

Standard Form For Members of the Legislature

Name of Representative Coffin Samuel Senator \_\_\_\_\_  
Represented Linn and Mahaska Counties, Iowa

1. Birthday and place 19 Apr 1808 North Carolina

2. Marriage (s) date place  
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\_\_\_\_\_

3. Significant events for example:  
A. Business \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
B. Civic responsibilities Mason  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
C. Profession \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

4. Church membership \_\_\_\_\_

5. Sessions served 4<sup>th</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup> General Assemblies 1852, 1854

6. Public Offices  
A. Local \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
B. State \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
C. National \_\_\_\_\_  
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7. Death 6 May 1880, near Oshtemo, Iowa; Buried

8. Children \_\_\_\_\_  
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9. Names of parents \_\_\_\_\_

10. Education \_\_\_\_\_  
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11. Degrees \_\_\_\_\_  
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12. Other applicable information \_\_\_\_\_  
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at present. Farmers in this  
are busy planting corn; some  
nenced plowing their corn.  
e no loafers and consequently  
mes talk. So much for a repub-  
ement.

John C. Smith and wife,  
girl. All parties doing well.  
L. L. Smith who is now grand-

School is now in full blast at  
and the attendance is large.  
superintendent is S. N. Beaman,  
of Oskaloosa. Mr. Beaman  
ds his business.

republican around here is for  
ne, who, if nominated, will be  
ly elected by a large majority.  
the grand old party.

Yours Respectfully,

h. 1880. IXTON.

H. S. Alumni Association will  
third annual entertainment at  
House on Wednesday evening

gram will be as follows.

Invocation.

Music.

President's Address.

Oration.

Palmer: "Change."

Music.

Declamation.

Smith, "The Bottle Imp."

Oration.

Amelia Ehlers, "Home."

Music.

Oration.

A. Martenstein, "Inactivity  
with."

Music.

C. WAGGONER, President.

### ARON SHORT STOPS.

ERALD.—A majority of the voters  
township are exceedingly happy  
result of yesterday's election; as  
per cent tax asked for in aid of  
C. V. and E. R. R., was carried.  
E. Thomas is visiting at Leigh-

ant is filling the vacancy in the  
pit; caused by Rev. Kendrick  
the conference.

S. Simpson lost his pocket  
ain, \$99.00 and a number of  
papers, but notwithstanding this  
is happy. It is a 9 pound girl.  
rake sent up his balloon Satur-  
Readman made one of the best  
ever witnessed.

sirous of rendering a tribute of honor and re-  
spect to his memory, and of expressing our  
sympathy with his sorrowing friends and grief-  
stricken family, do therefore unanimously adopt  
the following resolutions:

First, That we in his death feel that we have  
experienced an irreparable loss to ourselves  
both as a society and as students of Penn Col-  
lege.

Second, That we tender our sincere sympathy  
to his afflicted relatives and sorrowing  
friends in this their sad bereavement, and fur-  
ther that a copy of these resolutions be placed  
on the records of this society and another be  
sent to the Oskaloosa HERALD for publication.

W. T. SPENCER, President.

J. E. HOLLINGSWORTH, Secretary.

### RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT.

HALL OF TRI-LUMINAR LODGE, No. 18, J  
A. F. & A. M.,  
OSKALOOSA, IOWA, May 9, 1880.

To the Worshipful Master, Wardens and Breth-  
ren of Tri-Luminar Lodge No. 18, A. F. &  
A. M.:

BROTHERS.—We are met again in solemn con-  
vention to pay the last tribute of respect to one  
of our number, who has departed from our  
midst. It is but a poor testimonial we can offer  
to the memory of one like him who has gone;  
but though our hearts are bowed with grief, it  
is fitting that we should express by proper trib-  
ute our respect for the dead, and our sympathy  
for and condolence with the living.

Our brother, Samuel Coffin, departed this life  
at 3 o'clock p. m., Thursday, May 6, 1880, at his  
late residence near this city, aged 71 years,  
nearly 30 years of which time he was connected  
with this lodge. Older members of Tri-Lumi-  
nar Lodge remember his faithfulness, his zeal  
and his fidelity to the precepts of our order,  
particularly during the first 15 years of his ma-  
sonic life. His was a life that exemplified the  
true masonic idea. While he was a strength  
and guide to those associated with him during  
those active years, the knowledge of his up-  
rightness and fidelity as a man and mason should  
be received as a bright example to those of you,  
our brethren, who are yet young both in life  
and in masonry.

