

Standard Form For Members of the Legislature

Name of Representative Doran, Justin R. Senator Doran, Justin R.
Represented Beaver and Story Counties, Iowa

1. Birthday and place 8 Aug 1850 Niagara County, New York

2. Marriage (s) date place

Oliver J. Blanchard

3. Significant events for example:

A. Business He was a loss adjuster for the Farmers Mutual Fire and
Lighting Insurance Company of Beaver County, Iowa

B. Civic responsibilities Mason

C. Profession Farmer

4. Church membership

5. Sessions served 30th 31st 32nd General Assemblies 1904, 1906, 1907 - House of

6. Public Offices 34th 35th General Assemblies, 1913, 1915 - Senate Representatives

A. Local Justice of the Peace; school director; school treasurer; township
trustee

B. State

C. National

7. Death 13 Oct 1924, near Beaver, Iowa; buried Beaver Cemetery, Beaver, Iowa

8. Children Justin G.; Alexander R.; Eugene B.; Benjamin B.; Oliver E.;

Lucian S.; Maudie H. (Mrs. Campbell); Lant H.; Mervil Chaslatto; Daisy Ellen (Mrs.
Perry Rankin); Alfred (deceased - infirm); John (deceased - infirm)

9. Names of parents Patrick and Catherine (Keelley) Doran

10. Education He was educated in the common schools of Illinois

11. Degrees _____

12. Other applicable information Republican

- He later moved with his family to Ottawa, Illinois where his father farmed.
- His mother died when he was age 5 and his father when he was age 10, so at age 15 he was an orphan on his own resources.
- In 1872 he and a brother purchased a corn shelling outfit and operated it in Benton County, Iowa. Later he worked in an elevator at Blairtown.
- In 1874 he moved to Boone County, Iowa settling on a farm very near Beaver, Iowa.
- He was known to have been the largest individual land owner in Boone County in 1924. - probably 3000 acres in Boone County

Sources Log For Legislation Entries

Applicability

Source Non Applicable Applicable Information obtained

- Obituary - The Ogden Reporter, Ogden, Iowa,
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- Obituary - The Grand Junction Globe, Grand Junction, Iowa,
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- Iowa Official Register 1915-1916, p. 706

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GRAND JUNCTION FALL FESTIVAL

MANY PRIZES WILL BE OFFERED

Mrs. Maulsby to Speak Friday Afternoon, L. J. Dickinson on Saturday Afternoon—In Legion Hall

It is impossible to give a complete list of the prizes to be offered to the exhibitors of corn, vegetables, eggs and baked goods in this issue of the paper but a complete list will be on the bill that will be sent you this week. The committees are all working hard for this Community Festival and with the merchants exhibits and special offerings by them it will be worth your efforts to attend and display your products.

One thing this year: In the exhibit of corn that will be strictly adhered to, and that will be no exhibits will be allowed put in competition by professional seed corn growers, as we feel it does an injustice to the rest of the exhibitors.

We might state that cash prizes up to \$10 will be given for the best corn and that ought to create a big display. There will be big prizes for the vegetables, big prizes for the heaviest dozen eggs, and in the canned fruit and bakery lines the prizes will surpass anything ever offered. Remember the Girls cake contest, get busy **RIGHT NOW GIRLS.** The best cake carries away a dandy prize, also the best bread. We want everybody to enter this show, in a community, friendly contest. See how well you can do, and also see what you neighbors can do.

The Legion will have a carnival both nights in the Legion Basement where "OODLES OF FUN" will be had, also a dance both nights with music by Paramount Orchestra. You know how to get the best. The merchants displays and exhibits will be held in the armory where

J. R. DORAN DEAD

Ex-Senator J. R. Doran of Beaver has been ailing for some time and it was fairly well known to the immediate members of the family that his end was not far distant. The affection was of the heart and the malady of such a nature that it was not susceptible to medical treatment. For the past two or three weeks his immediate family and his many friends have awaited resignedly the departure which came Monday night of this week. It is probable that an obituary will not appear in these columns until our next issue.

Senator Doran has lived in these quarters for many years and has been prominently identified with the civic and political life of the Co. and the state. He was repeatedly re-elected state senator from his district. By careful management and foresight he amassed a large fortune and was reputed to be the heaviest landholder in this section of the country. Of an unimpeachable character, a disposition which brought him many friends which he held, and an intellect sure to bring recognition among his fellow man, his loss and passing will be noted with more than ordinary import. The Globe joins with the many friends of the family in extending condolence at this time and trust that a full resume of the good deeds of this worthy life will appear in these columns in our next issue. Masonic services were pronounced at the grave and interment made in the Beaver cemetery Wednesday afternoon of this week.

THE BOONE DISTRICT CONFERENCE HELD IN THE M. E. CHURCH

Tuesday of this week was a great success. There were fifty out of town people present. The program was very interesting. Rev. Ripley spoke on Evangelism. Dr. Canwait from China delivered a very interesting address in the afternoon on "World Service." Rev. Higley of Ames told with pictures and story the work he has been carrying on among the

CURRENT EVENTS EDITORIAL COMMENT

THIS COLUMN, WITH EDITORIAL PAGE,—OUR OWN

For Those Who Wish to Find What We Stand. All Rights Reserved.

An article in the Sioux City Journal, Wednesday's issue of this week takes a most decided stand against the return of Senator Brookhart to office. Practically every republican organ in the state has done likewise but the Journal goes the rest of the way one stronger and recommends that the state central committee organ the various districts of the state to elect Steck. Just to show how strong the Journal's stand is we reprint the closing paragraph from the editorial which is the method which will probably be employed by thousands of republicans in voicing their protest against the bolt of Brookhart.

"Republicans who want Senator Brookhart defeated and who are standing by the national ticket before them, have a simple task when comes to voting. The only thing required is to mark X in the circle the head of the republican ticket and another X in the square before the name of Daniel F. Steck, which appears in the democratic column of the ballot. That is a vote for Coe, Lidge and Dawes and all other republicans on the ticket, save one, Senator Brookhart, who, in the Journal's opinion is not worthy of a single republican vote in this election. If a man has put himself out of the republican party. It is now up to the patriotic people of Iowa to put him out of office."

Evil days have befallen a party and a candidate who is not worthy of any organization to use such emergency measures to punish a political traitor. It appears however

SEN. J. R. DORAN FUNERAL HELD WEDNESDAY

Prominent Land Owner And Politician Died Monday

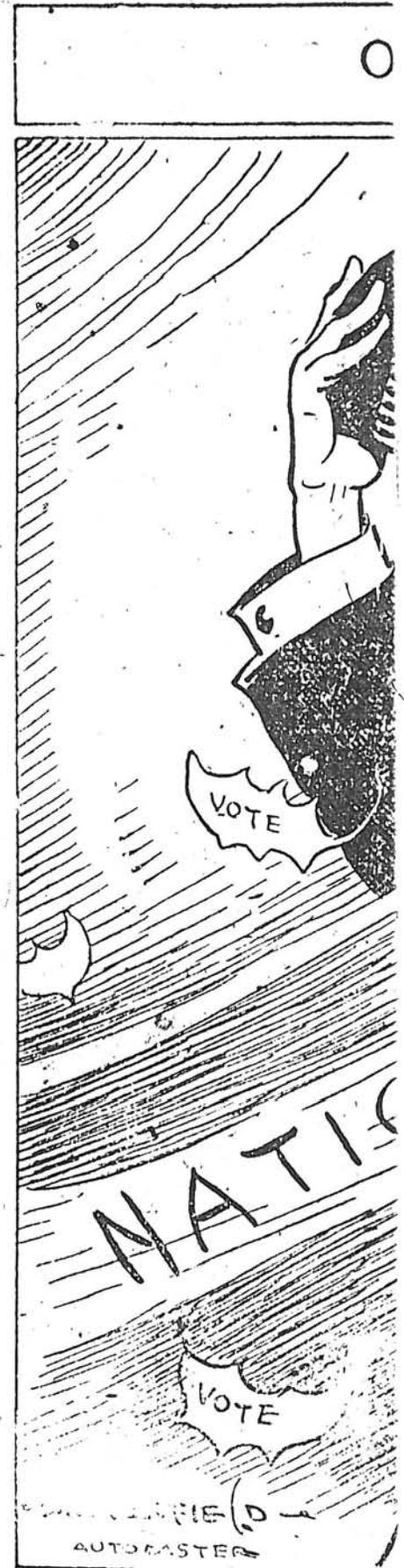
Hon. Justin R. Doran, known to have been the largest individual land owner in Boone county passed away Monday afternoon at his home south of Beaver. Death was caused from heart trouble which he has been suffering from for the past three weeks. Mr. Doran passed away just at 5:30 in the presence of all his surviving children with the exception of Lucien, who resides near Luther. Lucien was on his way to his parents home having been summoned when it was known the end was near.

