

Standard Form For Members of the Legislature

Name of Representative Bremner, William Senator _____

Represented Marshall County, Iowa

1. Birthday and place 21. Mar 1831 Scotland

2. Marriage (s) date place

Katherine C. Hampton 24 May 1860 Iowa City, Iowa

3. Significant events for example:

A. Business _____

B. Civic responsibilities _____

C. Profession Surveyor

4. Church membership _____

5. Sessions served 8th General Assembly 1860

6. Public Offices

A. Local Marshall County surveyor 45 years; Justice of the Peace;

B. State _____

C. National _____

7. Death 29 Aug 1911 Iowa City, Iowa; buried Riverside Cemetery, Marshalltown, Iowa

8. Children George H.; Francis H. (Mrs. O. A. Byington); William H.;
Annabelle (died in 1897)

9. Names of parents James Bremner

Brunner, William

10. Education

11. Degrees

12. Other applicable information

- He came to America in infancy with his parents. He lived in New York and Massachusetts.
- In 1839 they moved to New Hampshire, living there 17 years.
- He later was in the engineering corps in Connecticut.
- He came to Iowa in 1856 settling in Marshall County.
- He and his wife lived with their daughter, Mrs. O. A. Byington in Iowa City, Iowa as they grew old.

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DEATH COMES TO WILLIAM BREMNER

PIONEER OF THIS CITY, AND GRAND OLD MAN, PASSES AWAY AT IOWA CITY.

CAME TO THIS CITY AS YOUNG LAWYER IN 1856

Was Made County Surveyor in 1865, and Continued in Office Until Last Year—Had Been Elder in Presbyterian Church Since 1868 Until Recently—Funeral Here Friday.

William Bremner, one of the grand old men of Marshalltown, a man blessed with innumerable friends and no enemies, closed the last chapter of the book of life at Iowa City late Tuesday afternoon. The end came at the home of Mrs. D. A. Byington, Mr. Bremner's daughter, at 4:45 o'clock. Death was due to pernicious anemia, induced by old age, and for several days, the end had been realized as a question of only a short time. Mr. Bremner had been failing in health for the past few years.

The death of Mr. Bremner marks the close of a good life, well spent, and the end of the career of one of God's noblemen. Mr. Bremner had lived in this city from 1856 until a few years ago, when his own failing health, and that of his wife, took him to the homes of his children at La Grange, Ill., and Iowa City, to spend his declining years. Modest and unassuming at all times, Mr. Bremner spent his life quietly, devoting his time to his business and his home.

Was Native of Scotland. Mr. Bremner was born in Scotland, of sturdy Scotch parentage, March 21, 1821, and when their son William was an infant James Bremner and wife emigrated to this country. While their son was young James Bremner and wife made their home in New York, state and Massachusetts, but in 1829 moved to New Hampshire, where, among the hills of that picturesque New England state, William Bremner spent the days of his early manhood, during a residence of seventeen years. As a young man Mr. Bremner studied engineering, and later law, and as an engineer was a member of a railroad engineering corps that did much work throughout Connecticut in the early days.

Comes Here in 1856. In 1856, realizing that there were greater opportunities for a young man in the then far west, Mr. Bremner came to Iowa, and after looking about the few towns then settled, Mr. Bremner selected Marshalltown as the point where he would begin his business career.

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WILLIAM BREMNER, Pioneer of This City, Who Died at Iowa City Tuesday Afternoon.

for the funeral, W. H. Bremner was also here today for the purpose of keeping an appointment in court, owing to his father's death, however, the court case was concluded, Mr. Bremner will remain here until after the funeral.

LAW CASES ASSIGNED. Suits to Be Heard By Juries Set For Hearing in September.

A list of jury cases, to be tried next week in the district court, was set for trial for Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday. The cases thus assigned were as follows:

Tuesday, Sept. 5.—Titans' National Bank vs. E. E. Benedict; Ella Johnson vs. George Pitcher; Hubla A. Arney vs. J. L. Ralls; A. W. Dolson vs. Cleary White Construction Company; Anderson and Rowley vs. M. C. Howard.

Wednesday, Sept. 6.—H. C. Shaw vs. Fred Wallace and Mamie Wallace; Herman Witt vs. John Fairman; L. S. Gantz vs. E. H. Tward; J. C. Dunlap vs. Whaley; Leland Bates vs. J. O. Kemble.

Thursday, Sept. 7.—Leonard Christberg vs. Meyers and Blute, et al.; W. A. Tuttle vs. Marshalltown Light, Power & Railway Company; Gabriel Strand vs. T. E. Robinson.

Friday, Sept. 8.—Chickering Chase Company vs. John and Dora Ferneau.

GRIEF CRAZES SISTER

Tragic Death of Fred Bailey, Direct Cause Attributed For Insanity of His Sister, Miss Edna M. Bailey—Taken to Hospital.

Shock of the tragedy and grief caused by the sad death of her brother, Fred Bailey, who was killed under a Northwestern train near Boone early in the summer, is attributed to be the cause of the insanity of his sister, Miss Edna Mabel Bailey, 97 West State street, who was adjudged insane this morning and taken to the state hospital at Independence. The young woman is but 26 years of age.

