

Standard Form For Members of the Legislature

Name of Representative Johnson, Jonas Peter Senator _____
Represented Webster County, Iowa

1. Birthday and place 23 Sept 1846 Stockings, Jakobing lan, Sweden

2. Marriage (s) date place

Mary Larson 16 Oct 1869 Andover, Illinois

3. Significant events for example:

A. Business _____

B. Civic responsibilities _____

C. Profession Land agent

4. Church membership Lutheran

5. Sessions served 26th General Assembly 1896

6. Public Offices

A. Local _____

B. State _____

C. National _____

7. Death 2 May 1916 Lewis Iowa Buried Garvie Cemetery, Garvie Iowa

8. Children J. E. T.; E. L.; L. W.; Lavinia (Mrs. Pitt); Lillian;
Carrie (Mrs. Bengtson) died Aug 1910; two boys died in infancy

9. Names of parents _____

10. Education He attended schools in both Sweden
and Illinois.

11. Degrees _____

12. Other applicable information Republican

- He came to America with his parents in 1861 settling near
Lynn's Center, Illinois. They then moved to Grant Township
in Boone County, Iowa in Spring 1869.

- In fall of 1869 he went to Adair, Illinois to get married

- His wife died 23 Nov 1910

- He bought an interest in the general mercantile business of N. A.
Lindquist in 1884 and in 1885 he moved with his family
to Bowie, Iowa.

- There he continued the mercantile business under the name of
Lindquist and Johnson until 1890 when he sold out.

- From 1890 - 1896 he devoted his time to real estate and loans.

- On 26 Nov 1896 he once again engaged in the general
mercantile business under the name of Johnson and Lane,
continuing until 1 Jan 1908

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Band Concert Program.

On account of the rain, the band program for last Saturday night will be given next Saturday evening, the weather permitting, as follows:

1. March, Olympia Hippodrome..... Alexander
2. Overture, Bohemian Girl..... Balfe
3. March, Gentry's Triumphal..... Jewell
4. Shadowland Gilbert
5. March, Sliperitis..... Morris
(A tomfool Tune to Tickle the Trombones.)
6. Selection, The Heart Breakers.... Gilbert
7. Sextette From Lucia..... Donnezetti
8. Trombone Solo, The Wanderer.... MARCH
9. March, Dreadnaught..... Dalbey
10. Bjornaborgaren - March.....
W. Lee Griffin, Director.

BOOSTERS MEET.

The Commercial Association held a pleasant "get together" meeting at the opera house Tuesday evening. Attorney Floyd Douglas, secretary of the Fort Dodge Commercial Club, came down and gave a very interesting address on community problems in Iowa, pointing out the way toward giving the state the publicity it deserves, as well as showing the duties the citizens of the town owe to the community in which they live. C. V. Findlay, who was also expected to be present, was unavoidably detained, and P. C. Holdoegel of Rockwell City, candidate for state senator was called on for a few remarks, which he made along interesting lines of suggestion. The orchestra gave several fine selections, and a pleasing vocal solo was given by Miss Ida Lindroth. Following the program a tasty lunch was served by C. L. Miller, and a pleasant social time enjoyed. There was a good attendance, and all enjoyed a fine event.

School Notes.

The Home Economics department will serve ices on the school lawn on Saturday evening, May 20. The band will give a number of selections on the school lawn. The menu will be prepared by the Domestic Science Club and will be served as follows:
Vanilla Ice Cream. Maple Mousse.

OBITUARY.

Jonas Peter Johnson was born at Stockaryd, Jonkoping lan., Sweden, Sept. 23, 1846, and died at his home in Gowrie, May 2, 1916, aged 69 years, 7 months and 9 days.

He came to this country with his parents in 1861 and settled near Lynn Center, Ill., moving from there to Grant township, Boone county in the spring of 1869. In the fall of the same year he went back to Andover, Ill., where on Oct. 16, 1869, he was united in marriage to Miss Mary Larson. This union was blessed with eight children, two boys dying in infancy and a daughter, Mrs. Carrie Bengtson, dying in August, 1910, followed the same year by her mother on Nov. 23. The surviving children, all of whom have been with their father during his recent illness and who were present at the funeral are J. E. T. Johnson of this place, E. L. Johnson of Manteca, Cal., H. W. Johnson of Mabton, Wash., Mrs. Lavina Putt, of Burnside, and Miss Lillian Johnson of this place. Mr. Johnson bought an interest in the general mercantile business of N. A. Lindquist in 1884, and in 1885 moved with his family to Gowrie and continued in that business under the firm name of Lindquist & Johnson until 1890, when he sold out and from that time until 1896 Mr. Johnson devoted his time to real estate and loans. On November 26, 1896, he again engaged in the general mercantile business under the firm name of Johnson & Sons, continuing to Jan. 1, 1908, since which time he has lived a retired life, enjoying the fruits of him many years of labor.

In 1895 Mr. Johnson was elected to the state legislature and served during the 26th session of that body.

He was confirmed at Andover, Ill., in 1862, and joined the Lutheran church at this place in 1904. The funeral services were held from the church on Friday afternoon, his pastor, Rev. J. E. Rydback, assisted by Rev. J. A. Caskey and Rev. G. D. Youker, having charge of the services and the remains were laid to rest in the Gowrie cemetery, besides those of his loved ones who had preceded him to that land beyond.—Gowrie News.

MAYOR'S PROCLAMATION.
Special Election.

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