

Standard Form For Members of the Legislature

Name of Representative Mills, Joseph Addison Senator _____
Represented Winnebago County, Iowa

1. Birthday and place 6 Mar 1814 Segette County, Wis

2. Marriage (s) date place

Margaret Heath Adams

3. Significant events for example:

A. Business _____

B. Civic responsibilities _____

C. Profession Miller; farmer; merchant

4. Church membership _____

5. Sessions served 6th General Assembly 1856

6. Public Offices

A. Local _____

B. State _____

C. National _____

7. Death 28 Dec 1864 Atlanta, Minn. - Civil Atlanta Cemetery, Atlanta, Logan County, Missouri

8. Children Cornelia M. (Mrs. Peck); Patience E. (Mrs. Plummer, died 1867); Franklin B.

9. Names of parents Barnwell Brown and Nancy C. (Whitsett) Mills

Mills, J. A.

10. Education _____

11. Degrees _____

12. Other applicable information Whig, later Republican

- He served in the Ohio Legislature 1851-1853.

- In 1853 he moved to Muscatine County, Iowa and in 1856 served one term
in the Iowa Legislature

- He moved from Iowa to Atlanta, Logan County, Missouri in 1857 where
he died 28 Dec 1864.

HISTORY
" OF
LOGAN COUNTY,
ILLINOIS,

TOGETHER WITH SKETCHES OF ITS CITIES, VILLAGES AND TOWNS,
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employed for a short time in Little Rock and Lonoke, Ark., and Mound City, Ill., when he was foeman in the office of the *Pulaski Patriot* from spring to the close of 1873. He then traveled in Arkansas and Kansas a couple of months, and planned to return to the old country. Desiring employment for a few months, until the arrival of some money, he happened to find an opening at Lincoln, which he at once accepted. The fall of 1874 he visited Germany, where he enlisted in the army and served three years, returning to Lincoln in November, 1877. Here he has since remained, engaged in the conduct of the *Volksblatt*. He was married in Germany, Oct. 30, 1877, and has now two boys—Richard E. and Fred C. The family attend the Evangelical church.

- FRANK B. MILLS, editor and publisher of the *Lincoln Herald*, is a son of Joseph A. and Margaret H. (Adams) Mills, natives of Ohio. Mr. Mills, Sr., was at different times engaged in merchandising and other occupations. He was in the Ohio Legislature from 1851 to 1853, having been elected as a Whig. In 1853 he removed to Iowa, where, as a Republican, he served one year in the Legislature of that State. He came with his family in 1857 to Atlanta, in this county, where he died in December, 1864. His wife is yet living at Atlanta. Their three children are Cornelia M. (Poak), residing at Osceola, Mo.; Patience E. (Plummer), died at Lincoln in 1867, and Frank B. The last named was born Jan. 10, 1842, in Clinton County, Ohio, where he lived until eleven years old. He lived with his parents at their different homes until August, 1862, when he enlisted in the Seventeenth Illinois Infantry. He served three years, his regiment being consolidated with the Eighth Illinois Infantry in May, 1864. He was discharged Aug. 22, 1865, at Baton Rouge, La. Returning to Atlanta he was variously employed until 1870, when he took an interest with Albion Smith in the publication of the *Atlanta Argus*. Jan. 1, 1873, he came to Lincoln, where he has since conducted the *Herald*. He was married to Orrilla Humason June 23, 1877, and has a family of three children.

THOMAS H. SMEDLEY, editor and publisher of the *Mt. Pulaski Republican*, is a son of R. H. and Elizabeth (Rice) Smedley, natives of Illinois. The former followed farming in Morgan County, and died in the army during the late war. Thomas H. was born June 25, 1854, at Waverly, Morgan County, where he lived until thirteen years old. At that age he commenced to learn the printer's trade. He worked at various places until the summer



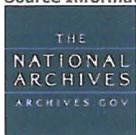
1850 United States Federal Census

Name: **Joseph A Mills**
 Age: **36**
 Estimated Birth Year: **abt 1814**
 Birth Place: **Ohio**
 Gender: **Male**
 Home in 1850 (City,County,State): **Richland, Clinton, Ohio**
 Family Number: **314**

Household Members:	Name	Age
	Joseph A Mills	36
	Margaret Mills	34
	Cornelia Mills	14
	Patience E Mills	12
	Franklin Mills	9
	Patience Adams	73

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1860 United States Federal Census

Name: **J A Mills**
 Age in 1860: **45**
 Birth Year: **abt 1815**
 Birthplace: **Ohio**
 Home in 1860: **Atlanta, Logan, Illinois**
 Gender: **Male**
 Post Office: **Atlanta**
 Value of real estate: [View image](#)

Household Members:	Name	Age
	J A Mills	45
	Margaret Mills	44
	Cornelia Mills	23
	Patience E Mills	21
	Frank Mills	18
	Andrew Wright	34
	Margaret Wright	31
	Henry Wright	8
	Mary E Wright	1
	Chas B Clark	69

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Joseph Addison Mills

Birth **6 Mar 1814** in [Fayette County, Ohio, USA](#)

Death **28 Dec 1864**

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Birth

[Fayette County, Ohio, USA](#)

1864
28 Dec

Death

Age: 50

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Parents



[Burwell Brown Mills](#)

1778 – 1843



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