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FIVE DRUGGISTS GRANTED PERMITS

COURT GIVES TIME FOR REMONSTRANCES TO BE FILED, BUT NONE ARE MADE.

INJUNCTION SUITS PENDING AGAINST THREE OF FIVE

Peter Mayer, Who Was the Last to Surrender His Permit, is First of City Druggists to Secure New One—Caswell Explains Lack of Contest—Other City News.

Without a contest being raised or remonstrance being entered five druggists of the city were granted permits to sell intoxicating liquors by Judge Nichols in the district court Monday afternoon and this morning. The issuance of permits in three of the applications was postponed from Monday afternoon until this morning by Judge Nichols, who intimated that he would do so in order that remonstrances, if any, might be filed. He intimated that if they were it might make a difference in the court's action.

No remonstrances were filed, however, this morning and the permits were issued by the court.

Mayer First to Get One. Suits asking for injunctions have been filed in the name of C. C. Milliker against three of the druggists who were granted permits this morning. They are Joseph H. Snyder, W. C. Belmont and George P. Powers. Although applications for injunctions against these three dealers are on file no remonstrance was made to their applications for permits.

Peter Mayer, who was the last to surrender his permit more than a year ago, when all the druggists voluntarily turned their permits in to the clerk of courts, was the first to be granted a new permit. There is no injunction case against Mayer, or Charles Stegman, a South Third avenue druggist, who was the next to secure a permit. No remonstrance to the issuance of either was raised.

The permits to Snyder, Belmont, and Powers were issued this morning.

When C. C. Caswell, the attorney who has brought the suits for injunction against the druggists, was asked why remonstrance was not filed to resist the application for the permit, he said to have done so would be to have exposed his cases under which applications for the injunctions were sought.

Half a Million Acres Open to Settlement.

President Taft has proclaimed the opening of the Rosebud reservation in Mellette county and the Pine Ridge reservation in Bennett county, South Dakota. Registration points, Gregory,

Dallas and Rapid City, S. D., Oct. 21, 1911. Drawing at Gregory Oct. Direct route, The North Western L.—convenient train service. For more and descriptive literature concern the opening apply ticket agents, Chicago & North Western Ry., or address A. C. Johnson, T. M., 218 W. Jackson Blvd., Chicago.

WEATHERLY CASE UP.

Young Woman's Attorney Files Murder—Argued in Court.

The case of Miss Blanche Weatherly whose attorney secured a temporary injunction against the county commissioners of insanity and county officials to prevent them from carrying out order of the commission and return Miss Weatherly to the state hospital for the insane, came up in court morning on a demurrer to the answer of C. C. Caswell to the petition. The demurrer was argued briefly and Judge Nichols expected to rule on it today, but he announced later that he will postpone his ruling until next Tuesday.

NO ASSETS FOUND.

Examination of Mrs. Korn's Widow Jacob Korn's, Develops Nothing

The examination of Mrs. Mary Korn's, the widow of Jacob Korn's, the purpose of discovering assets of Korn's estate, which was held by Judge Nichols Monday, developed nothing.

The examination was held at the instance of Mrs. Amanda Mooers, near Gilman, a daughter of Mr. Korn. Her attorney announced after the examination that he would not use an order for a further hearing at this time. It is expected that the will later be probated without further test.

FROST IN LOW PLACES.

Does No Damage, However, in Opinion of Farmers.

Frost in low places throughout the city was noticeable Tuesday; the minimum temperature of 33 was noted. In the opinion of farmers, however, the frost did no damage whatever, and could have been had without damage because of the general absence of moisture.

MARRIED.

Albers-Thompson. Mr. Otto Albers of Laurel, and Mrs. Agnes Thompson, of this city, were married at the office of the officiating justice, S. E. Peck, Tuesday evening 7 o'clock. Mr. Albers is a farmer.

Local Weather Record.

Seventy-six was the maximum temperature at 7 o'clock in morning was the minimum temperature Tuesday, compared with 75.29, the extreme in temperature Monday. At 7 o'clock this morning temperature was 56, eight degrees warmer than at the same hour Tuesday morning.

Incorporation Articles Amended.

According to an amendment to articles of incorporation of the Ad Investment Company, filed in the office of the county recorder this morning the principal place of business of corporation is changed from this city to Okoboji.



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Golden Wedding Last Year.

On May 24, 1910, Mr. and Mrs. Bremner celebrated at LaGrange, Ill., at the home of their son George, the fiftieth anniversary of their marriage. The wedding took place at Iowa City May 24, 1860. Mrs. Bremner was Miss Kate Hampton, a daughter of the late George H. Hampton, who was one of the pioneers of Johnson county. It was during her visits to Marshalltown in an early day, to see her half-brother, W. P. Hepburn, that Miss Hampton met Mr. Bremner.

Both Mr. Bremner and his wife were prominent members of the Presbyterian church of this city, and from 1868, until about two years ago, Mr. Bremner was an elder in the church. The original Bremner home was at 112 North Second avenue, where Miss Anna Bremner now lives, but for many years, and until they gave up their home here, Mr. and Mrs. Bremner lived at 104 North Second avenue.

