

Standard Form For Members of the Legislature

Name of **Representative** WITHROW, WINFIELD SCOTT **Senator**

*Represented Henry County, Iowa*

1. Birthday and place 28 September 1855, Salem, Iowa

2. Marriage (s) date place

Anna C. Webb (c. 1863-19 August 1856), 1855, Mankato, Minn.

3. Significant events for example:

A. Business lawyer, printer, teacher

B. Civic responsibilities

C. Profession *Lawyer; newspaper editing; banker*

4. Church membership Methodist

5. Sessions served 21st GA, 1886, HD3, Henry

6. Public Offices

A. Local councilman and mayor, Salem; city solicitor and school board, Mt. Pleasant

B. State District judge <sup>1896</sup>; supreme court judge <sup>19 Apr 1913 - 31 Dec 1914</sup>; board of parole (1916-1921)

C. National

7. Death 7 February 1930, at home, Mt. Pleasant; two years of failing health  
*Funeral held home, Mt. Pleasant, Iowa*

8. Children (1) Dorothy (COLE) (1894- ); (2) Miriam (1897), Grand Forks, ND;  
(3) Emily (STEBBINS) (1904- ), plus 2 ch died young before 1910

*Nell (died young); Adoniran Judson (died young)*

9. Names of parents Adoniran Judson Withrow (Greenbrier Co. W.Va. 1825-Iowa 1867);  
merchant; Civil War vet; also legislator;

Libertatia A. Arnold ( - 24 Sept. 1896).

Withrow, Winfield Scott

10. Education ~~Salem schools; Whittier College; University of Iowa~~ <sup>graduate of</sup> <sup>in Mount Pleasant</sup>

11. Degrees ~~B.S., Whittier; LL.B. Iowa 1880~~ <sup>He graduated from the University of Iowa, Iowa City, Iowa in 1880 with law degree</sup>

12. Other applicable information ~~Father came from Indiana to Salem in 1853; in business there until Civil War; became 1st Lt Co. C., 25th Iowa. In a number of battles; resigned for health reasons 1864; died 1867. In Legislature 1860.~~

Winfield became printer; alternated printing and teaching for several years, including printing in Mankato where he met his wife. then went to law school. Began practice of law in Salem, at first also operating Salem News, then sold paper and connected with Bank of Salem. After serving in legislature, moved law office to Mt. Pleasant, and associated with a number of leading lawyers there. Became district judge 1896; resigned 1913 to become supreme court justice; left that court January 1915. On Board of Parole 1916-1921. Then returned to law practice.

Director Henry Co. Savings Bank many years; president of it from 1922 until death. Chair of board of First National Bank of Mt. Pleasant. Chair of official board of Methodist church; trustee of Iowa Wesleyan College many years.

Delegate to one national Republican convention; and to many state conventions. Survived by wife, 3 daughters, 2 sisters.

*His wife, Anne, died 19 Aug 1935 at age 93, Linn Co. Parnassus, California*

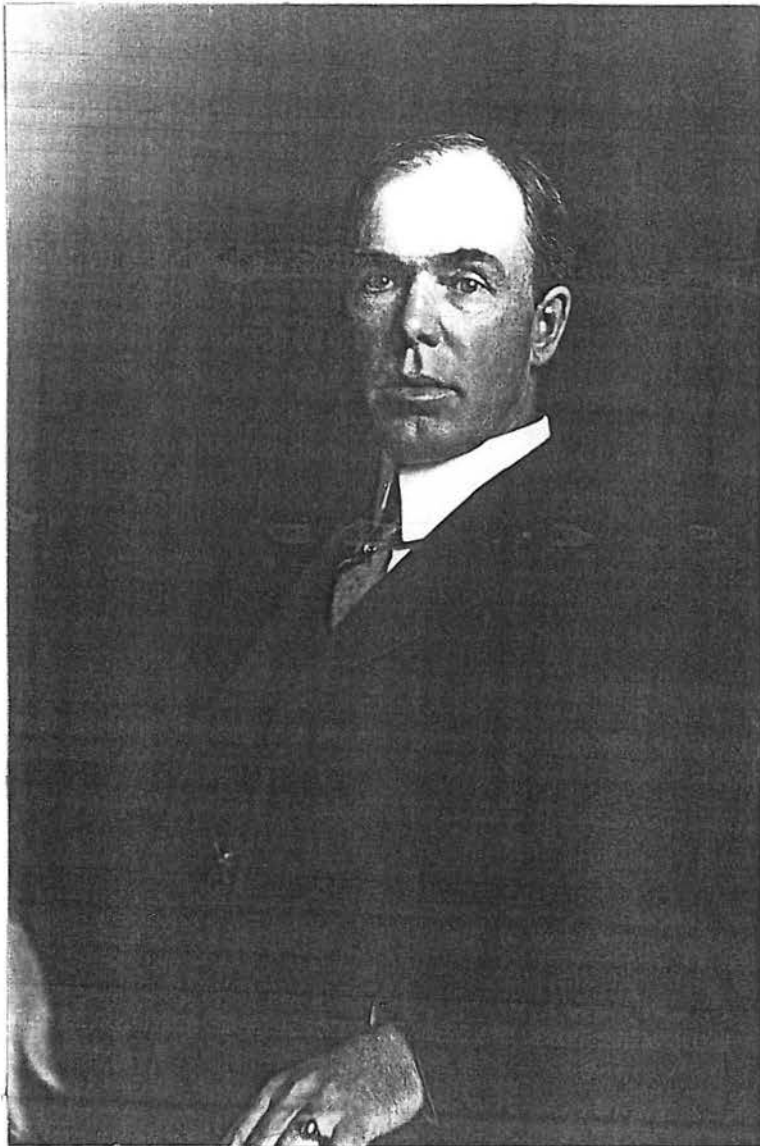
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House Journal 1931		x	bio
1910 Census Henry Co. 82B		x	fam
Port & Bio Album Henry Co 1888	x		
Henry Co. Death Records 1928-1950		x	self; wf, mo
Henry Co. marriages	x		

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*Outline of Personal History by the Historical Department of Iowa (Friedel in the clipping file)*  
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*Jan Feb 9, 1930, p. 4, col 1 and 21 Mar 1930, p. 2, col 3*  
*- ancestry.com (accessed 23 Aug 2009)*

WITHEROW, W. S. (JUDGE)



PORTRAIT  
#5565



...n't have that there, long be-  
I went right in, apologizing,  
ing to explain. But, when I  
it she meant for us to sit in  
ro. I suggested that we go  
on. I see.

"Please Mary," she said. "I  
int to be alone; but I do want  
ere. I feel as if here, with  
things around me, I might—  
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ome to me. If she is still on  
he would come here. Wouldn't  
nd she would try, I am sure,  
me a sign. Something to help  
help all of us. If it should  
want to be here to receive

"You won't come, Danny, dear," I

"I suppose not." She leaned  
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n had given her slipped from  
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om the floor she had jumped  
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nbling as if she had a chill.  
"Promise me that you'll  
d it, not to anyone. If  
It couldn't mean anything."

"Yes," I said, handing her the  
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etter let me go down and  
n' up some good, hot soup;  
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"I'm going to me. "Don't leave me,  
I am afraid. I am dreadfully  
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e ring. It—didn't mean any-

"I can't admit that I did not like it  
well myself. There, just as  
asking for a sign, the ring,  
nd fitted snugly enough, I  
ught, had dropped off. But,  
se I had to put up a brave  
her.

"I can't give you any sense," I said. "I won't tell  
because it is nothing to tell  
it means is that the ring is  
e for you."

"I sat down in a deep chair,  
me, her hands clasped on  
es and leaned forward, and  
in my eyes.

"I can't give you any sense," she said,  
ways so wise. This was a  
little little accident. The ring  
pped off, I suppose, half a  
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me it. Dead—she wants us  
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"She hesitated a moment before an-  
swering: "I have been in England  
for the past eight years, while Gaby  
has been on the continent, where  
beautiful things are more plentiful,  
and cheaper."

"Lands alive! I thought you girls  
had lived together, all these years."

"No," she said, and picked up  
Gaby's cigarette case, and handed it  
to me.

It was made of dull gold with her  
monogram, "G. C." set in tiny black  
opals, with green and blue lights  
flickering in them as if they were  
alive.

...note to me was an affection. Liv-  
ing, if Gaby could have taken John  
away from me, for herself, she would

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

# Judge Withrow Prominent In State, Dies

## Distinguished Citizen Of State And County Taken About Midnight

Judge Winfield Scott Withrow, one of  
the most distinguished sons of the state,  
passed away at his residence, 401 East  
Washington street, at the midnight  
hour Friday night in his seventy-fifth  
year.

The death of Judge Withrow removes  
from the community, a man of probity,  
integrity and ability, and one whom the  
people have honored in many ways.  
Printer, school teacher, publisher, law-  
yer, legislator, jurist, financier; mayor,  
school board director, church and col-  
lege trustee, his activities have circled  
the round of duties and responsibilities  
which good citizenship entails. Few men  
are called upon to play so many and so  
important parts in life's stage.

For the last two years the Judge, on  
account of failing health, has been com-  
pelled to relinquish one after another of  
his responsibilities. This winter he has  
gotten out but little and continued to

the Salem paper, where he learned to  
set type and do some reportorial work.  
And it was this diversion which so tre-  
mendously governed his life as we shall  
note presently.

The law appealing to Judge Withrow  
he entered the State University at Iowa  
City, graduated, and was admitted to  
the bar in 1880. Even yet Judge With-  
row had not found himself. He return-  
ed to Salem and purchased the Salem  
Weekly News which he published for  
two years in connection with his law  
business, and then selling the paper he  
entered the employ of the Savings Bank  
of Salem as assistant cashier. But the  
newspaper instinct persisted and in 1883  
he became associated with the Man-  
kato, Minn., Free Press as assistant edi-  
tor. While engaged in newspaper work  
at Mankato the most important event  
in his life occurred. He met Anna A.  
Webb, the daughter of the Rev. W. W.  
Webb, who lived there, and this ac-  
quaintance ripened into friendship and  
the closer relationship which resulted  
in their marriage later.

In 1884 Judge Withrow returned to  
Salem and again entered the employ of  
the bank and in a small way practiced  
his legal profession. The next year,  
1885, he was married to Miss Webb and  
established a home in Salem and the  
same year he was elected to the state  
legislature, defeating Judge Babb, who  
ran on the democratic ticket. It was  
soon after this that Judge Withrow de-  
cided to enter upon the practice of his  
profession in earnest and moved to Mt.  
Pleasant, which has since been his  
home. A law partnership was formed  
with Judge Jeffries with offices in Union  
block on the north side of the square,  
and this partnership continued until  
the death of Judge Jeffries in 1889. C.  
W. Howard was then admitted to part-  
nership with Judge Withrow under the  
firm name of Withrow & Howard, but  
continued less than a year when Mr.  
Howard moved to Washington State.  
Judge Withrow then continued his law  
business alone until 1893 when W. F.  
Kopp became associated with him under  
the firm name of Withrow & Kopp with  
offices over the Henry County Savings  
bank. In 1895 Judge Babb, retiring from  
the district bench, was taken into the  
firm. Less than a year after Mr. Kopp

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...important parts in life's stage.  
For the last two years the Judge, on account of failing health, has been compelled to relinquish one after another of his responsibilities. This winter he has gotten out but little and continued to grow weaker and weaker, until a few days ago it was apparent that the end was not far away. He lingered, however, from day to day and then from hour to hour until the end came last night.  
Few men have been held in higher esteem and respect and confidence than Judge Withrow, not only in the immediate community, but over the state which has delighted to honor him signally.  
Funeral services for Judge W. S. Withrow, who passed away at his home on East Washington street late Friday evening, were held at the First Methodist church Sunday afternoon. The church, to which the Withrow family has for many years been members, was filled with relatives, friends, neighbors and business, professional and political associates of the judge.  
Very beautiful flowers blanketed the chancel and the voice of the organ in the regular notes of Handel's Largo lent an unusual solemnity to the hour.  
The services were in charge of Dr. Osborn, pastor of the church, who by prayer, scripture and word, sought to give solace to the family and friends. Dean McLean, of the Conservatory of Music of Iowa Wesleyan, sang three hymns with beautiful effectiveness. The services were simple and brief as the judge desired, and at the close of the last song the casket was moved to the north entrance that the hundreds present might look once more upon the kindly features of him who was to pass on into the forever.  
And then the last office of friends. The casket was taken to the waiting funeral car by Messrs. H. A. Geeseka, William Kitch, J. C. McCoid, R. S. Galer, W. B. Seeley, John A. Langer, W. H. Evans and Frank Price, business and professional friends, and taken to Forest Home cemetery where interment was in the family burial plot and beside two sons, Webb and Arthur, who passed in young boyhood many years ago.  
**Life Activities of Judge Withrow**  
Judge Withrow was a genuine son of this county, having been born down in that wholesome Quaker community of Salem, September 28, 1855. His father, A. J. Withrow, a native of West Virginia, came to Salem in 1852 and immediately engaged upon the mercantile business there, until the outbreak of the hostilities of the Civil war when the famous 25th Infantry, composed of the men of Henry, Jefferson, Louisa and Des Moines counties was organized for duty in the south. He enlisted and was elected first lieutenant of Company C. He remained in the services until 1864 when he was invalided home and died soon after. He was elected to the Iowa state legislature in 1890 and was very prominent in the affairs of his country. He married Miss Libertatia Arnold of the well remembered Arnold family.  
It was from this stock and environment that Judge Withrow arose to prominence in county and state. He spent his boyhood days in Salem, attending the public schools and later Whittier college there and which was at that time a standard college, and from it he received his degree of bachelor of science. In the meanwhile he had found the smell of printers ink irresistible and

Kopp became associated with him under the firm name of Withrow & Kopp with offices over the Henry County Savings bank. In 1895 Judge Babb, retiring from the district bench, was taken into the firm. Less than a year after Mr. Kopp withdrew to become county attorney of Henry county. The firm of Babb & Withrow continued in the practice of law until June, 1896, when Judge Withrow was appointed by Governor Clark as judge of the newly formed twentieth Judicial district and for seventeen years he served as district judge with distinction.  
Indeed with such satisfaction that upon the enlarging of the membership of the State Supreme court Judge Withrow was appointed by Governor Clark as one of the new justices of this great judicial body. Retiring from the Supreme bench he returned to his law practice but was again called into the service of his state by being appointed a member of the Iowa Board of Parole where he served until 1921 when he resigned and returned to his law practice.  
In the meanwhile he had been active and been officially connected with most of the movements and responsibilities of the town and county. For many years he had been a director of the Henry County Savings bank and upon the death of its president, George H. Spahr, in 1922 he became president and so continued up to his death. Likewise he had for many years been a director of the First National bank and for some years chairman of the board. For many years he had been a trustee of the First Methodist church and at his death was president of the official board. Likewise for many years he was connected with the board of trustees of Iowa Wesleyan college and much of the time a member of its executive committee. Other honors came to him. He was mayor of Salem and a member of the city council while living there. Here in Mt. Pleasant he served as city solicitor and for a number of years was a member of the school board. He was a republican of the old order and always of the state conventions and was a delegate to the national convention at Minneapolis.  
This recital of the honors which the people have given him and the responsibilities which have been placed upon Judge Withrow is the most eloquent and fitting testimonial to his life that could be inscribed. No finer or truer tribute of any man could be written than such a recital as this concerning the life and labors of Judge Withrow. Few men are accorded such a tribute to their worthiness.  
Judge Withrow leaves behind his wife and his three daughters, Mrs. Dorothy Cole, and Mrs. Emily Stebbins of Chicago, and Miss Miriam, of Grand Forks, North Dakota; also two sisters and many relatives. And more than that, for all over the state of Iowa are thousands of men and women who have known Judge Withrow through his varied official activities and to them his death is a very great personal loss.

### MISSING AIR MAIL PILOT IS LOCATED

Daudette, Minn.—Maurice Miller, airplane pilot, who disappeared in a snow storm in the northwest angle region on Saturday, is safe and en route here. A radio message from Oak Island, seventy-five miles from here in Lake of the Woods, said he was forced down Saturday.

"Sacred Heart of Jesus" and "What a Friend We Have in Jesus" were sung by Mr. James Fitzpatrick.  
Following the services at the church interment took place at the Catholic cemetery beside her husband. The pall bearers were the six grandsons of the deceased, Randolph Bureker, Lawrence Roach, Frank Ledger, Francis Glanzman, Frank and Harold Richenberger.  
**Sophia Glanzman**  
Sophia Weenike was born in Hannover, Germany, July 6, 1854 and she came to this country at the age of 18 years with her sister and small brother. She was married to Nicholson Glanzman, Sept. 8, 1874 and settled on a farm near Four Corners until 1910 when they moved to Mt. Pleasant to retire. On Oct. 5, 1911 her husband passed away and since that time she has made her home among her children.  
The deceased is survived by the following children: Mary Ledger, Emma Richenberger, Mt. Pleasant; Pauline Bureker, Fairfield; Carrie Roach, Libertyville; and one son, Andrew Glanzman of Mt. Pleasant; also twenty-three grandchildren and two great grandchildren.  
**Benjamin Hollowell, Pioneer Citizen, Dies**  
Benjamin Hollowell, one of the pioneer residents of the city passed away at his home on South Jackson Street, Sunday afternoon at the age of eighty-seven years and four months. Mr. Hollowell has been a patient sufferer for over a year, having been made an invalid by a fall August 5th, 1933 at which time he suffered a broken hip. For a time he was bedfast but later was able to be up and about the streets some by use of crutches. The past four weeks he has been bedfast and his strength failed him swiftly after he was no longer able to be up. He was tenderly cared for by his daughter, Mrs. Cora Upton who resided with him, and other members of his family who were also privileged to be with him often.  
Mr. Hollowell formerly resided on a farm north of Salem but retired from the farm thirty years ago. Ten years later his wife died and two daughters have also preceded him in death.  
Mr. Hollowell was of the Quaker faith and was noted by his friends for his upright and honorable views of life and living.  
He is survived by the following children all residing in this vicinity, Geo. P. Hollowell, Lewis M. Hollowell, Clark J. Hollowell, Charles L. Hollowell, Cora E. Upton and James B. Hollowell; two brothers also survive, John Hollowell of this city and W. C. Hollowell of Salem.  
**OSCAR LILLYBLADE DIES AT FAIRFIELD**  
Mr. and Mrs. Irlf King received word Saturday of the death of Mr. King's grandfather, Mr. Oscar Lillyblade at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Earl Blake of Fairfield. Mr. Lillyblade lived at Four Corners and Lockridge until the past few years. Funeral arrangements have not been made but will probably be sometime Monday.



# JUDGE WITHROW PASSES AWAY

Dies Suddenly At His Home in  
Mt. Pleasant—Distinguished  
Career

*Special To The Hawk-Eye.*

Mt. Pleasant, Ia., Feb. 8.—W. S. Withrow, 75, former judge, passed away at his home here last night about midnight. His death brings to an end a distinguished career. Mr. Withrow had been failing in health for the past two or three years and the decline in his health and strength had been quite noticeable the past year. He gradually grew weaker until death claimed him last night, although he made a courageous fight to regain his strength.

Mr. Withrow was a practicing lawyer in Mt. Pleasant when he was selected for the judgeship of the district court which position he held for several years and until he was selected to fill a vacancy in the supreme court of Iowa. He resigned from the district bench to serve on the supreme bench. Following his retirement from the supreme bench he devoted his time to the practice of law and to business, having been for years president and legal advisor of one of the banks in Mt. Pleasant. In him the public had confidence and he was respected for his good citizenship.

Funeral services will be held Sunday at three o'clock at the First Methodist church and the services will be in charge of Dr. Osborn, pastor. Two sons, Webb and Arthur have preceded him in death and interment will be with them in Forest Home cemetery.

The members of the Henry county bar met today at the office of Galer and Galer. Paul McCoid and Paul Galer were chosen as a committee to send flowers to the Withrow home on East Washington street, on account of the death of Mr. Withrow a distinguished member of the bar. A committee to draft resolutions concerning the loss of Mr. Withrow from the bar and present them for adoption and record in the February term of court, was chosen and the following are the committee for the purpose: R. S. Galer, chairman, F. S. Finley and J. V. Gray.

## FOUNDERS' DAY IS CELEBRATED

# CHAS. M. ROBERTS PASSES AWAY FT. MADISON

*Special To The Hawk-Eye.*

Ft. Madison, Ia., Feb. 8.—Monroe Roberts, 79, died at the Heart hospital here today from an illness of two weeks. He was born in Chautauqua, N. Y., and has been a resident of Ft. Madison for many years, making his home with his daughter, Mrs. Victor Crowder. He formerly lived at Hannibal, Mo., and he was engaged in the real estate business.

He is survived by two sons, Charles Roberts of St. Louis, Mo., and Monroe Roberts of Souquialmie, W. Va.; four daughters, Mrs. Della Roberts of Nevada, Mo., Mrs. Daisy Marion, Ia., Mrs. W. K. Gibbs of Hannibal, Mo., and Mrs. Victor Crowder, Jr.

Funeral services will be held at Clements' chapel, Sunday, Feb. 9, at 2:30 p. m., with Rev. Warren Crowder officiating. The body will be taken to Hannibal, Mo., Monday morning for interment.

# JACOB BERDINE PASSES AWAY

Man Succumbs in Fort  
son Hospital On His Sev  
eighth Birthday

*Special To The Hawk-Eye.*

Ft. Madison, Ia., Feb. 8.—Jacob Burdine, who was 78 years old, died at Sacred Heart hospital here tonight. Mr. Burdine is a former resident of Dallas City, Ill. He has lived here for more than a year.

Mr. Burdine is survived by a brother, Charles S. Burdine, of Fargo, Minn., two nieces, Mrs. Mary Young and Mrs. Jess La Croix of Young, Ill., two nephews, Robert La Croix and C. E. Burdine, Ft. Madison.

The body will lie at Clements' chapel here pending funeral arrangements. Burial will be in the Carle cemetery.

## Clark May Enter Senatorial

*By The Associated Press.*

Des Moines, Ia., Feb. 8.—E

# MRS. O. F. BERRY FUNERAL HELD

Services for Wife of Deputy Senator O. F. Berry Held At Carthage, Ill.

Carthage, Ill., March 20.—Carthage was pronounced a town of sorrow today when the funeral of Mrs. O. F. Berry, widow of the late Senator O. F. Berry, died at his home on Monday afternoon of heart attack. She was 72 years of age, a native of Iowa, and was the widow of a prominent politician, and a devoted mother, and a devoted wife. Her husband, who was a member of the Iowa Territorial Legislature, and who served as deputy senator for three years, died at his home on Monday afternoon of heart attack. She was 72 years of age, a native of Iowa, and was the widow of a prominent politician, and a devoted mother, and a devoted wife. Her husband, who was a member of the Iowa Territorial Legislature, and who served as deputy senator for three years, died at his home on Monday afternoon of heart attack.

# Lord Balfour Dies

Lord Balfour above, veteran British statesman, affectionately known as "A. J." and "Mr. Balfour," to all of Britain, is dead in London at the age of 82. Balfour, who came to the United States as the head of the British war mission in 1917, served his country for more than half a century.

# HOLMEMEMORIAL NIGHT AT COURT

Former Associates Honor Judge Withrow At Special Services

St. Paul, Minn., March 20.—Memorial exercises for the late Judge W. S. Withrow, who died at his home here February 7, 1930, were held in open court here today at 2 o'clock, P. M.

# TWO BOYS GET LIFE FOR

Richard McCormick, 17, left, and Gerald Haberman, sentenced to life terms in the Iowa state prison, Post Modis Henry Island, town marshal of Dyersville, Iowa, to death when he attempted to stop the youths after they got station at Luxemburg, Ia. McCormick's feminine up led to that arrest.

W.S. WITHROW  
(1855 - 1930)

Willard C. Hamilton, district grand juror of the Missouri judge aged 71 years and a lifelong resident of Carthage, also passed away on Monday afternoon of tuberculosis, and was for the past three years a bookkeeper of the Carthage National Bank. His wife, Elizabeth Hamilton, places that time, he and his sister, Miss Ida, have made their home together.

His funeral was held Thursday afternoon, the Masonic order and Eastern Star lodge, attending in a body, with the Knights Templar in charge of the services. Burial was in Moss Hill.

The will of Roy Weaver, well-known poultry merchant of Carthage, who died recently, was filed for probate on March 13. The estate is valued at \$400,000.00 and is to be divided by Weaver, his wife and brother Oscar Weaver.

Dr. H. J. Elson and Mrs. Elson, in company with Dr. and Mrs. J. J. Haggerty, were in Chicago where Dr. Elson has been ill for some time, will return a specialist.

The charity ball given at St. Patrick's on the 18th of March, was well attended. Dancing and bridge was enjoyed by the guests and in spite of the bad weather, it was a marked success.

The Carthage high school and Lincoln Field Parent-Teacher association give a reception and dinner Monday night at the Carthage Hotel. The Carthage Teachers' Association, Tuesday evening at the Carthage Hotel, will give a reception and dinner to the Carthage High School and Lincoln Field Parent-Teacher association.

Miss Ruth Mortensen at the freshmen table.

Members of the basketball team of Carthage college were entertained at a dinner Monday evening served at the Carthage Hotel.

Man Alleged to Have Passed Bad Checks Held Here

Night Captain Robert Goodman and Officer Andrew Smith who gave his name as Lawrence Craig who is believed to have cashed several worthless checks in Burlington recently.

When arrested, Craig was in the act of cashing a bad check at the Dunn hotel, police said. He is also alleged to be the man who passed the worthless checks at Curran's cigar store and the Palace pool hall.

Texas Business Man Arrested, Charged With Murder Intent

Fallick, Tex., March 20.—Alleged to have been tied to a bed which was set afire, Miss Wanda Jones was rescued from her smoke-filled hotel room here early today and a few hours later O. S. Moore, prominent business man of Oakwood was arrested charged with the murder of the woman.

Hotel guests who rushed to the girls' room, attracted by the smoke, found the bed in flames but Miss Jones had slipped off in time to escape being burned. Her feet had been tied to the bed with a lace curtain, striped room.

Miss Jones, 23, a brunette, five feet tall and weighing 100 pounds, was taken yesterday to answer charges of the cashing of a \$200 check bearing the purported signature of Moore, ginser, druggist and land owner, married and the father of one child.

She collapsed in the Preston county courthouse and was taken by the physician. The attack occurred around midnight and a few hours later Moore was arrested at his home at Oakwood.

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# Could Write a Book About It

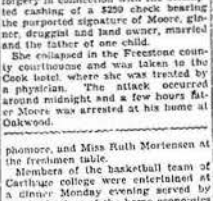
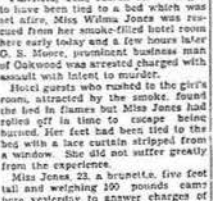
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St. Patrick Party Is Enjoyed At Kirkwood, Ill.

Kirkwood, Ill., March 20.—Mrs. Louise McCrea and Mrs. Ollie Kelly were hostesses Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Shirley Ann, who entertained twelve ladies at a vanishing tea. The affair was in the form of St. Patrick's party, the table being a mirror Killarney lake and color scheme throughout decorations in keeping with the theme. Appropriate games were played and refreshments served.

The Ladies' Aid of the M. E. church will meet Thursday with Mrs. Ellen Frances.

The Friendly class of the Presbyterian Sunday school enjoyed a friendly chicken luncheon at the home of Margaret Ackerman. The afternoon was spent in working on quilts.

A baby daughter, Shirley Ann, was born Tuesday afternoon to Mr. and Mrs. Howard W. Bryan.

The Sabbath school class taught by Miss Missa McClymonds enjoyed a potluck supper Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph J. McKee.

Chapter T. P. E. O. held regular session Monday afternoon with Mrs. Margaret Pease. The program consisted of a biography of Edison, given by Mrs. Nancy Renstrom.

Miss Helen Webb will hold its March meeting Friday afternoon at 2 P. M. at the high school gymnasium. The public health and child welfare committees will have charge of the program. Dr. J. F. Kyler and Dr. J. F. Hall have been selected to speak at the meeting.

Hostesses are Madamae Maude Everett, Rose Hogue, Amy Muller, Evelyn Talbot, Mrs. Pevitt, Anna Graham and Eva Stull.

The Standard Bearers will call Saturday for papers or magazines. Call Miss Helen Webb.

Mr. and Mrs. John Reizer will celebrate their fiftieth wedding anniversary at the Louisa county dinner hall here served at noon. Open house will be kept from 2:00 to 5:00 o'clock in the afternoon.

Francis Reizer and wife of Casper, Wyo., are expected to be present to assist in the celebration.

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How Women Lose Fat In England GAIN PHYSICAL CHARM

How would you like to lose 15 pounds of fat in a month and at the same time increase your energy and improve your health?

How would you like to lose unhealthily fat that you don't need and cope with him all the same time? Foot better than you have for years?

How would you like to lose your double chin and your poor prominent abdomen and at the same time make your skin so clean and clear that it will compel admiration?

How would you like to get your weight down to normal and at the same time develop that urge for activity that makes work a pleasure and also gain in ambition and keenness of mind?

Get on the scales today and see how much fat you've gained. Get a 4-ounce bottle of Kraschenko's which will last you for a week when you have finished every morning in a glass of water. You will lose the fat and the first bottle which you start using will pay for itself. You will lose the fat and the first bottle which you start using will pay for itself.

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Mr. Alex Coleman donor of the money for the paving of the Coleman Memorial highway has been visiting friends here and relatives near Hillsboro for the past few days.

Mrs. and Mrs. L. E. Hart were hosts to a group of friends at a St. Patrick's day party at their home on Monday evening.

Arson and Paul Hixon unloaded a new tractor here Tuesday.

William Ostermer and John Carter each shipped a car of fat cattle Tuesday.

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Minnie is the wife of Macey Hockett, of Center township, and has six daughters, Bessie, Celestia, Ora, Mary Jane, Reba, and Alice. Isaac married Miss Ella Trueblood, lives in Center township, and has two children, Carl and Guy.

Mr. Hummell provided his children with good educational privileges and they were thus qualified for life's practical duties. The son James was a soldier of the Fiftieth Iowa Regiment in the Spanish-American war, being for seven months with the army. Mr. Hummell has always been an earnest republican, and has served as township assessor and road supervisor and for several years has been a school director. He belongs to the Grand Army of the Republic, and he and his wife are members of the Church of God. He has always lived in Henry county and is probably the oldest native resident who has continuously resided here. His memory goes back to the time when the Indians were yet found in this district, and where there were many wild animals. He has seen Mount Pleasant developed from a village of a few houses into a prosperous city and the county converted into a rich agricultural district, and all through the passing years he has maintained an excellent reputation that numbers him with the representative and honored pioneers.

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#### JUDGE WINFIELD S. WITHROW.

Winfield S. Withrow, since 1896 judge of the twentieth judiciary district including the counties of Des Moines, Henry

and Louisa, was born in Salem, Iowa, September 28, 1855. His parents were Adoniram Judson and Libertatia A. (Arnold) Withrow. The father, a native of Greenbrier county, West Virginia, born in 1825, accompanied his parents on their removal to Indiana, where he remained until 1853, when he came to Henry county, Iowa. He established a business enterprise at Salem and was actively connected with interests there until after the inauguration of hostilities between the north and the south, when he became first lieutenant of Company C, Twenty-fifth Iowa Volunteer Infantry. The regiment was formed of companies raised in Henry, Des Moines, Louisa and Washington counties, and Mr. Withrow went to the front to do battle in defense of the Union but resigned in 1864 with an incurable disease which caused his death in 1867. His study of the political issues and conditions of the country led him to espouse the cause of the new republican party prior to the Civil war, and in 1860 he was elected upon this ticket to the state legislature. He had been prominent and influential in public affairs in Salem during the period of his residence there and his efforts were so effective and beneficial that his death was the occasion of deep and widespread regret. He had married Miss Libertatia Arnold, a daughter of James H. Arnold, of Salem, who had come to this state from Ohio. She died in 1896, leaving a son and two daughters. A worthy Christian woman, she held membership in the Congregational church, while A. J. Withrow had been reared in the Baptist faith.

Following the acquirement of his pre-

liminary education in the public schools of Salem, Judge Withrow continued his studies in Whittier College, of that place, then a leading educational institution of Iowa, from which he won the Bachelor of Science degree. Subsequently he learned the printer's trade, which he followed at intervals, alternating his time with teaching for a number of years. Attracted to the legal profession, however, he entered the law department of the State University and was graduated with the degree of Bachelor of Laws in the class of 1880. Judge Withrow located for practice at Salem, and soon afterward purchased the Salem Weekly News, which he conducted in connection with the law business that he could obtain in a small town. His journalistic venture proved successful and was conducted for two years, when he sold the paper and became connected with the Bank of Salem, with which he was identified for a number of years. Throughout this period he continued in the practice of law and established a reputation for comprehensive understanding of the principles of jurisprudence as well as for ability in the presentation of his cause before court or jury. In 1885 he was elected a member of the state legislature from Henry county, which he represented in the twenty-first general assembly and then declined a second nomination. Seeking a broader field of professional labor he removed to Mount Pleasant and formed a partnership with Judge W. J. Jefferson, who had a short time before retired from the circuit bench. This relation was maintained until the death of Judge Jeffries in 1899, after which Judge Withrow was alone for a time, a distinctively and liberal

representative clientage being accorded him. He next admitted W. F. Kopp to the firm under the style of Withrow & Kopp, and upon the retirement of Judge W. I. Babb from the district bench, he, too, entered the firm on the 1st of January, 1895, making this one of the strongest firms of the county. Judge Withrow continued in active practice until on the 15th of June, 1896, when he was appointed district judge, while in the meantime Mr. Kopp had retired in order to enter upon the duties of county attorney. In the fall of 1896 Mr. Withrow was elected to the office for the full term of four years and was re-elected without opposition in 1900, and again in 1904, so that he has now served for nine years, while his present incumbency will continue until 1909.

Aside from his profession he has become interested in banking in Henry county, and is a director of the First National Bank and also one of the organizers and the promotor of the Henry County Savings Bank.

Judge Withrow was married June 17, 1885, to Miss Anna Webb, of Mankato, Minnesota, a daughter of the Rev. W. W. Webb, a former member of the Indiana Methodist Episcopal conference. They have three living children, Dorothy, Miriam and Emily. Judge and Mrs. Withrow are members of the Methodist Episcopal church, of which he is one of the trustees, while in the work of the church he takes a most active and helpful interest. The family have a beautiful home at the corner of Washington and Locust streets and the Withrow household is the center of a cultured society circle. For the past twelve years Judge Withrow has been a

trustee of the Iowa Wesleyan University and for six years was a member of the board of education of Mount Pleasant, acting as its president for a part of that time. He regards municipal interests as abundantly worthy of his best efforts and with a just recognition of the obligations and duties as well as privileges of citizenship he has put forth effort and influence for the upbuilding of his city and county. In his profession he has attained honors that are given only in recognition of ability. It has been said that the reputation of the lawyer is the most ephemeral being based largely upon oratorical ability and the impressions of the hour, and yet there is no profession which has more direct bearing upon the welfare of community, state and nation or conserves in larger measure public progress and stability. Thrice chosen by popular suffrage to the district bench, no stronger testimonial could be given of Judge Withrow's position as a lawyer and jurist, indicating as it does that the consensus of public opinion is most favorable.

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#### JOSEPH CALDWELL.

Joseph Caldwell is a retired farmer residing in Mount Pleasant, who after long years of active connection with agricultural interests, during which he won a gratifying measure of success, is now enjoying a well earned rest in a pleasant home in the city. He was born in Washington county, Pennsylvania, September

23, 1840, and is a son of John and Margaret (McCorkell) Caldwell, who were also natives of Washington county. They came to Iowa in 1849, settling in Lee county, where the father followed his trade of blacksmithing up to the time of his death, which occurred in 1875. His wife survived him until 1883 and their remains were interred in Clay Grove cemetery, in Lee county. In their family were ten children: William, who died of cholera when about twenty-one years of age and was laid to rest in Clay Grove cemetery; Robert, who married Miss Hattie Gusto and died leaving two children; Jane, the wife of Andrew McCracken, of Russell county, Kansas, by whom she has four children; John, who married Miss Almira Courtwright and is living in Mount Hamilton, Lee county, with his wife and seven children; James M., a resident of Eagleville, Nevada; Andrew Borland, who resides in Fort Madison, Iowa, with his younger sister; Joseph, of this review; Mary E., the wife of George W. Krieger, of Lee county; Boyd E., who is living near Center City, Merritt county, Nebraska, and married Lizzie Knauff, by whom he has five children, one son and four daughters, and Anna M., the wife of Robert J. Barr, who is living in Fort Madison.

Joseph Caldwell, whose name introduces this review, was educated in the common schools of Lee county and remained with his father until twenty-seven years of age, living upon the old homestead and assisting in the work of the farm. He then purchased a tract of one hundred and sixty acres of land in Lee county, where he lived for thirty-one years, giving his time and energies to general agricultural pur-



joined the Congregational Church. He was a faithful member of both organizations.

He was a member of the Board of Supervisors for six years. At the expiration of his term he was elected a member of the Thirty-second General Assembly on the republican ticket, where he served with honor and distinction to the people of his county and the state of Iowa.

He died March 10, 1930, after an illness of six years. His age was seventy-two years, ten months, and eight days.

*Therefore, Be It Resolved by the House of Representatives of the Forty-fourth General Assembly of the State of Iowa, That the foregoing memorial be adopted as its appreciation of the life and character and public service of the Honorable David D. Webster.*

*Be It Further Resolved, That these resolutions be spread on the records of this House, and an enrolled copy thereof be sent to the family of the deceased.*

THEODORE DRAKE,  
RALPH R. HUNT,  
SAMUEL D. WHITING,  
*Committee.*

Unanimously adopted April 13, 1931.

HON. WINFIELD SCOTT WITHROW

MR. SPEAKER: Your committee, appointed to prepare resolutions commemorating the life and public service of the Honorable Winfield Scott Withrow, State Representative, reports as follows:

Mr. Withrow was born at Salem, Henry County, Iowa, September 28, 1855, and died at Mount Pleasant, February 7, 1930. Burial was in Forest Home Cemetery, Mount Pleasant.

He attended public school in Salem and was graduated from Whittier College, Salem, Iowa. In 1880 he was graduated from the Law Department of the State University of Iowa, admitted to the bar and began practice at Salem. He soon thereafter purchased the Salem News and edited it in connection with his law practice. Two years later he disposed of the News and became assistant cashier of the Salem Savings Bank. In 1883 he went to Mankato, Minnesota, as editorial assistant on the Free Press. However, in 1884 he returned to Salem and resumed his duties in the bank and looked after his law practice. In 1884 he was elected representative and served in the Twenty-first General Assembly. He served on the town council and was also mayor. In 1887 he removed to Mount Pleasant and devoted himself to the practice of law, first in partnership with William J. Jeffries, later with W. F. Kopp, and finally with W. I. Babb. June 15, 1896, Governor Drake appointed him a judge of the newly created Twentieth Judicial District. By reason of elections he continued in that position until April 19, 1913, when he resigned to accept the appointment by Governor Clarke as justice of the supreme court, in which position he served until January, 1915, when he returned to law practice at Mount Pleasant. July 8, 1916, Governor Clarke appointed him a member of the State Board of Parole. He resigned from

that position March 31, 1921, when he resumed his practice. In the meantime he had been active in and officially connected with many of the public affairs of his city and county. He had been for years a director in the Henry County Savings Bank and in 1922 became its president and so continued until his death. He was a director of the First National Bank of Mount Pleasant and chairman of its board. He was chairman of the official board of the Methodist Church and was for many years a trustee of Iowa Wesleyan College.

Mr. Withrow was a man of honor and led a very useful and illustrious life. He was kind, considerate and generous and served well in every capacity in which he was engaged; therefore, be it

*Resolved*, That in the death of Hon. Winfield Scott Withrow, the state has lost a worthy and influential citizen; and be it further

*Resolved*, That this resolution of respect and appreciation be printed in the Journal of the House.

Z. S. RATLIFF,  
HOWARD A. MATHEWS,  
RALPH R. HUNT,

*Committee.*

Unanimously adopted April 13, 1931.

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### **Winfield S. Withrow (1913 - 1914)**

Served on the Iowa Supreme Court from April 19, 1913, when he was appointed in compliance with a legislative Act increasing the personnel from six to seven members, until December 31, 1914.

Born at Salem, Iowa, September 28, 1855. He was graduated from the University of Iowa in 1880. He returned to Salem after graduation and engaged in newspaper editing in addition to his law practice. Two years later he also became interested in banking at Salem. In 1886 he was a member of the House of Representatives of the Twenty-first General Assembly. Following the close of this session he removed his legal practice to Mount Pleasant, where in 1896 he became a Judge of the District Court, continuing in that capacity until coming on the Supreme Court. In 1916 he was appointed to membership on the Board of Parole where he continued to serve until 1921, when he resigned to devote himself to the business of banking.

Justice Withrow died at Mount Pleasant February 7, 1930.

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Outline of Personal History of

Winfield S. Withrow,  
RESIDENCE Mt. Pleasant, Iowa.

Kindly furnish on this sheet the necessary data for a personal sketch and return at your early convenience. Every question is important.

The Historical Department of Iowa

DES MOINES, IOWA.

EDGAR R. HARLAN, CURATOR

(This form is for use in collecting data on deceased as well as living persons. Appropriate alterations may be made in matter below.)

1. Name in full (all names) Winfield Scott Withrow

2. Chief occupation or profession Judge District Court, with Iowa District

3. Former occupation or profession Attorney

4. Date and place of beginning each Admitted to the bar in 1880. Became judge in 1896

5. Present residence address Mt. Pleasant, Iowa

6. Present business address Same

7. Date of birth Sept. 25, 1855.

8. Place of birth Saline, Henry County, Iowa

9. If born abroad, where

10. Emigrated to America, when

11. First migrated to what state and county, whether born abroad or in America

12. Emigrated the second time to what state or county

13. Further emigration, if any

14. Education. Give name and location of rural, high, business or technical school, college or university

Walter College, Saline, Iowa. Iowa State University Law Dept.

15. Date of graduation and degree if any B.S. - Walter College, L.L.B. - State University, Ia.

16. Place of death
17. Date of death
18. Place of burial
19. Name of father in full (all names) *Adoniram Judson Weston*
20. Occupation of father *Merchant*
21. Full Maiden name of mother (all names) *Levittia Amudell*
22. Residence when married *Salem Iowa*
23. Military service, if any (exact dates) *Adjutant - 1st Dist Co. C, 25 Iowa Infantry from Sept. 1862 to Feb. 1864 - resigning because of illness - from which he later died*
24. Political offices, (from the smallest to the largest, with dates) *U.S. - Mayor of Salem, 1880-1-2  
City Solicitor Mt. Pleasant from 1888 to 1891. Member of General Assembly. Delegate to Republican National Convention in 1892.*
25. Director or trustee of financial, religious and educational institutions *Director and Vice Pres. of 1st National Bank and Holy Comm. Savings Bank of Mt. Pleasant. Trustee of the Iowa Wesleyan University since 1892.*
26. Politics *Republican*
27. Religious denomination if any *Methodist*
28. Religious preference if non-affiliated with a denomination
29. Member of what societies or associations of learning
30. Member of what secret organizations, with honors or offices held, with dates *None*
31. Member of what clubs if any *None*
32. Belonged to what firms (give names in full and dates if possible) *Jeffries & Westland 1888-1889  
Wells & Howard 1890  
Weston & Kopp 1893-4  
Robt. Westland 1895-6*
33. Officer or director in any corporation *Duty as stated on 25.*
34. Enclose business card if possible
35. Enclose photograph and autograph

W. S. Withrow.

36. Author of books or pamph.

JUDGE OF THE DISTRICT COURT

Mt. Pleasant, Iowa.

37. Miscellaneous

FAMILY HISTORY

1. To whom married

Anna A. Webb

2. Date of marriage

June 17, 1885

3. Place of marriage

Waukato Minn.

4. Date of his or her birth

May 28, 1863

5. Place of his or her birth

Indiana

6. Religious denomination

Methodist

7. Date of his or her death

Living

8. Place of his or her death

Ill.

9. Place of his or her burial

Waukato

10. Father's full name

W. S. Webb

11. Born where and when

Minister Mt. Church

12. Occupation of his or her father

13. His or her mother's full name

14. Born when and where

15. Parents' residence at time of their marriage

Waukato Minn.

16. Miscellaneous remarks on their family



1. To whom married second time.....
2. Date of marriage.....
3. Place of marriage.....
4. Date of his or her birth.....
5. Place of his or her birth.....
6. Religious denomination.....
7. Date of his or her death.....
8. Place of his or her death.....
9. Place of his or her burial.....
10. