

Standard Form For Members of the Legislature

Name of Representative Marion, Ashels Senator _____

Represented Mount Pleasant County, Iowa

1. Birthday and place 4 Dec 1842 Hendricks County, Indiana

2. Marriage (s) date place _____

Jennie Scott 11 Dec 1866

3. Significant events for example:

A. Business _____

B. Civic responsibilities _____

C. Profession Farmer

4. Church membership Methodist Episcopal

5. Sessions served 32nd General Assembly 1907

6. Public Offices

A. Local _____

B. State _____

C. National _____

7. Death 10 Feb 1913 Ogden Utah; buried Sidney Cemetery, Sidney Iowa

8. Children Lawrence; Maudie; Mrs. H.E. Craft (predeceased by father in death)

9. Names of parents _____

10. Education _____

11. Degrees _____

12. Other applicable information Republican

- He came to Iowa with his parents in 1851. He lived on the same farm as his parents after their deaths
- Military service - Civil War - Co. A, 4th Cavalry, attaining rank of 1st Lieutenant

Death Hon. Ashel Mann

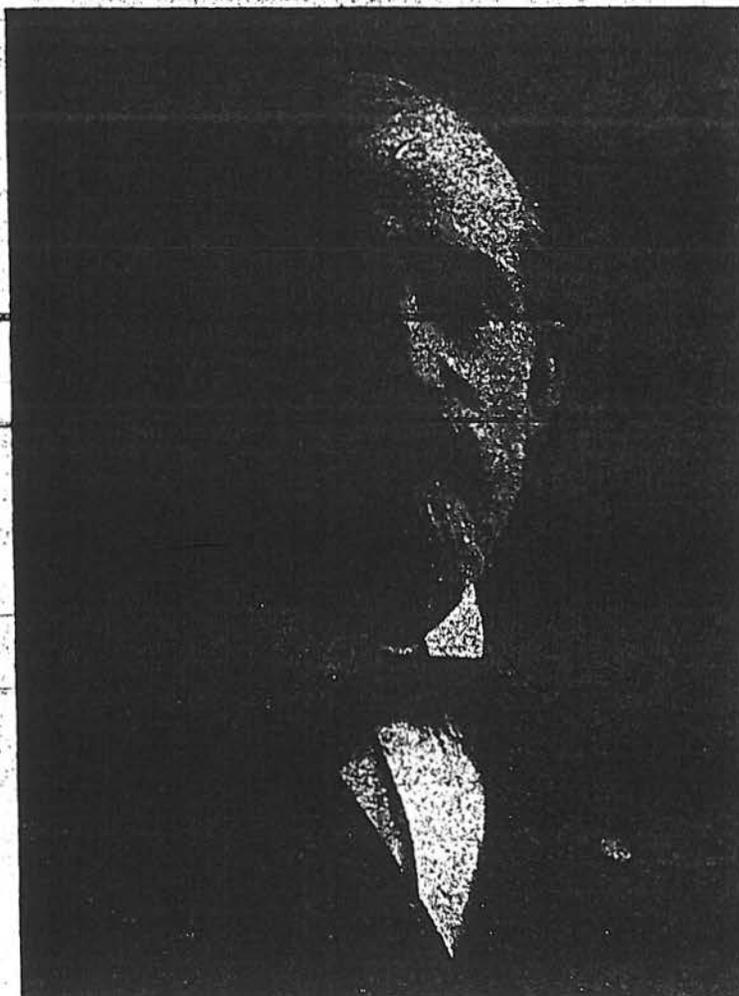
News of Ten Years Ago

A message was received here Monday stating that Ashel Mann had passed away at Odgen, Utah, that morning at 1:30. While his death has been expected for some time, yet it came as a great shock to his relatives and friends. Mr. Mann was taken to his bed with pneumonia just a year from the time of his death and it was the first time a doctor had been called for him in fifty years. He at that time expressed the opinion that he would never recover. Mr. Mann was one of the best known and most highly respected citizens of Fremont county and a christian man of the highest type. He served the people of this country very ably and acceptably in the state legislature one

We reprint here a few items taken from the Reporter of February 13, 1903, published by Holmes and Buckham:

The new K. of P. hall is almost completed and will be turned over to the lodge in a few days. Just when the formal opening will be is not yet decided and will not be until the building has been received by the building committee. However, the preparations for the opening are going rapidly on and are in such advancement that the opening may be held soon after the building is occupied.