Mr. Doran is survived by his wife, eight sons and three daughters. The family have the sympathy of a wide circle of friends, not only in Beaver township, this county and city, but over the state in the death of their husband and father.

The funeral services were held at the home near Beaver, Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Interment was made in the Beaver cemetery.

Known for his sturdy pioneer virtues, the Beaver patriarch won his way to a high place in the esteem of his neighbors and friends in this county. He came to Boone county about 50 years ago and settled near his present home at Beaver. His thrift and business acumen resulted in the accumulation of extensive property holdings. In Boone county alone his farm land holdings were

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Judicious management, incessant labor, and modern and up-to-date methods were the means by which Mr. Doran attained his prosperity, said a biographer several years ago.

In political affairs Mr. Doran was a faithful member of the republican party and his service to his party and community was rewarded with election twice as a member of the house of representatives of the Iowa General Assembly and once as a member of the state senate from the Boone-Story district. His work in the state legislature was a consistent stand in favor of economy and common sense in the conduct of the state government.

Mr. Doran had been in failing health for the last year but he continued to keep up his activity about the farm and his supervision of his other interests until he was confined to his bed three weeks ago with heart trouble. He was 74 years of age.—B. N-R.



FORD COUPE IN WRECK ON THE BOONE HILL

Clarence Jensen and Theron Case Both Injured

The Ford coupe, driven by Theron Case and in which Clarence Jensen, both of this city, were riding, turned on the Boone hill last Friday night. They were going down the hill and in passing one of the corners struck the hind wheel of the car so as to throw the Ford into the ditch where it was overturned.

Jensen was severely cut around the head and face while Case received a bad gash in his leg. Both young men were taken to the Moorhead hospital and after examination it was found the

Sam Hurst were Perry goes Tuesday.

Harry Shadle spent Saturday and Sunday at the Ralph Shepard home near Pilot Mound.

Don Olson and Alvin Doran motored to Jefferson Thursday.

Earl Anderson and Sam Hurst were Grand Junction callers Thursday.

Ed Kenan and wife called at the home of his brother Tom Tuesday evening.

Our high school base ball team played both Boxholm and Lanyon last week winning both games. The former by a score of 15-6 and the latter 3-2.

Harry Clark called at his mother's on his way home to Paton from Des Moines Sunday. Mrs. Clark is doing as well as could be expected.

M. J. Rinker spent Saturday night in Des Moines.

F. H. Shepard and family, S. J. Barber and family and the Ralph Shepard family of Pilot Mound also Mrs. E. O. Shepard spent Sunday at the Harry Shadle home.

Ed Kenan was working on a tractor for Geo. McCann Friday.

Frank Sullivan motored to Carroll Sunday and returned with his wife and baby daughter.

OBITUARY

Justin R. Doran was born in Niagara county, N. Y., August 8, 1850, and died at his home here on the 13th day of October, 1924. Age 74 years, 2 months and 5 days.

