

Standard Form For Members of the Legislature

Name of Representative Yager, James B. Senator \_\_\_\_\_

Represented Lee County, Iowa

1. Birthday and place 25 May 1827 Bessemer County, Pennsylvania

2. Marriage (s) date place

Emily Lawrence 19 Oct 1848

3. Significant events for example:

A. Business \_\_\_\_\_

B. Civic responsibilities \_\_\_\_\_

C. Profession Farmer

4. Church membership Baptist

5. Sessions served 26<sup>th</sup>, 27<sup>th</sup> General Assemblies 1896, 1898

6. Public Offices

A. Local \_\_\_\_\_

B. State \_\_\_\_\_

C. National \_\_\_\_\_

7. Death 28 Nov 1903 near Denmark Iowa; buried Denmark Cemetery, Denmark, Iowa

8. Children Samuel; Herbert; Susanna; Eliza (Mrs. Kennedy);

John (predeceased his father in death)

9. Names of parents \_\_\_\_\_

10. Education \_\_\_\_\_

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11. Degrees \_\_\_\_\_

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12. Other applicable information \_\_\_\_\_

*Democrat*

*- He came to Iowa in 1866*

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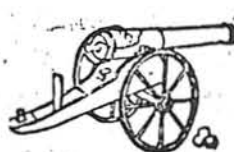
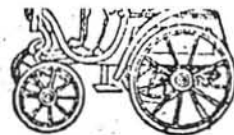
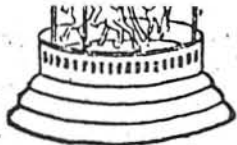
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There is nothing doing in the Panama canal case now. This is probably because there is nothing much to do until we dig the ditch.

Canadian newspapers are conducting a savage warfare against Lord Alverstone, who voted with the American commissioners in the Alaska award.

A Pennsylvania court has decided that marriage engagements entered into on Sunday are no good. Pennsylvania damsels will have to fall back on week days hereafter.

Don't be a knocker. Buy your holiday presents at home instead of sending away for them. Every dollar you spend at home is just that much added to our home prosperity.

It is stated in dispatches from Pekin that there is a rapprochement between China and Japan, and the idea of closer relations between the two countries is spreading rapidly in the celestial empire. Japan, it is said, has asserted that Russia's fulfillment of the evacuation convention is essential to the agreement, and has promised China not to sanction any arrangement impairing China's sovereignty in Manchuria.

#### Firemen's Dance a Corker.

The eighth annual ball of the fire company was given at the opera house Thanksgiving night. It was the most successful one given by the company thus far. Eight-five couples participated in the grand march, which was led by Chief Weber. The surrounding towns of Houghton, St. Paul, LaCrew, Lowell, Wever, Franklin, New London and Fort Madison each furnished a quota. There was plenty of music and there was dancing all the time. The dance was managed by a committee composed of Dr. C. W. Roberts, George Vonderhaar and Charles Supers. It was an unqualified success and the company naturally feels proud of the patronage shown on them.

#### Woodmen Camp Will Boom.

J. W. Scott, who is mayor of Montrose, Iowa, and also district deputy for the Modern Woodmen of America, was in town recently and spoke of the interest of Mohawk Camp No. 5970.

## PROMINENT FARMER. DIED LAST SATURDAY.

Saturday night, November 23, occurred the death of Honorable J. B. Hazen, after a long period of ill health, when finally Bright's disease developed, which caused his demise. Mr. Hazen was a man of sterling integrity and honored by all who knew him. He was an active member of the Baptist church and was ever ready to give substantial aid to the cause. He was a kind husband, a good father and an obliging neighbor; faithful to every trust, kindly and just to all, and might we all emulate the many virtues of this noble man.

In his business affairs he was successful to a great degree, but always honorable in all transactions.

He always took a prominent part in public affairs and has held several positions of trust with honor to himself as well as to his constituents. He represented Lee county in the 26th and 27th general assemblies and performed his duties while a member of that body without fear or favor.

He was born the 25th day of May, 1827, in Beaver county, Pa., and came to Iowa in 1866. He was married to Miss Emily Severns October 19, 1848, and five children were given them, one of whom—John—died several years ago. The remaining children, Samuel, of near Denmark, Herbert and Miss Susana of his place and Mrs. Ediza Kennedy of Altona, Iowa, were at his bedside during his last illness, as was also his grandson, Harlan Hazen, of Ray, Kansas.

The funeral services were held at the residence at 10:30 Monday morning, Rev. Kyle of the Denmark Baptist church officiating. The interment was at Denmark.

The widow and children have the sympathy of the entire community.

There is no death!  
We say. "Their sun goes down to rise

upon a fairer shore,"  
But, nay, the sun shines ever.  
We turn our faces from the light and cry.  
"The darkness comes!"  
There is no night!  
Our loved ones go beyond our longing sight;  
We wrap the clouds about our heads and say 'tis night;  
But in God's sunlight they and we forever stand—  
'Tis only vapor hides them from our eyes.

#### Not ce.

Notice is hereby given that a special election of the qualified voters of the West Point Independent school district will be held at the town council room over the bank, Tuesday, Dec. 15, 1903, to consider the following proposition:

1st. Shall the following public measures be adopted:

Resolved, That the board of school directors of the West Point Independent school district, Lee county, Iowa, be authorized to expend an additional \$2,000 to the \$3,000 which was voted at the previous election, to build the four-room brick school building according to the plans submitted by the board and on exhibition at the secretary's office.

2nd. Shall the board issue bonds to cover the amount of the building.

Polls open from 1 to 6 p. m.

R. A. GARDNER, Secretary.

#### Public Sale.

I will sell at public auction at the late residence of Ferdinand Pohlmler, at West Point, Iowa, on

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 11, 1903.

Commencing at 2 o'clock, p. m., the following property:

1 cook stove, 1 heating stove, 2 bedsteads, 1 carpet, rocking chairs, dishes, cupboard and many other articles too numerous to mention.

Terms of Sale—Cash in hand.

Mrs. F. Pohlmler.

Al Link, Auctioneer.

Smoke the Mohawk cigar and patronize home industry.

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## Hazen Family in America

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- **ID:** I03674
- **Name:** James B. Hazen <sup>1</sup> <sup>2</sup> <sup>3</sup>
- **Sex:** M
- **Birth:** 25 MAY 1827 in North Sewickley, Pa. <sup>3</sup>
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- **Death:** 28 NOV 1903 in West Point, Iowa <sup>2</sup> <sup>3</sup>
- **Burial:** Denmark, Iowa <sup>3</sup>
- **Reference Number:** 1001
- **Note:**

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*Marriage 1* Emily Severns b: 9 FEB 1826 in North Sewickley, Pa.

- *Married:* 19 OCT 1848 in Beaver Co., Pa.
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- *Marriage Beginning Status:* Single

#### Children

1. Susannah Hazen b: 9 SEP 1849 in North Sewickley, Pa.
2.  John Severns Hazen b: 29 APR 1851 in North Sewickley, Pa.
3.  Eliza Jane Hazen b: 14 FEB 1855 in North Sewickley, Pa.
4.  Samuel Hazen b: 16 MAY 1857 in North Sewickley, Pa.
5.  DeWitt Clinton Hervey Hazen b: 1 DEC 1864 in North Sewickley, Pa.
6.  Hervey Hazen b: 1 DEC 1864 in North Sewickley, Beaver Co., Pennsylvania
7.  Samuel Hazen b: 16 MAY 1857 in North Sewickley, Pa.

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