

Standard Form For Members of the Legislature

Name of Representative Sessions, Schuyler S. Senator

Represented Cass County, Iowa

1. Birthday and place 1855 Wisconsin

2. Marriage (s) date place

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3. Significant events for example:

A. Business Admitted to the bar, but practice of little

B. Civic responsibilities I.O.O.F., a director of the Iowa State Fair

C. Profession Farmer; mail route business; loan company; collection agent; lawyer; hotel night clerk

4. Church membership

5. Sessions served 25th General Assembly 1894

6. Public Offices

A. Local

B. State Director of the Iowa State Fair for several years

C. National

7. Death 15 Feb 1903 Sioux City, Iowa; buried Riverside Cemetery, Algona, Iowa

8. Children No children

9. Names of parents Columbus and Cordelia Sessions

10. Education

11. Degrees

12. Other applicable information

Republican

- He came from Thoscoin to Algona with his family and engaged in the insurance business
- He studied law, admitted to the bar, but never acquired much practice
- While in Des Moines in the legislature he incurred many unnecessary debts
- He met a divorced woman; they married and set up housekeeping in Algona, Iowa. They soon separated because of his drinking habits.
- He became dissatisfied with life in Algona and so moved to Sioux City, Iowa where he became morose, lonely and ruined by excessive drinking. He moved to Sioux City in 1889
- He was known by the nickname of "Colonel."

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and four children survive him. His re-
mains will be brought to Avoca and the
funeral will be under the auspices of the
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CHILD SERIOUSLY BURNED.

Four-Year-Old Grace Campbell of Corn-
ing Nearly Lost Her Life.
Special to the Capital.

Corning, Feb. 17.—Last evening, Grace,
the four-year-old daughter of Mr. and
Mrs. Henry Campbell was seriously burn-
ed while playing with a cloth in the
kitchen range. She was terribly burned
about the head and face and hands. Mrs.
Campbell had left the house but a few
moments before on an errand when hear-
ing the screams of the child she was hor-
rified to see her running towards her all
in flames. Hastily catching the little
girls up she rolled her on the ground till
the fire was extinguished. She immedi-
ately summoned the family physician who
gives hope of a recovery.

S. S. SESSIONS IS DEAD.

Was Formerly Member of House of Rep-
resentatives From Kossuth.
Special to the Capital.

Algona, Feb. 17.—S. S. Sessions died Sun-
day night in Sloux City. The immediate
cause of his death is not obtainable here
at the present time. Mr. Sessions was a
resident of Algona for many years, where
he studied law and practiced for some
time. He represented this district in the
lower house of the legislature about eight
years ago. His step-mother resides in Al-
gona, and the remains will arrive here to-
day for burial. Deceased was a man young
in years, being probably about 40 years
old. He has a brother at Jamestown, N.
Y. He was an Odd Fellow, and it is like-
ly the order here will have charge of the
funeral exercises.

ROADS MUST BE GOOD.

Many Rural Routes Are to Be Abolished if
Farmers Do Not Fix Roads.
Special to the Capital.

Marshalltown, Feb. 17.—Special Agent J.
T. Boylan has begun the inspection of the
rural routes running out of Marshalltown
with a view to ascertaining whether there
are any reasons why the service should be
discontinued. The inspection will be rigid
and any defects will be reported to Wash-
ington. Particular attention is to be paid
to the condition of the roads. A similar
inspection will be made of all the routes
in Iowa, and it is intimated that a large
number of them will be discontinued, un-
less the patrons make an effort to improve
the roads and patronize the routes suffi-
ciently to warrant their continuance.

OFFICER RETURNS EMPTY HANDED

Ruby Goodman Somewhere Out in the
State of Nebraska.
Special to the Capital.