He was a man of strict integrity, kind disposi-  
tion, benevolent impulses and public spirit. A  
kind father, considerate husband and a loved  
and cherished neighbor. In fact he was such a  
man as every mason should be, and would be,  
if they faithfully followed the teachings of our  
institution.

In the death of Brother Samuel Coffin we  
recognize the fact that his family have lost a  
loved and revered head, his neighbors a kind  
and reliable counsellor, the State a wise and  
honored citizen, the church to which he belong-  
ed a liberal and devoted member, and the frater-  
nity a true and worthy brother. Let us all  
emulate his virtues.

Resolved, That this expression of our regard  
for the memory of the deceased be placed upon  
the records of this lodge, published in the city  
papers and copies thereof delivered to the fam-  
ily.

Resolved, That the lodge be dressed by mourn-  
ing for the space of thirty days.

Respectfully submitted,

D. A. HOFFMAN,  
M. T. WILLIAMS, J. M. BYERS,  
Committee.

### NOTICE.

The annual meeting of the Odd Fel-  
lows' Protective Association of Oskaloosa  
will be held May 20th, 1880, at Odd Fel-  
lows' Hall, at 7 o'clock. The members  
are all requested to be present.

LOUIS BAUMGART,  
Secretary.

L. L. Hull will sell you trunks, valises  
or house in the city.

Buy your Canned and Dried Fruits of  
36 SHAW & LORING.

Tons and Tons of Wall Paper have  
been sold, and Tons and Tons yet to sell  
by Beechler Bros. 36

1880 FOURTH OF JULY 1880  
is the day talked of for a GRAND DIS-  
PLAY and TEST of the Oskaloosa Water  
Works—up to and on that date I will sell  
CHINA, GLASS and QUEENSWARE,  
GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, FRUITS,  
WOODEN and WILLOWWARE, CUT-  
LERY, &c., at a price that cannot be du-  
PLICATED this side of the Mississippi river.  
Remember the place—under City Hall.

36 S. J. DUNNOS.

Wall Paper at Beechler's. 36

If you like a cup of good TEA, you  
can't do better than to buy Teas of  
36 SHAW & LORING.

Farmers, take your meats to Shaw &  
Loring's and exchange them for Fish.  
They have just received a new lot. 36

Dried and canned fruits of all kinds at  
bottom cash prices at WM. MATTISON'S.

BUCKNER'S MUSICAL CHART  
for beginners on Piano or Organ, will  
save you one year's instruction by a mu-  
sic teacher. Any person can learn to play  
in six months' time by its \$1.00 per  
copy; for sale by

WHITAKER & SHRIVER,  
37w2 Oskaloosa, Iowa.

### A CARD TO THE PUBLIC

The millers of Mahaska county have  
established a co-operative Flour and Feed  
Store at the northeast corner of the  
square. The object they propose, is to  
rid themselves, and thereby the consum-  
ers of flour, of the exorbitant charges  
they have long submitted to on the part  
of the dealers in flour. To this end all  
flour will be sold and delivered to the con-  
sumer at the wholesale price. The best  
brands of Kansas flour will constantly be  
kept in stock and sold at correspondingly  
low figures. Prices will vary as does the  
market, but hereafter the consumer will  
only pay a reasonable compensation over  
the first cost of the article, whether im-  
ported or of domestic manufacture. All  
sales will be made strictly for cash.

E. GRINNELL,  
Manager.

SUITABLE FOR THE SEASON.



## 1850 United States Federal Census

Name: **Saml Coffin**  
Age: 41  
Estimated birth year: **abt 1809**  
Birth Place: **North Carolina**  
Gender: **Male**  
Home in 1850 **Mahaska, Iowa**  
(City,County,State):

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**Description:**

This database is an index to individuals enumerated in the 1850 United States Federal Census, the Seventh Census of the United States. Census takers recorded details including each person's name, age as of the census day, sex, color, birthplace, occupation of males over age fifteen, and more. No relationships were recorded between members of a household. Additionally, the names of those listed on the population schedule are linked to actual images of the 1850 Federal Census.

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