

Standard Form For Members of the Legislature

Name of Representative McLaughlin Alva Senator _____

Represented Jackson County, Iowa

1. Birthday and place 13 July 1829 Monroe County, Pennsylvania

2. Marriage (s) date place

Esther Traver 16 July 1857

3. Significant events for example:

A. Business _____

B. Civic responsibilities _____

C. Profession Merchant; Shipped Goods; Marble Business

4. Church membership _____

5. Sessions served 11th General Assembly 1866

6. Public Offices

A. Local Justice of the Peace in Clinton County, and in Jackson County

B. State _____

C. National _____

7. Death 11 July 1914 Spokane, Washington. Buried Evergreen Cemetery, Mead, Washington

8. Children Emma J.; Frank A.; Ida S.; Hilber C.; John D.;
Herbert; Arthur

9. Names of parents Patrick and Mary Elizabeth (Small) McLaughlin

10. Education _____

11. Degrees _____

12. Other applicable information _____

Republican

- His wife, Esther, born 15 May 1839 in Sharon, Ohio, died 20 Feb 1903 Clinton, Iowa
- He came to Iowa in spring 1854, returned to Pennsylvania in the fall of that same year.
- He moved to Decatur, Clinton County, Iowa in 1862 and soon after moved to New Orient, Jasper County, Iowa and engaged in the mercantile business. He also engaged in shipping stock and in the marble trade and
- He moved to Potosi, Iowa in 1870 and operated the Potosi House for one year. He then again engaged in the mercantile business
- He went to Magruder in Jasper County in 1867 and engaged in the mercantile business and in the marble trade for 3 years.

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PRESTON, JACKSON COUNTY, IOWA, THURSDAY, JULY 23, 1914

7 Is Killed by Passenger Train

A little two year old daughter of
re Ellis, a clammer residing at
vue, met instant death about
Wednesday morning when it was
k by a Milwaukee south bound
nger train.

The parents of the child were clam-
on the river leaving their two
ren at home. The little tot
ered on the tracks and was not
in e by the engineer to stop.
ittle one was struck by the pilot
e engine and knocked to one side
e road, life being extinct when
d up.

id Bryant Woman Goes to Reward

The death of Mrs. Johanna John-
aged 71 years, occurred Tuesday
ing at her home at Bryant. She
a native of Hanover, Germany,
ng to this country in 1883, since
1 she has resided in Charlotte and
nt. She is survived by four
ren, two daughters and two
—John and Fred Johnson of
nt, Mrs. Cornelius Paulsen of
lotte and Mrs. Chris Feddersen
reston.

The funeral will be held Friday
rno at 2:30 at Charlotte with
ices at the Lutheran church con-
ed by Rev. Jobst.

"The Crowning"

Mary Implay Taylor had not
brought up in the atmosphere
Washington society with ambas-

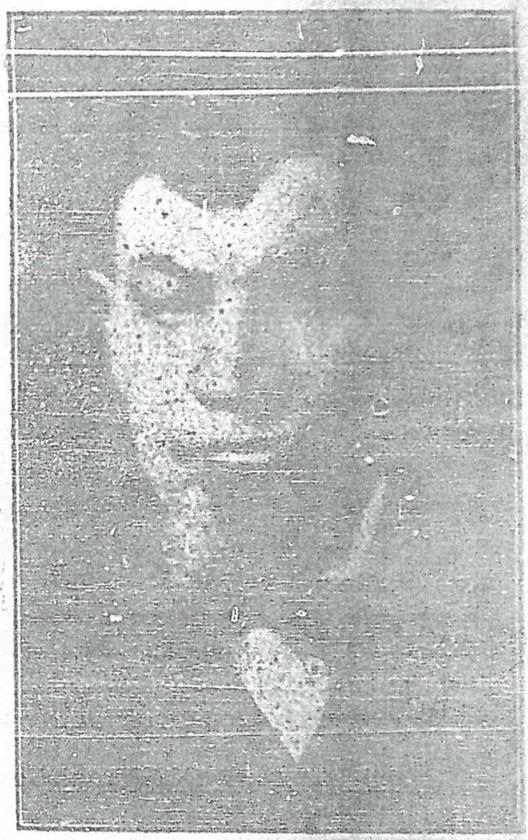
Former Resident Died in State of Washington