Iowa Falls, Feb. 17.—Constable H. J.
Barrick returned last evening from west-
ern Nebraska, where he went with requi-
sition papers to bring Ruby Goodman
back to this county to answer the charge
of larceny. Barrick went to Savage, Neb.,
where Goodman was supposed to be stay-
ing with relatives but on reaching there

and J. H. SCILES OF ACRYLY, AN ACCIDENT
for Clemons, made the argument before
the supreme court.

AFTER MRS. GALLAUGHER.

Purse of \$275 Raised by Her Neighbors to
Secure Her Conviction.
Special to the Capital.

Iowa City, Feb. 17.—A purse of \$275 is
said to have been raised at River Junc-
tion by neighbors of Mrs. Sarah Ellen
Gallaugher for the purpose of securing
counsel to assist in her prosecution and,
if possible, to secure a life sentence for
perjury. The neighbors of Mrs. Gal-
laugher are very bitter against her.

Charles Holoda was brought back from
the state penitentiary today to testify be-
fore the grand jury, and it is supposed
that a new and stronger indictment is to
be returned against Mrs. Gallaugher.

BALDWIN SELLS OUT.

Hamburg Banker Disposes of His Inter-
ests and Takes a Trip South.
Special to the Capital.

Hamburg, Feb. 17.—J. F. Baldwin of the
Hamburg Banking Co., has sold his in-
terest in that institution to J. L. Morgan,
and gone on a trip south to look at the
country.

F. J. Ward has purchased the grocery
stock of John Wright and will continue
the business at the old stand.

H. R. Grape is starting the third lum-
ber yard here. He has ten car loads of
lumber here and is naving some sheds
built.

MAJOR S. P. ALEXANDER DEAD.

Well Known Citizen of Southwestern
Iowa Passes Away.
Special to the Capital.

Sidney, Feb. 17.—Mayor S. P. Alexander
of Hamburg, died at the home of his
daughter, Mrs. C. A. Danforth, last night,
aged 88 years. Mayor Alexander was born
in Vermont April 25, 1814. In 1836 he was
married to Miss Laura Bean at Chelsea,
Vt. Several children blessed the mar-
riage, three of whom are now living, Mrs.
C. A. Danforth, Mrs. E. J. H. Beard and
Frank Alexander of Hamburg.

WRECK ON NORTHWESTERN.

Fast Mail Train Wrecked Yesterday Near
Stanwood.
Special to the Capital.

Stanwood, Feb. 17.—The Northwestern
fast mail train was wrecked in a collision
with a local freight here this morning.
The freight was standing partly on the
side track, the remainder of the train be-
ing on the track of the main line. Sev-
eral freight cars were smashed and one
of the mail train cars was damaged. The
engineer of the freight and two of the
mail clerks suffered slight injuries.

GRACE CLARK WON OUT.

Corning High School Declamatory Con-
test Has Just Been Held.
Special to the Capital.

Corning, Feb. 17.—At the Corning high
school annual contest in declamation
there were thirteen contestants. The
winner was Miss Grace Clark of the
dramatic class, who will represent the
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contest which will be held at Corning
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S. S. SESSIONS DIES.

Succumbs to Paralysis at Sioux City Sunday.—Formerly a Political Figure in this County.

A telegram received here Sunday night from Sioux City brought the first intelligence of the death of S. S. Sessions, formerly of this place, which occurred in that city that day, paralysis being given as the immediate cause. In the columns of death announcements in the Sioux City Journal Monday the above facts are stated, and to the formal notice this paragraph is appended:

Deceased was formerly employed as day clerk at the Hotel Leader, having come to Sioux City from Algona several years ago. His mother still lives at Algona. He has a brother living at Jamestown, N. Y. Telegrams have been sent to the relatives apprising them of the sudden death of Mr. Sessions. The remains are now at Westcott's undertaking parlors awaiting word from the relatives before any further disposition of them is made.

