

Standard Form For Members of the Legislature

Name of Representative Luke, John H. Senator _____

Represented Franklin County, Iowa

1. Birthday and place 31 Mar 1840 Albany County, New York

2. Marriage (s) date place

Sarah A. Yerington Sept 1866

3. Significant events for example:

A. Business Admitted to the bar in 1867

B. Civic responsibilities Mason; G.A.R.; Eastern Star;

C. Profession Lawyer

4. Church membership Methodist

5. Sessions served 22nd 23rd General Assemblies 1888, 1890

6. Public Offices

A. Local Elected railroad commissioner in 1890 and 1893

B. State _____

C. National _____

7. Death 21 Dec 1895 Hampton, Iowa; buried

8. Children _____

9. Names of parents _____

10. Education

11. Degrees

12. Other applicable information

Republicans

- *In 1850 he moved with his parents to Illinois*
- *Until the Civil War he attended school and taught school*
- *Military service - Civil War - Co. E 15th Illinois Infantry*
Attaining rank of Lieutenant
- *After the war he was elected sheriff of Jo Daviess County, Illinois*
- *He then began to study law. He was soon elected prosecuting*
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- *In 1881 he moved to Hampton, Iowa*

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Marshall Times-Republican: "The bustle which was relegated to the rear a few years ago is coming to the front again. (The critical punster can take all the liberties with this paragraph he wants to. The bars are down in at least two places.)"

If reports are true that is the style of bustle most frequently used in the associate editor's family.

England, at whose solicitation the Monroe doctrine was promulgated, does not enjoy having it applied to herself. When applied to the extension of the power of the pope of Rome it was all right, but when applied to the extension of British territory it is all wrong. England would fain have the world believe she has been ordained of God to extend a protectorate over every nation. Such a vain idea should be ripped out of her.

The following sentence from the President's message clearly and impressively defines the meaning of the Monroe doctrine: "It is the duty of the United States to resist by every means in its power as a willful aggressor upon its rights and interest the appropriation by Great Britain of any lands or the exercise of governmental jurisdiction over any territory which, after investigation, we have determined might belong to Venezuela."

Grundy Republican: Last week Daniel Kerr gave work to a tramp setting him to picking corn. The fellow worked faithfully with one of our citizens till he had earned \$25, the citizen of course, earning a like amount. When they quit work the citizen took the money home and spent it on his family, while the tramp filled up on beer and blowed in every cent of his money in less than twenty-four hours. Hard telling when a fellow is doing charity these days. To give to a lawless and shiftless is like throwing money in the stove. A man with a family has but little use for this fellow's goods.

Price's Cream Baking Powder

be sure to be encountered and the chances are that it would be of a serious nature.

Capt. Luke Dead.

Hon. J. W. Luke, chairman of the railroad commission, died at his home at Hampton Saturday after a brief illness. Soon after his return from Des Moines on the 12th he was taken sick of inflammation of the stomach and bowels, but at no time was he believed to be critically ill.

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Cure for Hog Cholera.

M. S. Watson, a successful farmer in Grundy county near Whitten, called Friday. In conversation he stated that he had never lost a hog by cholera. A number of years ago, when his neighbors were all losing their hogs, he

who has pigs is sure of a bushel for his corn, unless lose their by cholera. The tion to hold grain is a serious rassment to merchants. In tion with a traveling man the he said there were many merchants in Iowa who were on the business failure. They had farmers one and two years the farmers, although having crops, refuse to sell at present and pay the merchant. No not right. Do not hold you less you can do so without ing anyone. You are under to the merchant who has e to help him out now in his financial trial. He needs his

The Des Moines Register deal of truth in the following not your heart be troubled of consent. The legislature the age. Thirteen is too low no reason why it should not to 18, if it satisfies anyone there. But let no one be de think that anyone's morals proved by such an enactment as practical morals are come will two years hence be just where they are now, as far posed law will affect them. has come for us to lay aside that we can make good men by passing laws. That is a way. We have had experience along these lines. What henceforth is a little more e parts of the fathers and home. Start your children stick at it until they are for the results will be much when you lean on the legisla Register believes in setting plainly before the people."

