

Standard Form For Members of the Legislature

Name of Representative Senator LOTHROP, Capt.

Served from Woodbury County, Iowa John Stillman

1. Birthday and place 9 Oct. 1836, Dover, Maine (one geneal. says 1834)

2. Marriage (s) date place

- (1) Marcia A. Page, (- 28 Apr 1858), 14 March 1858 probably Illinois
- (2) Marcia M. (Marchie) Mitchell, 13 Dec. 1861 probably Illinois

3. Significant events for example:

A. Business Lawyer, farming

B. Civic responsibilities GAR, Loyal Legion of Iowa

C. Profession

4. Church membership probably Presbyterian

5. Sessions served 26 & 27 GA 1896-1899; SD 32, Woodbury Co.

6. Public Offices

A. Local

B. State

C. National Collector, Internal Revenue, 3d Dist Ia; Sept 1899 - for many yrs
Co I, 11th Ill Inf. 3 mo 1861; Co E 16th Ill Inf 1861-1865

7. Death 1 July 1913, at home; shingles, exhaustion, senility

8. Children (1) deceased bef 1900; (2) Merton, Kansas City, Mo in 1913; (3) Ralph
Sioux City; (4) George L. (d before 1913; (5) Gertrude (Mrs. Howe), San Anton i9 Tex 1913);
(6) Hattie M. (Aug. 1879, Ill. -)Sioux Cit y

9. Names of parents Alfred (Rev.?), b. Windsor, Vt, 18 Mar 1810, m. 21 Aug.
1831 to Deborah A. Robinson, in Dover, Maine; lived New Rutland, Ill.

10. Education local schools, in Maine; Chicago Law School 1859-1861

11. Degrees _____

12. Other applicable information worked on farm 1856-1859 until entry into law school. Responded to first call for volunteers, enlisting as pvt Co I 11th Ill Inf, for 90 days. Re-enlisted in Co E, 26th Inf Aug. 1861--elected orderly sgt, then promoted to 2d Lt, 1st Lt Sept. 1862, Capt Dec 1862 until end of service. Involved in many battles, including Ft. Henry, Ft. Donelson, Shiloh and Corinth

After service, began practice of law in Ottawa, Ill; then practiced in Champaign, Ill July 1866 to July 1884. Moved to Sioux City, where he was in practice until his death, except for period as Collector of Internal Revenue for 3d Dist of Iowa, hq Dubuque, covering 49 counties in n. hlf of Iowa. In practice specialized in drainage cases.

After retiring from General Assembly, 1899, he succeeded in securing for Iowa a refunding of interest on certain war and defense bonds issued by US in 1861, amounting to \$456,417.89, for which he was paid \$7,500.

Active Republican; campaigned for McKinley, Roosevelt and Taft.

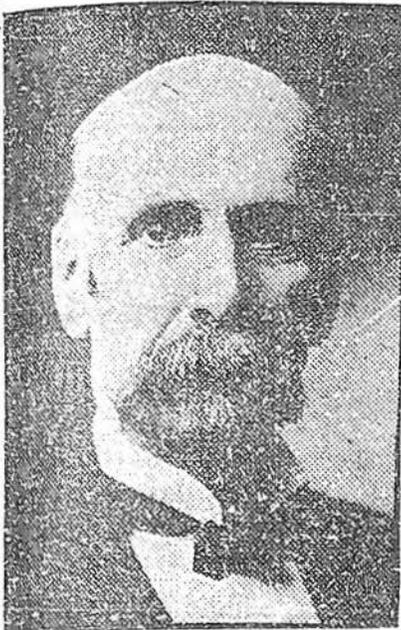
Commander Gen B F Smith Post, GAR. In 1912 elected commander of Loyal Legion of Iowa, which office he held at time of death.

Family's ancestry traces to John Lotthrop (1584-1653) one of 4 most prominent colonial ministers in America--this family includes many prominent descendants, including several presidents and one prime minister of Canada.

LOTHROP FUNERAL TO BE HELD TOMORROW

Prominent Veteran Dies After Long Fight to Resist Inroads of Age.

Funeral services for Capt. J. S. Lothrop, who died at his home, 817 Ninth street, last night of exhaustion and senility, will be held at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon at the residence, Rev. Wallace M. Hamilton, pastor of the First Presbyterian church,



CAPT. J. S. LOTHROP.

will conduct the services, which will be under the auspices of General Hancock post No. 22, G. A. R. Burial will be in Logan Park cemetery. The body is now at the Wescott undertaking

establishment and will lie in state in the parlor there until 12 o'clock tomorrow.