Mr. Sessions was 46 years of age. He was born in Wisconsin. He came to Algona with his father, stepmother and brother, and engaged in insurance and other lines of business. He was chairman of the republican county committee for several years and held that position when nominated for the legislature in 1893. He was elected, defeating C. L. Lund. He came out for clerk of the supreme court in 1894 and secured 218 votes in the state convention. He was soon after married to a Des Moines woman but was divorced some years ago. He is believed to have died without property, but is said to have carried \$1,000 insurance in the Woodman order, which will go to his stepmother.

Supper at 6 o'clock, sharp.
Invocation, Rev. O. H. Holm.
Address by Coleman Chubb, commander of the Post.
Song—G. A. R. Glee Club.
Talk by S. E. McMahon.
Recitation.
Music.
Talk by B. F. Reed.
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Talk by F. M. Curtiss.
Song.
Short talk, by T. P. Harrington.
Close by singing "America", audience joining in.

A Wretched Millionaire

The story is told of the owner of several railroads who was unable to buy relief from the nerve-twisting agony of neuralgia. It is an old tale. The sick man must have known that Perry Davis' Painkiller would help him at once, as it has helped many thousands of sufferers in the past sixty years. There is but one Painkiller, Perry Davis'.

The Iowa State Register, not only Iowa's greatest weekly, but one of the great weeklies of the nation, a paper which should be in every home in the state, has invited us to assist in gaining 100,000 new subscribers to that publication. Until April 15 we are enabled to offer you the Iowa State Register and the UPPER DES MOINES-REPUBLICAN for only \$1.00 in advance. This offer will be good for only a short time. Come now, send in your order at once. Those who have paid already for the UPPER DES MOINES-REPUBLICAN can have the weekly Register for 15 cents. Hurry, the time to act.

Money to Loan.

On farm mortgages at five per cent. Also money for city loans. Call on Warren, over Algona State Bank.

Spectacles fitted by experienced optician; catarrh permanently cured. Dr. Preston, specialist, Wednesday, March 4.

money. Everything contributed in this county should be sent to Hon. C. J. A. Ericson at Boone, Iowa. This paper will gladly publish the names of persons in the several sections of the county to whom contributions may be paid. Now is the time to act.

Well, Bro. Clarke, this was sudden.

It is the talk now that there will be no bother about that platform. Of course not. Iowa republicans will get together beautifully on the basis of the national platform and the administration of President Roosevelt. There could be nothing better.

The benefits of publicity were evidenced last week in the announcement of the fact that Rockefeller had sent telegrams to several United States senators giving notice that the anti-trust law movement "must be stopped." It was not stopped. Those telegrams only settled it that the bill had to pass.

The Venezulean dispute was settled last week and the blockade of the little republic's ports has been raised. Minister Bowen, who represented Venezuela in the settlement, is the only person who comes out of the controversy with any credit. The blockading powers made a discreditable exhibition of themselves.

A notable event was the creation of the department of commerce last week, involving the addition of a ninth member to the president's cabinet. This department will deal with vast interests. Our foreign commerce last year amounted to imports of \$903,320,943 and \$1,361,719,401 exports and the internal commerce of the country reaches twenty billions a year.

The death of C. S. Sessions removes a man from Sioux City who formerly occupied a position of considerable prominence in this county. He represented the county in the legislature in 1894, and was a candidate for clerk of the supreme court before the republican state convention of that year, receiving 218 votes. Considering the poor opinion in which he later came to be held his prominence at that time is now regarded as one of the wonders

to contend with, can be prevented by the use of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Pneumonia always results from a cold or from an attack of la grippe, and it has been observed that this remedy counteracts any tendency to result in pneumonia. This has been proven in many thousands of cases in which this remedy has been used for coughs and colds during recent years. Pneumonia often results from a slight cold when no danger is apprehended until it is suddenly discovered that there is fever and difficult breathing and pains in the chest, the patient has pneumonia. Be on the safe side and take Chamberlain's as soon as the cold is contracted. We guarantee every bottle. For sale by R. H. Miller.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK,

OF ALGONA, IOWA.

