

Standard Form For Members of the Legislature

Name of Representative _____

Senator

William A. — Represented Mahaska County, Iowa

1. Birthday and place 11 Jul 1827 Youngstown, Ohio

2. Marriage (s) date place

① Deborah Jones 3 Jul 1856 Mansfield, Ohio

② Harriet Martin 1868

3. Significant events for example:

A. Business Admitted to the Ohio Bar in 1850

B. Civic responsibilities _____

C. Profession

Lawyer

4. Church membership

Methodist Episcopal

5. Sessions served 6th, 7th General Assemblies 1856, 1858

6. Public Offices

A. Local Elected Oskaloosa mayor 1855; town clerk 1853

B. State In 1861 elected Judge of the 6th Judicial District; in 1866 elected Judge of the 4th Judicial District and re-elected in 1872

C. National In 1866 elected to the S. Congress serving until 1875

7. Death 26 Sept 1889 Harnersville, Pennsylvania; buried West Cemetery, Oskaloosa, Iowa

8. Children Charles; William (died in infancy in 1860)

9. Names of parents John and Rebecca (McRae) Longbridge

10. Education Educated in the common schools

11. Degrees _____

12. Other applicable information Republican

- He learned the cabinet maker's trade in his father's shop.
He worked this trade 2 years.
- During his spare time he studied law by reading law
with Judge James Stewart in Ohio
- In 1852 he formed a partnership with Governor Mordecai
Bartley at Mansfield, Ohio, but later in 1852 he moved to
farm settling at Oskaloosa.
- He practiced law at Oskaloosa and soon had a flourishing practice
- His first wife, Sylvia, died in 1860. She and the infant,
William, also buried in First Cemetery, Oskaloosa, Iowa.

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Meets Here Soon.

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 man's Christian Association will be
 here October 25 to 27, and prom-
 to be a very interesting occasion.
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 the following sketch of this organi-
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WEDNESDAY, DEATHS, MARRIAGES.

Source: Iowa Territorial and State Legislators' Collection compiled by volunteers and staff at the State Historical Society of Iowa Library, Des Moines, Iowa.
 e following is a list of the marriage licenses
 issued at the city of Des Moines, Iowa, for the month of

JUDGE LOUGHRIDGE DEAD.

Death of a Distinguished Citizen Of Iowa.

News was received late Thursday
 evening, of the death of the Hon. Wil-
 liam Loughridge, of this city, at Phila-
 delphia, at 11:30 o'clock of that day,
 from softening of the brain. The death
 of Judge Loughridge removes from
 our ranks a citizen who lent distin-
 guished honor to county and state, as a
 member of the national congress, and
 at the bar. About four years ago he
 was first attacked by paralysis, which
 developed later into softening of the
 brain. During all these years of afflic-
 tion his faithful wife has ministered to
 his wants most tenderly, and all that
 could be suggested was done for his al-
 leviation. One son, from his first mar-
 riage,—Charles Loughridge, of Chicago,
 is, with the wife and brother James, and
 relatives of this city, his sole survivors.

BIOGRAPHICAL.

Hon. Wm. Loughridge, of Oskaloosa,
 Iowa, died at Wernersville, Pennsylva-
 nia, on the 25th day of September, 1889,
 after a long illness.

Though for a long time a prominent
 figure in Iowa politics, he has for sev-
 eral years been withdrawn from pub-
 lic life, the victim of a lingering dis-
 ease.

He was born July 11, 1827, at Youngs-
 town, Ohio, and was of that strong
 Scotch-Irish race which has made so
 marked an impression in every part of
 the world.

He was poor in early life, but made
 such a manly struggle for advancement
 that the hard lessons of the poverty of
 his youth turned to his advantage in
 his later years. He had a common
 school education only, and learned the
 cabinet maker's trade in the shop of his
 father.

For two years he worked at his trade
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 His spare moments were faithfully
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 with Judge James Stewart, of Ohio. In
 1852 he formed a partnership with Gov.
 Medard Taylor, of New York, and
 later in the same year moved to Iowa
 and settled at Oskaloosa. He was still



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MARRIAGE LICENSES.

ng is a list of the marriage licenses
 clerk since our last report:

c.	Residence.	Age.
artin, Spring Creek twp.....	28	
Chick, same.....	20	
Wells, Oskaloosa.....	29	
Buxton, same.....	24	
G. Wilson, Oskaloosa.....	22	
Baugh, same.....	22	
Matthews, Excelsior.....	39	
erry, Excelsior.....	26	
ames, Excelsior.....	23	
th Abram, Excelsior.....	19	
r Covey, Muchakinoock.....	25	
osby, Muchakinoock.....	—	
Born, Sunday September 29, 1889,		
rs. J. W. Moody, of North B street,		

.HILL.—Married, at the residence
 oman, at Kansas City, on Monday
 3ember 23, 1889. MR. MICHAEL
 3 city, and MRS. ELLA CAHILL, of
 owa, Rev. Young, of the Christian
 ating.

Is a well known honored citizen of
 is bride is a stranger, but no doubt
 lady and will find a hearty welcome
 The bride and groom arrived on
 train Wednesday and are at home
 ids.—*Pet Springs, Mo., Herald.*
 Died, Thursday, September 26, 1889,
 A. M., from heart trouble, Miss
 YES, aged 8 years and 11 months.
 Mr. and Mrs. John Hayes, 708 Third
 . Funeral Friday afternoon at 3
 residence. Interment in Forest

—Died, Sunday, September 29, 1889,
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 er home in Muchakinoock. MRS.
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 rnoon at 3 o'clock from Muchaki-
 church. Interment in Muchakinoock

Died, EFFIE, only daughter of L.
 their home in Rose Hill, Iowa,
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 The funeral took place from the
 Monday—afternoon, at one o'clock.
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Real Estate Transfers.