Rev. Dr. Parkhurst speak a Tory than an American c should be given a passport line. The United States arbitration and not war, willing to accommodate Jo either. England refused to and like the cowardly thief wants the United States to off while she steals from t nations. England protect despoil. Ireland, South Af and the islands in the Pacific instances of her greed and mess. No one want to se

the Rev. Fox, of Denmark, Lee county, who received the unanimous call to the pastorate of the Congregational church at Chapin, declined on account of poor health.

Miss Anna Evans, of the public schools of Spencer, visited from Friday until Monday with her brother, W. D. Evans. Miss Evans was on her way to her home at Williamsburg.

In the case of the State vs. Charles Kelly, charged with rape, the jury returned a verdict Saturday of assault and battery instead of that charged in the indictment. There is considerable adverse criticism as to their verdict.

The Globe's free book offer should attract the attention of every reader and should also be promptly taken advantage of. Friends of the paper will render us a kindness by calling the attention of those who are not now subscribers to this great free offer.

The second annual exhibition of the Northern Iowa poultry association commences next Monday and continues throughout the week. All interested in poultry raising as well as the public generally should visit the show, which promises to be better than last year, and it was then quite creditable.

The Y. P. S. C. E. of the Congregational church will hold their annual meeting next Sunday evening and in connection with it an Endeavor rally. It will be a public meeting at 7:30, taking the place of the usual public service, and everybody is cordially invited. There will be reports and addresses and music.

C. O. Magee, son of Rev. and Mrs. J. C. Magee and principal of the high school at Carroll, was married yesterday at Cedar Falls to an accomplished young lady of that city. Rev. and Mrs. Magee went there Wednesday to be present at the marriage and will return to-day accompanied by their son and his bride.

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Capt. J. W. Luke is Dead.

At 1 o'clock last Saturday morning Capt. John W. Luke died at his home in this city after a brief illness. His death was caused by inflammation of the bowels, induced by a severe attack of the la grippe. His death was a surprise and unexpected and as the news rapidly spread throughout the city Saturday morning the sorrow became universal. He was a man loved and respected by all our people. Unassuming, able, high minded, in all things he was a model citizen. To the afflicted wife and family not only the sympathy of Hampton and Franklin county but of the entire state goes out. His death is a public loss.

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Don't Scatter.

We often hear good old ladies advise their friends when they are afflicted with boils and other swellings of a similar character that indicate a bad condition of the blood, to "take some thin" to scatter 'em." This is the worst advice that could be given, for, if "something scattering" is taken, the poison in the blood, which the system is trying to throw off through the boil or whatever the swelling may be, is driven back into the system, and so effectually "scattered" through it; and by and by it is likely to manifest itself in terrible ways. What should always be done when boils, pimples, and other eruptions of a like nature appear, is to give something that will act on and with the blood, and help it to relieve itself of the impurities in it; something in short, to assist the system in its effort to throw off impure matter which does not belong there. If swellings and eruptions increase after beginning to take such a medicine, be sure that it is doing exactly what it ought to. It is driving out the poison. When the blood is purified these outward indications of inward impurity will cease. The medicine that does this work most effectively is Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery.

Grand California Excursion.

A California excursion of business and professional men will leave Chicago and St. Paul Thursday, January 2, and February 6, 1898, in Pullman tourist sleeping cars, over the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul, the Union Pacific and Southern Pacific Railways, via Omaha and Ogden, for Sacramento, San Francisco, San Jose, Monterey, Los Angeles and the fruit districts of California. Best of company; lowest possible tourist rates; tourist sleeper—double berth (room for two persons)—from Chicago or St. Paul to San Francisco, \$6.00. If you are going as a tourist, or to settle in California, take this train and you will have the best of company and comfort. Sleeping car berths should be engaged at once. Send orders for berth with cash, to F. H. Thorn, City Ticket Agent C. M. & St. P. Ry., 365 Robert street, St. P., Ry., 95 Adams street, Chicago, Ill. For particulars and circulars apply to nearest ticket agent, or address S. Sherin, excursion manager, Palmer House, Chicago, Ill.

Arthur Atkinson will preach at the Baker school house Sunday at 2:30 p. m.

Avoid pneumonia, diphtheria and typhoid fever, by keeping the blood pure, the appetite good and the bodily health vigorous by the use of Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Hood's Pills have won high praise for their prompt and efficient yet easy action.