At the close of business, Feb. 6, 1903.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts.....	\$203,256.72
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured.....	6,913.62
U. S. bonds to secure circulation.....	35,000.00
Premium on U. S. bonds.....	375.00
Banking house, furniture and fixtures.....	7,500.00
Due from national banks (not reserve agents).....	\$ 4,228.38
Due from State Banks & Bankers.....	948.35
Due from approved reserve agents.....	20,753.78
Checks and other cash items.....	216.41
Notes of other nat'l banks.....	4,010.00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents.....	59.70
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz: Specie.....	7,451.00
Legal tender notes.....	5,000.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per ct. of circulation).....	1,750.00
Total.....	\$297,462.96

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in.....	\$50,000.00
Surplus fund.....	10,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid.....	1,708.42
National Bank notes outstanding.....	35,000.00
Individual deposits subject to check.....	\$151,075.41
Demand certificates of deposits.....	29,679.13
Time certificates of deposit.....	15,000.00
Bills payable, including certificates of deposit for money borrowed.....	5,000.00
Total.....	\$297,462.96

State of Iowa, County of Kossuth—ss.
I, Wm. K. Ferguson, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

WM. K. FERGUSON, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of February, 1903. CHAS. A. COHENOR,
Correct—Attest. Notary Public.

AMBROSE A. CALL,
GARDNER COWLES, Directors

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DEAD FRIENDLESS AND ALONE.

Demise of Colonel Sessions, Former Legislator and Prominent Citizen.

The death of Colonel Schuyler S. Sessions, which occurred at Sioux City last Sunday and word of which was sent to this city Monday, marks the end of a once brilliant career which had great promise, but which finally gave way to an inordinate appetite. At one time Colonel Sessions was honored and respected in this community and the future stretched out brightly before him. But the evils of strong drink overtook him and this, coupled with other misfortunes, blasted all hopes of success and ruined a promising life.

The Sioux City Tribune gives the following account of Colonel Session's life and demise:

Lying in Westcott's undertaking parlors, unclaimed, are the remains of Colonel Schuyler S. Sessions, at one time a member of the governor's staff at Des Moines, in 1896 a member of the state legislature from Kossuth county, and formerly one of the prominent and popular attorneys of Algona.

He died Sunday night, the night clerk of the Leader hotel, which position he was given by Paul Leader the proprietor, when Colonel Sessions came to him with tears in his eyes and begged for something to do which would keep the wolf from the door.

Deserted by his wife, formerly prominent in society circles in Des Moines, because his love for intoxicating drinks exceeded his love for her, the life of Colonel Sessions had been a sad one. Years ago, he was living happily

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at Algona enjoying a lucrative law practice. There he was often assisted by Attorney George W. Argo of this city and together the men fought and won many intricate and difficult cases. In 1896 Colonel Sessions was chosen representative of Kossuth county in the Iowa legislature. He served one term.

Dissatisfied with life at Algona Colonel Sessions moved to Sioux City, in 1899, where he engaged in the law practice. His wife obtained a divorce and is now at Minneapolis. He was unsuccessful in law here and went on the road for a collection agency. In Muscatine he became very ill and was confined to the hospital there for months. Upon his release he came to Sioux City and eventually secured employment as night clerk at the Leader Hotel.

Colonel Sessions has a stepmother at Algona and a brother at Jamestown, N. Y. Both have been notified of his demise, but no word has been received from either regarding the disposition of the body.

While at Algona the deceased was well-known to Geo. C. Call and his wife, who formerly resided at that place. In early years he was on the governor's staff and it was there that he received his title of colonel. He was forty-eight years old.

Word this morning says the body will reach Algona tomorrow for interment.

NEW STYLES TO BE MADE USE OF.

Several Changes in Coloring and Design of Stamps Are to Be Made.