Charley Wyckoff was down from
Delmar Tuesday to attend the fu-
neral of uncle John Storm and, made
this office a pleasant call, during
which he stated that he had been in-
formed of the death of an old settler
of Van Buren township, **Alvs Mc-
Laughlin**. His death occured recent-
ly at the home of his son, in the state
of Washington at the advanced age
of 86. He will be remembered by the
older settlers of Jackson county and
especialy by the people of Preston.
At one time he was in the merchan-
dise business at Buckeye and later at
Preston, and also served as justice of
the peace. He was quite a politician
in his day, and as a republican rep-
resented Jackson county in the state
legislature.

The Biggest Industry of Its Kind in the World

Everybody knows about Ivory Soap
but very few people realize what a
tremendous demand there is for it
from coast to coast and even in all
other parts of the world.

The original factory at Ivorydale, a
suburb of Cincinnati, has grown until
it is a town of itself. There is build-
ing after building, oil tanks without
number, interlacing railroad tracks,
great freight trains departing with
ease after ease of Ivory, other trains
of tank cars unloading their contents
day and night. Indeed one needs but
a bird's eye view of this great plant
to realize that here is one of the



JOHN STORM

The earthly career of John Storm
came to a close at 4:00 o'clock, Satur-
day afternoon, at his home in Prestor
following an illness of six weeks dura-
tion of a complicated heart trouble.

The deceased was one of Preston's
most highly respected citizens, great-
ly beloved by all for his true char-
acter of friendship and neighborly
kindness which was apparent on al-
occasions and he was never known to
turn his back on a friend. He was a
devoted christian, a dutiful husband
and loving father. His taking away
is keenly felt by a wide circle of
friends and a large host of relatives.

Surviving are his wife and three
daughters—Mrs. Caroline Wink
who resides on the old homestead

THE
HISTORY
OF
JACKSON COUNTY,
I O W A,

CONTAINING

A History of the County, its Cities, Towns, &c.,

Biographical Sketches of Citizens, War Record of its Volunteers
in the late Rebellion, General and Local Statistics, Portraits
of Early Settlers and Prominent Men, History of the
Northwest, History of Iowa, Map of Jackson
County, Constitution of the United States,
Miscellaneous Matters, &c., &c.

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the fall of 1854, and was married to Miss Mary Wright; returned to Jackson County and located in Fairfield Township, where he lived till 1860, when he purchased and removed to his present farm. He has three children—William, Sarah and Emma.

J. D. LEVAN, miller, Spragueville; born in Berks Co., Penn., May, 1834; he came to Jackson Co. in 1850; after coming to the county, he lived at Green Island, Washington Township; afterward learned his trade at what was known as the Old Youngs Mill, where he worked eight years; afterward worked at Maquoketa for the firm of Poff & Nickerson for about four years, then took charge of the Mill Rock Mills, in Monmouth Township; worked at Farmer's Creek Mills for a short time; thence to Fountain Mills, Washington Township, which is owned by his father, Joshua Levan; he took charge of Deep Creek Mills, his present location, Christmas, 1878; Mr. Levan is an excellent practical miller, well versed in both the old and the new processes of milling. He was married to Serilda Wood, daughter of Avery Wood, an early settler of Monmouth Township, Jackson Co.; they have two children—Ella, now Mrs. George E. Goodnew, of Maquoketa, and William; lost two children—Lincoln and Franklin. Mr. Levan is liberal in religion and a Republican in politics.