Lark and Frank Miller are occupying this mild weather plastering Dr. Hoover's residence. "An ill wind, etc." applies to them with considerable force.



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his acts of kindness were without number.
Ashal Mann was born in Hendricks
county, Indiana December 4, 1862 and
came to Iowa with his parents in 1851.
He has always lived on the same land
which is situated around the bluff,
having purchased the home farm after
the death of his parents. He enlisted
at Sidney in Co. A 4th cavalry and
served his country four years, and when
discharged ranked at 1st lieutenant.
On December 11, 1866 he was united in
marriage to Miss Jennie Scott and to
this union three children were born,
Mrs. W. E. Craft who died a few years
ago, Lawrence of Treemountain, Utah,
and Miss Maude of this place.

The body of Mr. Mann arrived Wed-
nesday night and was taken to the
home of Dr. C. E. Hoover. The funeral
services were conducted from the M. E.
church, of which he was a member, at
10:30 Thursday by Rev. Frank Caldwell
of Malvern assisted by Rev. A. V. Babbs.
Interment was made in the Sidney
cemetery. He leaves a sorrowing wife,
two children, two brothers James of
this place and Abner of Grand Junction
Colorado, and one sister, Mrs. Susan
Bishop of Reno, Oklahoma, besides a
host of relatives and friends.

Death of Baby

Francis Alvin Howard, son of Jesse
and Alma Howard, was born in Ham-
burg, Iowa, September 12, 1912, and
died February 11, 1913, at the age of
4 months and 29 days. The funeral
services were conducted at the home
at 10:00 a. m. Wednesday by Rev. A. V.
Babbs. This beautiful little one whose
life was unfolding like a rare flower,
cut off in its commencement, leaves
behind it lessons of hope and faith and
love. "Of such is the Kingdom."

Marriage License

Elmer Cox	22
Minerva Atwood	19
Will Cross	24
Mable Hodges	22
Harry Gibson	23
Elinor Lord	23

Ice merchants were enabled to get
good ice twelve to fourteen inches thick
the first of the week, but the thawing
weather put a stop to it.

Chairman of the Board of Supervisors
Edgerton and his brother John, of Ne-
braska, partook of the good eatables
prepared by the ladies of the Baptist
church, Saturday.

Of all the social functions which
have been held this season none per-
haps equal, in number of guests and
elaborateness of the affair, the recep-
tion given last Tuesday afternoon by
Mrs. M. F. Cooley, Mrs. W. Liggett and
Mrs. W. M. Boyer, at the home of the
former. Over a hundred invitations
had been issued and with the pleasing
hospitality of the hostesses all were
made to feel the welcome intended for
them.

About twenty-five Odd Fellows from
this place went to Riverton last night
to aid in the instution of a lodge of
Odd Fellows at that place.

Mesdames George Bartlett, A. J.
Richardson and George Allen enter-
tained a company of their friends at
the home of Mrs. Bartlett this after-
noon.

T. J. Blackburn has been considerably
under the weather this winter on ac-
count of rheumatism. For the first
time this year he managed to get up
town this week.

Frank Huffman has rented the Rice
farm. He says he intended to try
"baching," but we have our doubts
about that.

Will Meek has rented the farm of
George Huffman, but we suppose he
does not intend to "bach," as he has
not said so, at least.

Joe Miller and family will move to
Hamburg in a short time.

Mrs. Everett Brown is enjoying a visit
from her sister, Cordelia Chaney of
Riverton.

Grandma Egbert is still quite feeble.
She had the misfortune to fall and hurt
herself about a week ago and at the ad-
vanced age of 80 her recovery is doubt-
less. She makes her home with her
daughter, Mrs. John Zuck.