urer, Mrs. C. A. Moore. Aff
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 Mrs. Joe English.—Secretary.

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- ID: I565
- Name: John William YERGEY
- Given Name: John William
- Surname: Yergey
- Sex: M
- Birth: 9 AUG 1846 in Circleville, Pickaway Co., Ohio
- Death: 6 JAN 1923 in Bozeman, Montana
- Occupation: State House Representative for Montgomery County 22nd and 23rd General Assemblies Des Moines, Iowa
- Event: Moved 1903 Montana

Father: [John YERGEY](#) b: 7 MAR 1819 in Berks Co., PA

Mother: [Rebecca LISTER](#) b: 20 MAR 1827 in Baltimore, MD

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