ALVA McLAUGHLIN, merchant, Preston; born in Mercer Co., Penn., in 1829; he came to Iowa in the spring of 1854; returned to Pennsylvania in the fall of that year; he came to De Witt, Clinton Co., in 1860; soon after came to Van Buren, and engaged in the mercantile business; was also engaged in shipping stock, and in the marble business; he came to Preston when the town was laid out in 1870; he kept the Preston House one year, then engaged in the mercantile business, also in shipping stock. He married Esther Traver, native of Medina Co., Ohio; they have seven children—Emma J., Frank A., Ida, Wilbur C., John, Herbert and Arthur. Mr. McLaughlin went to Maquoketa in 1867, where he engaged in the mercantile business, also in the marble trade about three years. He has been Justice of the Peace in Clinton and Jackson Cos. for sixteen years; was also member of the Eleventh General Assembly, elected in ~~1855~~ 1866.

HENRY S. McNEIL, farmer and cheese manufacturer, Sec. 22; P. O. Preston; was born in Oneida Co., N. Y., in 1835; he was married to Mary A. Stuart, of Oneida Co.; they came to Van Buren Township in 1859, and settled one mile north of where they now live, where they resided one year, then purchased their present farm. Mr. McNeil enlisted in August, 1862, in Co. A, 24th I. V. I., Capt. Henderson; served three years; was discharged May 24, 1865; returned home, then went to New York State; came back in the fall of 1866, and settled on his farm and engaged in the manufacture of cheese in connection with general farming. He has six children—Mary R., Samuel M., William Henry, Mabel and Seward S.; has an adopted daughter—Mary Catharine Fate; lost second child.

JOHN MARTIN, farmer, Sec. 18; P. O. Van Buren; owns a farm of 160 acres, where he lives, and also a quarter-section in Section 16; he was born in Ireland in 1834; emigrated to this country in May, 1859; he went to Northern Minnesota, where he lived three years; he came to his present location in the spring of 1862; he was married to Jane Brownlee, also a native of Ireland; they have four children—William, Sarah A., Mary and Robert S.; lost one son—John B.

JUSTIN MILES, farmer, Sec. 23; P. O. Miles; was born in Medina Co., Ohio, in 1837; his parents, James and Sophia Miles, came to Van Buren Township in July, 1852; his father entered a quarter-section of land, which includes the present site of Miles, on which he died Dec. 1, 1867; his mother died in March, 1858. Mr. Miles enlisted in Co. L, 2d I. V. C., Aug. 24, 1861; he served till Oct. 10, 1864; he was at the sieges of New Madrid, Island No. 10 and Corinth, and at the battle of Iuka, etc., and was discharged Oct. 10, 1864. His wife was Miss Maranda Jacobs, daughter of Amasa Jacobs.

J. W. MILES, banker and farmer; P. O. Miles; born in Wayne Co., Ohio, in 1830; came to Jackson Co. in the fall of 1854, and located where he now lives. He married, in 1856, Sarah J. Heckerd; they have two children—Hattie, born in 1861, and



You searched for **Alva Mclaughlin** in **Iowa**

1860 United States Federal Census

Name: **Alva Mclaughlin**
 Age in 1860: **30**
 Birth Year: **abt 1830**
 Birthplace: **Pennsylvania**
 Home in 1860: **Van Buren, Jackson, Iowa**
 Gender: **Male**
 Post Office: **Van Buren**
 Value of real estate: [View image](#)

Household Members:	Name	Age
	Alva Mclaughlin	30
	Esther Mclaughlin	21
	Emma J Mclaughlin	1

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Description:

This database is an index to individuals enumerated in the 1860 United States Federal Census, the Eighth Census of the United States. Census takers recorded many 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 shown between members of a household. Additionally, the names of those listed on the population schedule are linked to actual images of the 1860 Federal Census.

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Alva McLaughlin

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Birth: unknown
 Death: Jul. 11, 1914

Burial:
[Evergreen Cemetery](#)
 Mead
 Spokane County
 Washington, USA
 Plot: Sec 6, Lot 58

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 Record added: Dec 31, 2009
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