Mr. Lothrop had been at the point of death for two weeks. A month ago he suffered a severe attack of shingles and later was confined to his bed from exhaustion. He grew gradually worse and during the past week was unable to take any nourishment. Monday, his condition took a noticeable turn for the worse and he sank rapidly until his death at 6:10 o'clock last night. The body was removed to the Wescott undertaking establishment.

The family was gathered at the bedside when death came. He is survived by his widow, two sons, Merton, of Kansas City, Mo., and Ralph of Sioux City, and two daughters, Mrs. Gertrude Howe, of San Antonio, Tex., and Miss Hattie Lothrop, of Sioux City.

Mr. Lothrop was born in Dover, Me., October 9, 1836. When he was 16 years old, his parents moved to Illinois, where he worked on a farm until September, 1859, when he entered the Chicago Law school. He studied there under Prof. Henry Booth until the war broke out in April, 1861.

With the first call of the war, Mr. Lothrop responded and enlisted as a private in Company I, 11th Illinois Infantry, as a 90-day man. He re-enlisted in August in Company E, 26th Illinois Infantry, was elected orderly sergeant and then promoted to the rank of second lieutenant. He was successively appointed first lieutenant and then captain of the same company. The latter rank he held during most of the war.

After the close of hostilities he returned to Ottawa, Ill., where he took up the practice of law. Before coming to Sioux City in July, 1884, he practiced for a short time in Champaign, Ill. In Sioux City he formed a partnership with R. M. Dott, and opened a law office. President Harrison appointed him collector of internal revenue for the Third district of Iowa in July, 1889, and he held the position for many years.

A Republican Orator.

In the past few years, Captain Lothrop, after the firm of Lothrop & Dott had been dissolved, maintained law offices in the Iowa building. He specialized in drainage cases and made a successful record in handling them.

Captain Lothrop was a staunch republican and took an active interest in the welfare of his party. He served one term in 1896 in the state senate, representing Woodbury county. As an

orator he was far famed, and he was a state campaigner in the interest of McKinley, Roosevelt and Taft.

When the Gen. B. F. Smith post No. 22, G. A. R. merged with the General Hancock post No. 22 in December, 1892, Captain Lothrop gave up his position as commander of the former and became an active member of the combined post. In 1912 the Loyal Legion of Iowa, composed of commissioned officers of the civil war, elected him as commander, an office he held until his death.

CHAS. EISEMAN DIES AT THE AGE OF 78 YEARS

Funeral services for Charles Eise-man, 78 years old, who died last night at the home of his son-in-law, A. L. Fribourg, 1811 Douglas street, will be held at 10.30 o'clock tomorrow morning at the Mt. Sinai temple. Burial will be made in Mt. Sinai cemetery.

A widow and three children, Mrs. William J. Savrille, of Yankton, S. D., Miss Jessie B. Eise-man, of New York city, and Mrs. A. L. Fribourg, survive.

Mr. Eise-man came to Sioux City in 1886 and engaged in the retail dry goods business for several years. Owing to ill health and age, he retired from active business 20 years ago. He was vice president of the congregation at Mt. Sinai temple.

Previous to his coming to Sioux City Mr. Eise-man lived at Yankton, S. D., for many years. He came to that city from Philadelphia, where he had taken up his residence after coming to America in 1853 from Baden, Germany, his birthplace. In Yankton, he was elected a member of the first board of county commissioners of the county. He joined the Masons in that city as a charter member and at the time of his death was one of the oldest 22-degree Masons in the middle west.

If you want beautiful skin as well as healthy, glossy hair, use Hygenol Cream of Green Soap, for all toilet purposes. Sold by Berry & Berry Hair Store, Sioux City, Ia.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank the many friends and neighbors for their kindness and sympathy, also for floral offerings during our late bereavement.

Mrs. Bsharah and family.

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Your Trip to the City will be a Failure Unless You

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sermons were the only ray of religious light that came to her from the outside. Then he told me of other incidents of the same kind and I was able to see then some things that I had never realized before—the great work George D. Perkins had been doing for this world.

Some one has truly said that the history of a nation is but the history of the life of men. The history of northwest Iowa, and the great northwest country is truly the life of George D. Perkins.

Mr. Perkins was a great editor; he was a great business man, but above and beyond all that, George D. Perkins was a great teacher. He lived each day a life that was true and sincere. The relation between himself and his employees was most cordial. Any man who ever worked on the Sioux City Journal, newsboy, reporter or laborer, was the friend of George D. Perkins. He never allowed the sun to go down at night without being able to look back over the day and see some place where he had done some kind act to make this world brighter for some human being. He did the thing that was hard, he lived his religion.