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Sharon.....	8 00
Martha N. Lacey to Iowa	
ail-way Co., warranty to lots	
Lacey.....	50 00
achel A. Rogers to Susan E.	
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washup 75, range 14.....	300 00
. et al, to Mary Ellen Jones	
to lot 2, range 15.....	1 00
et al to D.T. Evans quit claim	
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 Judiciary Committee in Congress and
 ou the Committee.

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 ried in 1856 to Diploma Jones in Mans-
 field, Ohio. His wife died in 1860. In
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 who survives him, Miss Harriet Mar-
 tin, of Philadelphia. Chas. Lough-
 ridge, a lawyer of Chicago, is the only
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y to lot 3 block 38 original	600 00
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and leaves a considerable estate. His
first wife and child are buried in For-
est Cemetery—the wife being the first
interment.

The remains will be brought here
and interred in Forest Cemetery, no-
tice of which will be given later.

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CHARM* (Alum Powder).....

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Died, Thursday, Sept. 26, 1880, at Warnerville, Pa., Hon. Wm. Loughridge, of Oskaloosa, Iowa, after a long illness. The remains were brought to his old home in this city for interment last Monday. A brief funeral service was conducted at the First M. E. church by Rev. Pillsbury and the remains laid to rest in Forest Cemetery. The pall bearers were: Judge L. C. Blanchard, Judge J. K. Johnson, Judge W. H. Seevers, Judge J. A. L. Crookham, Hon. J. F. Lacey, Hon. Ben McCoy.

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CONVENTION RESOLUTIONS.

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COUNTY CORRESPONDENCE.

SOUTH WHITE OAK.

Mr. William Cox moved to Gainsford last week to take charge of the North Western R. R. boarding house. Rev. Babber preached Saturday evening. Sunday the rain interfered with the meeting. Albert Vanblair and Marshal Griffin spent Saturday night at home. They are at work in Oskaloosa.

PLEASANT GROVE.

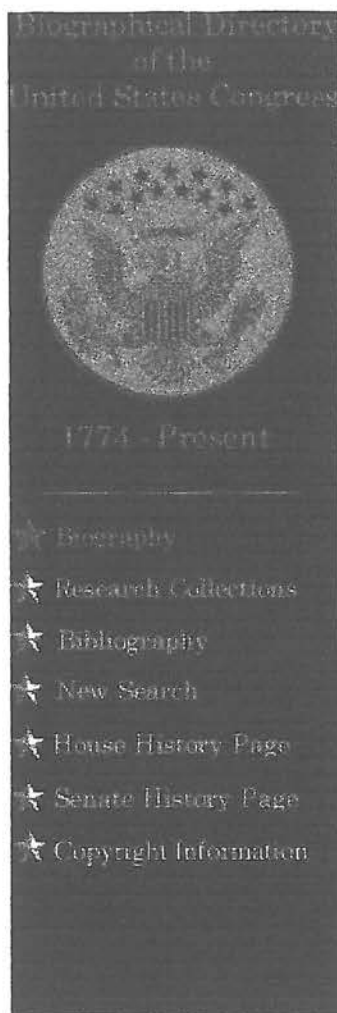
James Musgrove and family, of Osborne county, Kansas, are visiting in this vicinity. Tommy Holoway, of Kansas, is visiting his uncle Elias Holoway here. We have five molasses mills in this township. We will live sweet this winter. There has been quite a scare about scarlet fever. One of McCartney's children was pretty low with it. The trustees were called in to quarantine against the disease. The young folks had a party at John Witt's last Saturday night. Mr. Wm. Carter, of Illinois, is visiting his aunt, Mrs. E. Allen. David Colville, of Cedar township, is visiting her father and mother. E. Holoway, J. D. Broyles, George Wymore and others are building fine residences in the Grove. Boy.

MIDDLE CREEK.

The Shiloh church is again being moved; this time to Coal Creek, where it will be used by the M. E. folks. Mr. Jun Bass has returned from Nebraska where he has been visiting friends and viewing the country. He thinks of taking another trip this winter. Mr. Tom Bolton, of Taylor county, has been here visiting relatives and looking for a location. Mr. and Mrs. Bradley Sawyer spent Saturday with friends in Keokuk Co. Mr. Ben Hollingsworth, of Story Co., and his son-in-law Mr. Hawk spent the week with relatives near Rose Hill.

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LOUGHRIDGE, William, 1827-1889

LOUGHRIDGE, William, a Representative from Iowa; born in Youngstown, Mahoning County, Ohio, July 11, 1827; attended the common schools; studied law; was admitted to the bar in 1849 and commenced practice in Mansfield, Ohio; moved to Iowa in 1852 and settled in Oskaloosa, Mahaska County; member of the State senate 1857-1860; judge of the sixth judicial circuit of Iowa 1861-1867; elected as a Republican to the Fortieth and Forty-first Congresses (March 4, 1867-March 3, 1871); elected to the Forty-third Congress (March 4, 1873-March 3, 1875); died near Reading, Pa., September 26, 1889; interment in Forest Cemetery, Oskaloosa, Iowa.