The department at Washington has sent out notices to the effect that the new postage stamps will soon be ready for distribution, and the issue will in almost every instance, be an altera-

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S. S. SESSIONS DEAD.

He Passed Away in Sioux City Sun-
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Remains Sent to Algona, His Old

Home and the Scene of His
Triumphs, for Burial.

On Sunday evening last Mr. T. H. Lantry received a telegram from Sioux City, signed "Paul Leader," announcing the death of S. S. Sessions at 7 o'clock that evening. Mr. Lantry did not know Paul Leader and never heard of him before, so he sent the message to Mrs. Sessions, step mother of the deceased. And on Monday evening Mr. E. J. Murtagh received a letter from a Sioux City man whom he did not know, stating that he understood that Mr. Murtagh was a friend of Mr. Sessions and that he wished to inform him that Sessions was very ill and fast approaching his death and that he wished him to apprise his friends here of the fact. He also said that Sessions had a life insurance policy for \$1000 in the Woodmen of the World, drawn in favor of his step mother. It was also reported that Sessions' brother in Jamestown, N. Y., telegraphed the undertaker at Sioux City to ship the remains to Algona for burial and that he would bear the expense. The remains were expected to arrive Tuesday morning and again Tuesday noon, and then it was learned that the Sioux City folks wanted authority from Algona before they would ship the remains, so Mr. Lantry wired them on Wednesday to do so, and the remains

afternoon. The St. Benedict fire department was however on hand and the house was saved. About \$25 will cover the damage.

The many friends of Joe Mather are glad to hear that he is getting along nicely in New Mexico. It is expected that Willie, his brother, will soon go down also.

G. G. Studer expects to move into his new house in a few days, while B. Erdman of near St. Joe will work his farm for the coming three years.

Mike Hammer who has been visiting friends and relatives here for a month expects to leave for his home in Beaver Dam next week.

Annie Huschka has been working for Mrs. Van Erdewyk. She went home Thursday and will go to Wesley in a few days to learn sewing.

Fred Koch and wife welcomed a girl baby arrival at their house Monday evening. Everybody has been smoking.

It is reported that a brother of Ni Witte will move to our burg and become a partner in the Witte store.

A number of the elect were summoned to appear as witnesses before the grand jury last Wednesday.

Henry Worberg will work for Job Heying this summer, and Heying will run a milk route from his corner.

Willie Andorfer had a public sale last Tuesday. He will move to S. Cloud about March 1st.

Albert Rahm has been visiting here. He left for his folks near Buffalo Center Saturday.

Frank Andorfer has almost entirely recovered from his recent sickness.

Regular monthly creamery meeting Saturday afternoon at the bank.

A big goose supper was had at Henry Seiler's last Sunday evening.

GEO. BOYLE'S COLUMN.

Whittemore News.

Quarantine is established at postmaster DeGraw's. Mrs. DeGraw succeeded in getting an up-to-date case of small pox, and as people must have their mail we quarantined Joe on

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Sioux City to ship the remains to Al-
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bear the expense. The remains were
and again Tuesday ~~THURSDAY~~ ~~MORNING~~
it was learned that the Sioux City
folks wanted authority from Algona
before they would ship the remains,
so Mr. Lantry wired them on Wed-
nesday to do so, and the remains
arrive here today and will be buried
from the chapel in the cemetery
where appropriate services will be
held.