He was one of eight children. His parents Patrick and Catherine (Keeley) Doran, both natives of County Carlow, Ireland, immigrated to the U. S. landing at N. Y. February 1st 1849 and went by packet boat by way of the Erie Canal to Reynolds Basin, Niagara county, where the deceased was born. Later the family moved to Ottawa, Ill., where the father engaged in farming.

While the family was residing in La Salle, county, Ill., the mother passed away on August 25, 1855. Mr. Doran was then but five years of age. On November 25, 1865 the father passed away leaving Mr. Doran an orphan at the age of 15 years being then thrown upon his own resources he earned his own living while attending the country school by doing chores. In 1872 he and one of his brothers purchased a corn shelling outfit and operated the same in Benton county, Iowa. Later he worked in an elevator at Blairstown and because of lack of funds was required to sleep in the elevator at nights.

In 1874 he with his brothers moved to Boone county, Iowa, and settled

—Wedding Stationery is neatly printed at the Reporter office.

at the J. M. Schall home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Samuelson and family visited relatives in Des Moines Sunday

Co. Supt. of Schools E. C. Wissler visited schools in this locality Thursday.

Darrell Beam, who is attending Des Moines college visited the parental home over the week end.

Eunice Rinker visited at the G. J. McCann home Saturday afternoon.

Kathryn Rinker visited at the Wilcox home Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. James B. Smith and family visited relatives in Perry Sunday.

Mrs. J. O. Odin and daughter Kertha were Perry shoppers Wednesday.

Perry Rinker, who is attending school at Des Moines, came home Wednesday to attend Sen. Doran's funeral.

Henry Nicholson was an Ogden business caller, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Councilman and family were shopping in Des Moines Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Pritchard and family were Boone shoppers Saturday.

James H. Treloar and Harry Cunningham drove home a car load of feeding cattle last Saturday from Grand Junction.

Robert, Richard, Dorothy and Louise Rinker spent Wednesday afternoon at the Wilcox home.

Mrs. J. O. Samuelson and son Arthur were Perry shoppers Thursday.

Floyd Thompson was in Ogden Thursday transacting business.

Lew Savits bought a car load of feeding cattle from W. F. Metzger and brought them home Saturday.

Mabel Rinker visited at the parental G. J. Rinker home Sunday.

Mrs. J. H. Gonder and son Daniel and Mrs. M. J. Rinker motored to Paton Thursday visiting Mrs. Gonder's daughter, Mrs. Harry Clark.

M. J. Rinker was in Des Moines Saturday transacting business.

Miss Veronica Schall, who is attending school at Pocahontas was a week-end visitor at the parental J. M. Schall home.

The Beaver Township Farm Bureau met Friday evening at No. 2 school house for its annual election of officers which resulted as follows:

M. J. Rinker, president; Miss Velda Gonder, vice president; Emmet Rinker, secretary-treasurer; Miss Marie Herridge was elected to take charge of the program committee for November and S. A. Powers, township director.

E. E. Rinker, Thomas Keenan, F. Wilcox and M. J. Rinker are building a new shed for their threshing machine that they purchased this

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L. O. McCall of loads of pump Friday.

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Ernest Gilmore pumpkins here la

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Mrs. Nels Nels Kalen spent Frid Mrs. Peter Forsbe Miss Edith Ecks visited over Sunda Mrs. Carl Schall

Beaver News Items

Minnie Hoefle was a Sunday visitor at the Geo. Hoefle home.

Mrs. P. E. Shadle was on the sick list a few days.

H. J. Sullivan, of Council Bluffs called on his mother Monday between trains.

Mrs. E. H. Grubb was an Ogden shopper Thursday.

Mrs. C. E. Barber and Audrey Sullivan accompanied Dr Zella Sullivan to Ogden Thursday and Friday.

Lester Shadle, wife and son Max were Perry business callers Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Kenan motored to Perry on business Saturday evening.

Mrs. Harry Clark of Paton was taken to the Methodist hospital at Des Moines Friday where she underwent an operation for appendicitis Saturday morning.