Aside from his aged wife Mr. Bremner is survived by three of the couple's four children. The latter are George H. Bremner, of LaGrange, Ill.; Mrs. O. A. Byington, of Iowa City; and William H. Bremner, of Minneapolis, general attorney for the Minneapolis & St. Louis and Iowa Central railroads. One daughter, Annabel, died in this city in 1897. Mr. Bremner is also survived by two sisters, Miss Anna Bremner, of this city, and Mrs. Ellen B. Tilton, of Newburyport, Mass.

Funeral Here Friday.

Mr. Bremner's body left Iowa City at 12:08 this afternoon for this city, in charge of the members of the family, and reached this city at 4:55. The funeral will be held from the home of Miss Anna Bremner, 112 North Second avenue, at 11 o'clock Friday morning. Rev. Dr. Dwight Witherspoon, Wily, pastor of the Presbyterian church of Iowa City, officiating. Interment will be in the family lot in Riverside.

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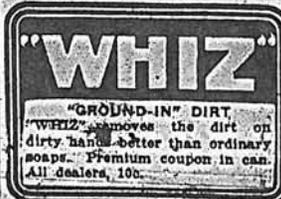
Those naturalized were Gunther Puschel, of Laurel, a native of Germany; Kolmon Gralnek, 508 Lee street, a native of Russia; Peter E. Jordebrek, of this city, a native of Norway and Ole Haakenson, 206 South Seventh street, a native of Norway. All have lived in this country from seven to twenty-one years.

Because his first papers, which were issued in Grundy county, were given to him before he was of age, Judge Nichols denied the final naturalization papers of Bonaventura Muller, of State Center. The fault which prevented Muller from being naturalized was not his own, but was due to an error on the part of the Grundy county clerk who issued them. As a result, Muller will again have to go thru the tedious process of securing papers all over again.

FLEMING IS HONORED.

Appointed Member of Committee for World-Wide Conference.

Rev. Dr. T. E. Fleming, of this city, superintendent of the Marshalltown district of the Methodist Episcopal church, Tuesday received an appointment as a member of the business committee for the ecumenical conference of the Methodist churches of the world, to be held in Toronto, Canada, Oct. 4-17. Rev. Dr. Fleming has been a member of the executive committee that has been making arrangements for the conference.



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in New Jersey, and worked for \$8.00 per month, and afterward for fifty cents a day; worked at the milling business in Pennsylvania; came to Iowa in 1856, to Iowa City, and came here to Marshalltown, in the Fall of 1858, and engaged in the brewing business; he had only about \$1,000 when he came, and commenced the business in a small way, and enlarged it as he could pay for it, from time to time, until now, by industry and good management; his buildings and improvements are as complete as can be found in the State; he has invested over \$60,000; he makes over 3,000 barrels a year. Married Mary B. Walbert, from Germany, in July, 1847; they have three children—George, John and Fred; they have lost one son and two daughters.

Bowry, Adolphus, painter.

Bowery, Hezekiah.

Boyington, D. D., clerk, lumber yard.

Brackett, J. W., grain dealer.

BRADLEY, JOHN H., Judge of the Circuit Court; born in Fairfield, Conn., May 9, 1837; he received his education there until 1856, when he attended school in New York; came to Iowa City, and studied his profession and was admitted to the bar in Oct., 1857; commenced the practice of his profession there in March, 1858, and continued until July, 1862, when he came to Marshalltown. He was elected District Attorney, and held that office from Feb., 1866, until Oct., 1872; he was elected Judge of the Judicial District embracing the counties of Marshall, Story, Boone, Webster, Hamilton, Hardin, Wright and Franklin, Jan. 1, 1873. Married Miss Sarah L. Duncan in Iowa City, in Sept., 1859; she was from Fayette Co., Penn.; they have two children—Charles D. and Susie C.; have lost one son—Henry D., born Dec. 25, 1864, and died in Feb., 1876.

Brainard, M. W., carpenter.

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BRENNECKE, CHAS., money loaner; born in Prussia July 4, 1814; learned the business of an architect and carpenter; came to America in 1840; he lived at Harper's Ferry, and built the bridge there. He married Miss Catharine Reimschneider, from Germany, June 28, 1844, at Cumberland, Md., they lived in Cumberland, Md., nine years, and came to Iowa in 1854, and located at Timber Creek; they were among the early settlers; he has a farm, saw-mill and grist-mill there; he lived there until 1866, when he came to this city, and since then, aside from looking after his interests, and loaning money; he started to Europe in May, and is now in the old country, visiting old friends there; they have six children—Emma; Augusta, Johanna, John, Frank and Nellie; they have lost one daughter—Lena.

Britt, W. L., teamster.

Broadhead, John, jeweler.

Bromley, C. E., dry goods and clothing.

Brown, Andrew, laborer.

Brown, L. W., carpenter.

BROWN, TIMOTHY, attorney at law, firm of Brown & Binford; born near Cooperstown, Otsego Co., N. Y., Dec. 27, 1827; he was brought up on a farm, attending school during the Win-