The Sioux City Journal made but
brief mention of the death under the
heading "Deaths," and stated that
he died from paralysis. But it is
known that Mr. Sessions was in
delicate health for a year or
more. One day early last summer
Mr. Cowles saw him in Des Moines,
and he says that a worse wreck of his
former self it would be difficult to im-
agine. He was much reduced in flesh
and walked with a cane and with an
uncertain step. His clothing was al-
so very seedy and he bore every evi-
dence that the world was not going
well with him. For some time before
his death he was night clerk in the
Leader hotel of Sioux City, and when
he was no longer able to perform that
labor he was taken to St. Joseph's
hospital where he died. Mr. Sessions
was for many years a resident of Al-
gona. In early times he worked on
rented land with his father, but later
the family moved to town and he en-
gaged in other pursuits. He traveled
quite a bit for Mr. Call in the mail
route business, and in some lines he
was the most successful man Mr. Call
ever sent out. He became agent for
the New England loan company and
did considerable business. Had he
been of a saving disposition he could
have accumulated considerable money.
He studied law and was admitted to
the bar, but never acquired much
the state fair and held the position

GEO. BOYLE'S COLUMN.

Quarantine is established at pos-
master DeGraw's. Mrs. DeGraw su-
ceeded in getting an up-to-date cas-
of small pox, and as people must have
their mail we quarantined Joe ou-
and he is having the time of his life
He is eating cold snack and is sleeping
under Clark street bridge. We had
just had warning that we are marked
for slaughter and before this is in
print we may be in quarantine. It
getting fashionable to have small pox
in the family and if we are anything
we are fashionable.

Speaking again in regard to legis-
lative matters we forgot to mention
our former items that we would not
be a candidate. We have no political
ambition and would not accept the
best office in the gift of the people
Iowa. We want to pay our taxes,
a good citizen, help our friends sm-
our enemies if we have any. All
this is in answer to the many in-
quiries why we were not mentioned.

We see by the Sioux City papers that
our old friend Col. Sessions is dead.
He was at the Leader hotel at the
time of his demise and seemed to be
almost alone in the world. Col. Ses-
sions had some fine traits of char-
acter and had he turned his ambition
the right direction he might have
achieved success in any line that
might have followed.

N. L. Cotton has sold his residence
property here. Timothy Ryan is re-
ported as purchaser. This is desirable
property and when Tim moves in
Whittemore courts can hold daily con-
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He studied law and was admitted to
the bar, but never acquired much
practice. He became a director of
the state fair and held the position
several years. Then the culmination
of his career and probably the chief
cause of his ill fortune came in his
election to the legislature. By a curi-
ous freak of politics he secured the
republican nomination and was elect-
ed over the late C. L. Lund, his demo-
cratic opponent. While at Des Moines
he incurred many unnecessary debts,
and it was then and there he met the
lady whom he married. She was
quite a good looking divorced woman
from Sioux City. They set up house
keeping in Algona and managed to
maintain a household for a year or
two, but their income not being suf-
ficient they were finally obliged to
give it up and go to Sioux City where
they soon separated. She went to
Minneapolis where she now resides,
and he went around from place to
place, staying for some time in the
employ of a collection agency in At-
lantic. He finally went to Sioux City
where his career ended.

Mr. Sessions was generous and
suave in manner and was quite in-
telligent and very true and loyal to
his father and family while he had
any means to be so. The fact that he
had his life insured in his step
mother's favor proves that that quali-
ty remained with him to the last.
But he had his weaknesses and they
led him astray. Still everyone thinks
kindly of the poor "Colonel", as he was
called, and all wish peace to his
spirit.

St. Benedict Items

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ent. Jim Farley got sick and that
made the strategy board feel sad
They each took their spade and went
over to see how Jim was. It did him
good to have the strategy board call
and act so friendly, and so he said he
would come down town.

Attorney Miller of Whittemore
attended court this week at Algona
We will bet a skunk skin that our at-
torney is as good as the best of them
when it comes to the law, and we will
bet a speckled sheep that he has more
pretty daughters than any man in
Iowa.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. McAlpine are
in Chicago for a few days. Bert's
land business calls him to Chicago
quite frequently. He has a big tract
on now for a part of the metropol
Columbus heights, or somewhere
there.

Twenty-four degrees below zero and
nine dollar coal do not match up ve-
good these cracking cold morning
The man who predicted an open win-
ter can find what our opinion of his
prognostications are by calling
'phone No. 14, Whittemore, Iowa.