Cleve Sparks, E. H. Grubb and Henry Bruns attended a banquet at Boone Thursday night.

Ethel Anderson was called home from her work to be with her mother and take care of the home.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Olson and daughter from near Ogden and Mr. and Mrs. Rob Sifrit and daughters were Sunday guests at the Henry Topley home east of town in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Crippen and children of Oregon.

Harry Clark and Guy Shadle motored to Des Moines Sunday. The former to call at the hospital where his wife is being cared for.

Rev. O. W. Diehl and family spent Sunday at the S. S. Powers home.

Mrs. P. D Gray visited her daughter Mrs Fred Harten Friday.

Prof. G. W. Robb and wife were Ogden goers Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Jake Rohrer called at the Mrs. Anna Sifrit-Smith home Wednesday.

Harry Wise and family visited the W. P. Shadle home at Churdan Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Shepard and children to Pilot Mound visited at the E. O. Shepard home Friday.

Sylvester Stanley of Newell came Tuesday and spent several days at the Cleve Sparks' home

on the farm where he spent his remaining years.

He was united in marriage to Miss Olive F. Blanshan of Grand Junction To this union were born thirteen children two of whom Alfred T. and John Keeley died in infancy. He leaves to mourn his passing his wife Olive E., his children, Lester G., Alexander R., Eugene B., Benjamin B., Oliver E., Lucian S., Maude H., Laht H., Mamie Charlotte, Milo T., and Daisy Ellen Doran all of Boone county; two brothers Thomas H. Doran of Burwell, Nebr.; John Doran of York, Nebr.; eleven grand children and one great grand daughter and many friends.

The funeral was held at the Doran home Wednesday, October 15, where an estimated attendance of 2000 met to pay their last respects to one who had been their friend and neighbor for many years. The services were conducted by Rev. Harold H. Stark while Judge Whitaker, a dear friend of the departed told of his intimate relations with Mr. Doran both as a friend and advisor and closed his remarks by reading a poem entitled Crossing the Bar, which was very fitting for the occasion. A mixed quartette consisting of Olle Clause Douglas Olson, Mrs. Doyle McGregor and Mrs. Ray Clause with Mrs. W. C. Hagge as pianist furnished the music. They sang among others "Silent Night" which was a favorite song of the deceased. The six older sons Lester, Alexander, Eugene, Benjamin, Oliver and Lucian acted as pall bearers. There were many beautiful floral offerings. Interment was made in the Beaver cemetery less than a mile from the home where he had lived so many years. The community extends its heartfelt sympathy to the Doran families.

Beaver Township

M. J. Rinker had a new radio installed in his home last Wednesday.

Bert Councilman, who is attending school at Boone visited the parent-teacher councilman home over the week end.

Roy Bass and daughters called at

fall.

Mrs. Effie Steyer her daughter Mrs. Lake City at this Mrs. Eva Barn Harry Steinshowe the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. C. entertained a few friends at luncheon Sunday. Guests were: Geo. Cecelia of Pocahontas of Grand Junction Misses Tresa, M. Schall.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Grand Junction go

Berkley

P. B. Peterson is visiting here and looking after business interests this week.

Anton Challengery is in business here on Monday.

Clarence Lansing is here last Monday.

Mrs. Fred Peaslee her daughter Mrs. last Tuesday.

John McMichael is tucky coal on track today.

Scott Martin was here Tuesday of last week.

John Dorman of the district was in town.

Lew Bridgett was here on Tuesday of last week.

Alva Lansing is here on Tuesday of last week.

Alva Mowrer of the city was a caller today.

C. T. Williams, supervisor, from the city is here on voters here.

Herbert Adams was a business caller today.

Mr. and Mrs. S. parents of a fine baby today of last week.

Dr. Gano of O. here last Tuesday.

Mrs. Marion Nee Sam Zink home and the new baby lately.

Mrs. Emily Orin Ogden one day last week.

John Clark called at home Thursday.

Fred Kendall delivered Perry market last week.