I feel that I was honored in having had so close an association with Mr. Perkins. There is one phase of his life that is little known—this occasion would not be complete unless it was mentioned. He was a true husband. Mrs. Perkins lingered only a short time after he died. When he said goodbye to her there was no joy left in this world for her. He was her support, he was her strength, and when his life went out hers went out. She lingered but a little while and then she followed him.

I presume the greatest tribute that can be paid to any man is to say that he was a true, loyal husband, a companion of his wife, and such was George D. Perkins.

Senator Perkins from a special committee submitted the following report and moved its adoption:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your special committee appointed to prepare resolutions commemorating the life, character and public services of John S. Lothrop beg leave to submit the following report:

JOHN STILLMAN LOTHROP.

A member of this body from 1896 to 1900, died at Sioux City, July 1, 1913. He was a native of the town of Dover, Maine, where he was born October 9, 1836. When he was sixteen years of age the family removed to the State of Illinois, where he spent four years on a farm. He then entered the Chicago Law School. The call to arms found him ready to respond, and he enlisted in the 11th Illinois Infantry, in which he served three months, and then re-enlisted in the 26th Illinois Infantry, where he became captain. He took part in many battles, among them Ft. Henry, Ft. Donelson, Shiloh and Corinth.

After the war he practiced law in Illinois until 1884, when he removed to Sioux City, Iowa. President Harrison appointed him Collector of Internal Revenue. In 1895 he was elected to the state senate. After retiring from the General Assembly, he succeeded in securing for the state, from the United States, a refunding of interest on certain war and defense bonds issued in 1861, which interest amounted to \$456,417.89, for which

service he was paid the sum of \$7,500.00. He continued in the active practice of law up to the time of his death. He was dignified, upright and gentlemanly; warm hearted and loyal to his friends, and fair to his opponents. He was held in the highest esteem by his friends, his neighbors and the members of the bench and bar of northwestern Iowa, all of whom united in testifying to his high character and great ability.

Resolved, That in his death the community and state lost a worthy and upright citizen and an honorable man, and we hereby extend to the bereaved family and friends our sincerest sympathy; be it further

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be printed in the Journal of the Senate, and that the Secretary of the Senate be directed to forward an engrossed copy to the family of the deceased.

ELI C. PERKINS,

E. P. FARR,

N. BALKEMA,

Committee.

The resolutions were adopted unanimously by a rising vote.

Senator Perkins in moving the adoption of the resolutions spoke as follows:

MR. PRESIDENT AND MEMBERS OF THE SENATE—My acquaintance with Captain Lothrop was somewhat limited. I saw him as a member of this body here. I knew him better as a United States officer at Dubuque. He was a revenue collector for the northern district of Iowa for some years, and I saw him in the United States Court. Captain Lothrop was like the granite hills of New England, rugged and strong. He was a man of strong character, a man who stood for something in the community in which he lived, and something in the state of Iowa, and the part that he took in the affairs of this state was that of a successful man. He represented the State of Iowa in the great controversy between the state and the United States over interest due on funds advanced by the State of Iowa in the conduct of the Civil War, and he was successful in recovering for the State of Iowa over \$400,000.00 and interest on the claims made by the state. He was a man of such ability that he was able to take care of the interests of this state and to receive from the United States that which was due him, and the great State of Iowa. He was a man who was honored and respected in all of his dealings in public affairs. In the development of Sioux City, the city in which his home was while in northwestern Iowa, he took a prominent part.

In the death of Captain Lothrop, Iowa loses one of its earnest, well wishing citizens, and Iowa loses one of its most faithful servants.

Senator Allen from a special committee submitted the following report and moved its adoption:

MR. PRESIDENT—Your committee appointed to draft resolutions commemorative of the late character and services of ex-Senator A. O. Garlock, beg leave to submit the following report:

came the parents of three sons: John W., deputy city treasurer, Benjamin and William. Mr. Hittle attends the Methodist church with his wife, who is a member. He is a democrat in politics.

ALLEN CROSSAN, real estate dealer, Sioux City, is one of the enterprising citizens who have done much to build up northwestern Iowa. He was born at Girvan, Ayrshire, Scotland, on the first day of the year 1849, and is a son of Alexander and Fanny (Long) Crossan, natives of the same locality. The parents now reside at Eldora, this state, aged respectively eighty-five and eighty years. In 1852 they came to the United States, and remained in Ohio till 1865, when they settled on a farm near Eldora, which has since been their home.