Thos. Foster has sold his city prop-
erty to John Liebenstein. We do
not know what Mr. Foster's plans are
for the future but will just remark
that Whittemore and vicinity are
mighty poor places to move away
from.

The snow, "My Uncle from New
York," held the boards for one eve-
ing at the opera house this week. The

In Des Moines Friday. He was
istered at the Savery.

r. and Mrs. T. H. Stall left yester-
for a visit with relatives in south-
Iowa.

red Anderson, his son Grant and
ressfeld, of Wesley, were in
n Monday.

. H. Peterson of the Wesley News-
rld was a business visitor in Algo-
yesterday.

rs. C. D. Smith and children came
n from Burt yesterday for a short
t at T. H. Lantry's.

apt. and Mrs. W. H. Ingham spent
day in Des Moines visiting their
. Harvey Ingham, and family.

. L. Bowen and wife of Cresco
nship are visiting at Creston, Len-
and other points in Taylor county,
a, this week.

. T. Cotant returned home Monday
ning after an absence of several
ks in Des Moines and other points
southern Iowa.

Vill Brunson came home Monday
n Mankato, Minnesota, where he
been attending a meeting of the
nd land agents.

(Paine was at St. Paul last
k on land business. He says the
pects are good for a greater boom
n ever in Minnesota land this sea-
n.

Tom Sherman, the Bancroft banker,
g doing business in Algona Thurs-
y. His bright little boy Edward
ne with him to see the sights and
it relatives.

v Mr. McGee, who travels for a stock
npany and who lives at Sioux City,
ssed through Algona with stock
nday and called at the home of his
asin, Mrs. G. S. McMurray.

Mrs. David Miller of Fort Dodge
d children have been guests at the
me of Mrs. Miller's sister, Mrs.
ter Winker, the past week, and have
en visiting other relatives and
ends.

. C. Samson and St. Harris came
wn from St. Paul Saturday. Mr.
rris is Mr. Samson's agent at Fel-
n, Minnesota, near which place so
in Kossuth county people have
n land.

his case in court, that of L. E. Sutton
against himself. He won his suit and
returned to Decorah the latter part of
the week.

Col. T. F. Cooke was up from Des
Moines one day last week. He is
much pleased with his business pros-
pects in the capital city. His gas
mantle company has recently been
awarded the contract for furnishing
their mantles in all government build-
ings in the United States. Mr. Cooke
is looking fine and says he and his
wife enjoy life in Des Moines very
much.

S. S. SESSIONS FUNERAL.

Services Held Friday Afternoon at the
Cemetery Chapel.

The remains of S. S. Sessions ar-
rived here from Sioux City last Fri-
day morning and the funeral was from
the cemetery chapel at 2 in the after-
noon. There was quite a gathering at
the funeral, Mrs. Mae Sessions of
Minneapolis, the divorced wife of the
deceased, being one of the mourners.
Rev. O. H. Holmes offered the prayer
and said what was fitting to the occa-
sion. It has developed that the de-
ceased sent money here to his aged
step-mother when himself in most
straitened circumstances. He also
kept up a life insurance policy in her
name to the very last. This will give
the old lady about \$1650, it is under-
stood. No man was more kind-
hearted than Mr. Sessions and now
that he is gone none but the mean spir-
ited will recall his weaknesses.

For Rent.

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mile from Armstrong, Iowa; good build-
ings, well, wind mill tanks, sheds,
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wild grass pasture, balance under cul-
tivation; all fenced and cross fenced;
three pastures, running water in two of
them. Will rent for cash or grain rent
for one year or a term of years. For
full particulars write the State Bank
of Armstrong, Iowa.

Buy your wedding ring from us and
we will make the bride a present.—
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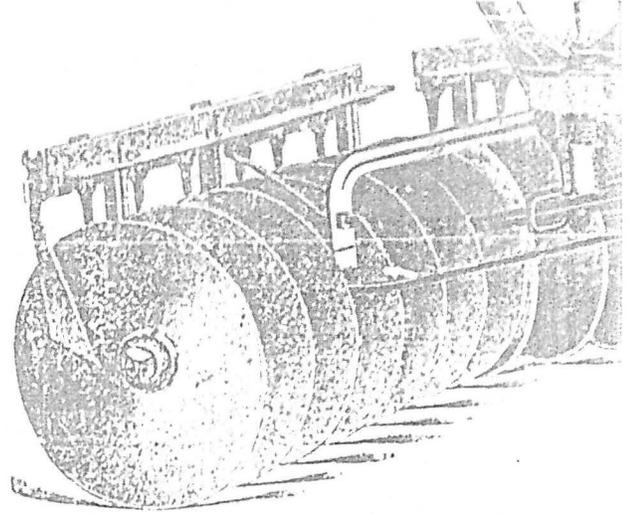
section farm to rent.

A terrible hotel fire occurred in Cedar Rapids last week. The old Clifton house was burned to the ground and six person lost their lives in the fire or from the effects of it, and many others were badly injured by leaping from the building or by being burned. Mr. Baashor of this town was in the hotel that night but fortunately escaped uninjured.

We have a line from Mathias Lang, late of Ramsey township, to send his COURIER to Arago, Hubbard county, Minn. He remarks that Monday, the 16th, it was 44 below zero there, and lots of snow. The towns up there, he says, are about all saloons, and the lumber jacks go out and work two or three months and then return to blow all their wages in for booze. They have a good time to-day and starve tomorrow.

Mrs. S. S. Sessions came down from Minneapolis to attend the funeral and take a last look at the remains of her former husband. She remarked to someone that she always retained a warm feeling for the Colonel, and parted from him only because he could not support her. No doubt she spoke the truth, and with her light view of the marriage relation she cannot be much blamed for her course. Her coming here on the occasion of the burial did not lessen her in the estimation of Algona people.

A singular accident or rather incident occurred a few days ago to Mrs. Frank Clark. She was reading a magazine and was stooped over so that her head came near the stove. Finally the dog who was lying near by jumped up and barked and seemed much agitated. Mrs. Clark then realized that her hair was on fire and threw up the magazine and extinguished it. It was a celluloid comb that she had in her hair that took fire from the heat of the stove and set her hair on fire. A spot larger than a silver dollar was burned down to the scalp, but the skin was not burned.



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1880 United States Federal Census

Name:	S. S. Sessions
Home in 1880:	Vernon, Humboldt, Iowa
Age:	23
Estimated birth year:	abt 1857
Birthplace:	Wisconsin
Relation to Head of Household:	Son
Father's Name:	Colombus
Father's birthplace:	Vermont
Mother's Name:	Cordelia
Mother's birthplace:	New York
Neighbors:	View others on page
Occupation:	Farmer
Marital Status:	Single
Race:	White
Gender:	Male
Cannot read/write:	
Blind:	View image
Deaf and dumb:	
Otherwise disabled:	
Idiotic or insane:	
Household Members:	
Name	Age
Colombus Sessions	61
Cordelia Sessions	40
H. A. Sessions	29
S. S. Sessions	23
Merta Sessions	20

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1900 United States Federal Census

Name:	Schuyler S Sessions	
Home in 1900:	Kane, Pottawattamie, Iowa [Pottawattomie, Iowa]	
Age:	40	
Birth Date:	Sep 1859	
Birthplace:	New York	
Race:	White	
Gender:	Male	
Relationship to Head of House:	Lodger	
Father's Birthplace:	New York	
Mother's Birthplace:	New York	
Marital Status:	Widowed	
Occupation:	View on Image	
Neighbors:	View others on page	
Household Members:	Name	Age
	Schuyler S Sessions	40

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