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We are already opening up a large stock of Christmas Toys, Albums, Toilet Sets, and almost everything else in the line of holiday goods. Come in and get first choice at rock bottom prices.

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Although no steam threshers are being moved at this season of the year, it will profit owners of such machines to cut this out and preserve it for reference at the proper time. The supreme court has decided that steam engines, when upon the highway, must stop within a hundred yards of vehicles drawn by horses and wait till they pass, or their owners will be liable for all damage done. The opinion sustained a statute law to this effect.

The Christmas entertainment at the Congregational church on Christmas eve was one of the best ever held. The class exercises, the speaking and singing were all good. The "Rock-a-Baby" sung by six little girls from Mrs. Ferner's class was pretty and sweet. The choir rendered some excellent music. The "Good Will toward Men" sung by the choir in two divisions in separate rooms was especially fine. "Santa Claus" came by "trolley car" and furnished a great deal of amusement for the children.

A good piece of advice to people who live in the country is to take up the habit of writing for newspapers from their neighborhoods. It is a pleasant diversion as well as a profitable one to the mind and greatly facilitates the passing of the long winter evenings. Time spent gathering up the happenings of a neighborhood is a good practice for the mind as it cultivates detail and accuracy, two things which a great many of us lack in this busy rush of life. Then there is a sense of gratification indescribable in reading something written by one's self. We are always pleased to hear from any of our friends in the country and take great pleasure in publishing their experiences in all matters pertaining to culture and successful farming.

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Kron in this city, Christmas night, occurred the marriage of their daughter, Miss Myrtle B. Kron, to Prof. R. G. Mallowa. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. J. W. Ferner. There was assembled a fine company

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The funeral took place Monday afternoon at the Methodist church. Rev. J. C. Magee, assisted by Rev. J. W. Ferner and Rev. J. B. Edmonson, of this city, and Rev. DeWitt Clinton, of Waverly, conducted the services. Mr. Magee chose for the text of his brief address the words, "For What is Your Life," from James 4-14. Gov. Jackson followed the sermon with a brief tribute to the public life of the deceased. He was generous in his praise of Capt. Luke's integrity, ability and conscientiousness as a public servant and as a citizen. He said the state would feel his absence in the work he was doing.

The funeral was the largest ever held in Hampton. Aside from the members of the bar, Eastern Star Lodge A. F. & A. M., the G. A. R. Post, Co. D. of the Iowa National Guard, and the large concourse of people from Hampton and Franklin county, there were present from abroad Governor Jackson, Secretary of State McCarthy, R. R. Commissioners Perkins and Davidson, Ex-Commissioners Peter A. Dey and Frank Campbell, Secretary of the Commission Almsworth, Clerk of the Commission Lewis and J. F. Burgess, who has charge of the railroad commissioners' room. Other outside prominent men were also present. The business houses were closed, flags were at half-mast, the floral offerings at the church were profuse, all evidences of the warm place the honored dead had in the hearts and affections of the people.

In this month's crop bulletin Professor Sage gives the following: Since January 1, 1890 the average precipitation in this state has been 33 inches below normal. In 1890 the total precipitation was 31.12 inches—3.76 inches below normal. In 1891 the total was 33.13 inches—1.75 below normal. In 1892 the total was 30.75 inches or 2.25 above normal. After January 1, 1893, there was a more marked decline in the

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For Sale.

35 Poland China boars and 20 gilts of April farrow. Large, growthy fellows and nicely marked only \$10.00 per head.

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Colds and Grip are one and the same thing. Dr. Humphreys' Specific "77" cures them both. For sale by all druggists. 43w4

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160 acres fine land in Hancock county. Will take a few good draft horses on first payment. D. W. BALLARD, Alexander, Iowa. 45w1

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J. W. BAILEY.

For Sale.

A farm of 200 acres, well improved, with natural timber, within one and one-half miles of Sheffield. Easy terms. 33tf L. P. HOLDEN.

For Sale or Rent.

Mrs. Burson's residence, one block east of high school. Good house, two lots. Inquire of W. H. Hoxie. 39tf

FOR SALE CHEAP—S. C. B. Leghorn cockrels and pullets if taken soon. 38tf W. H. KOELL, Hampton, Ia.

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