Allen Crossan attended the common schools, and took a teacher's course at Albion seminary, Marshall county, Iowa, from which he received a diploma in 1877. In 1870 he took a homestead in Centre township, O'Brien county, which he sold two years later, and has since dealt more or less extensively in farm lands. He taught thirteen terms of school in the course of five years, and in 1886 purchased the Hartley "Record," which he edited and conducted four years, in connection with his real estate business.

In the spring of 1890 he came to Sioux City and established a general real estate agency, which has proved signally successful. He is largely interested in Morning Side property, and owns lands in South Dakota, Nebraska and Iowa. In addition to his own property he handles that of others, and is one of the leaders in Sioux City real estate movements. His success is the result of his own industry and sagacious management. Mr. Crossan is a member of the Methodist church and Masonic order, and affiliates with the republican party in politics.

He has been twice married, the first time being on Christmas day, 1878, the bride being Miss Lucretia Irena Beach, a native of Iowa, of English parentage, who died in 1884, leaving a son and daughter: Alexander Cephas and Emma Gertrude. The second marriage occurred in 1886, Miss Carrie O. Baker being the bride. The infant son born to this union is named Leslie.

J. S. LOTHROP, attorney, Sioux City, was born in Dover, Maine, October 9, 1836, and was educated in that state. He removed to Illinois with his father's family in 1852, and worked on a farm continuously until September, 1859. He entered the Chicago Law school in the fall of that year, where he studied law under Prof. Henry Booth until the breaking out of the war, April, 1861.

He enlisted as a private in Company I, Eleventh Illinois infantry, and served through his period of enlistment—three months. He re-enlisted in Company E, Twenty-sixth Illinois infantry, August, 1861. He was elected orderly sergeant, and promoted in August, 1861, to second lieutenant. In

September, 1862, he was promoted to first lieutenant, and in December of the same year, to captain of the same company, and served as such through the war. Returning home at the close of the war, he engaged in the practice of law at Ottawa, Ill.

July, 1866, he removed to Champaign, Ill., and resided there in practice of law until July, 1884, when he removed to Sioux City, and there engaged in the practice of his profession, and is now living at Sioux City, engaged in the practice of law in company with R. M. Dott, the firm being Lothrop & Dott. September, 1889, he was appointed by President Harrison, collector of internal revenue for the Third district of Iowa, with headquarters at Dubuque, the district comprising forty-nine counties in the north half of the state, and he is now holding that office.

WILLIAM F. THOMAS, lawyer, Sioux City, was born January 19, 1848, at Pendleton, Madison county, Ind. His father was Levi Thomas, the son of Dr. James Thomas. William was reared on a farm, and had but the advantages of a common-school education. He read law in the office of Hon. M. S. Robinson, of Anderson, Ind., a part of the years 1868 and 1869, and graduated from the law department of the Michigan university in March, 1871.

He was married February 14, 1872, to Miss Margaret J. Nelson, eldest daughter of Daniel Nelson, of Mercer, Mercer county, Pa. To them were born two children: Ida M., December 2, 1873, and Fred N., August 21, 1877, both of whom still live. He came with his wife to western Iowa in April, 1872, settling in Ida county, where they lived until 1884, when he moved with his family to Sioux City, where he has ever since practiced his profession of law, besides dealing in real estate. In religion he is a Baptist, and in politics a republican.

G. C. MACLAGAN, banker, Le Mars, was born in Edinburgh, Scotland, in 1852.

A. P. BOWMAN, physician, Le Mars, was born in Sunderland, Mass., in 1856. His parents, in 1865, removed to Keokuk, Iowa, where he completed his education. In 1872 he went to Chicago, and was engaged in mercantile business until 1875, when he began the study of medicine, and, in 1878, graduated from the Chicago Homœopathic medical college, and began the practice of medicine at Kansas City, but removed to Ottumwa, and later to Ponca, Neb., and to Le Mars in July, 1883, where he is now the only homœopathic practitioner. He is an active worker in the republican party, of which he is a member, and in 1890 was appointed as one of the board for examining pensioners.

In 1882 he married Carrie, daughter of Baker Medes, of Keokuk, and they have four children. He is a member of Le Mars Lodge, No. 255, I. O. O. F., of the Modern Woodmen, of Zeus Lodge, K. of P. In 1891 he was appointed health officer of the city of Le Mars.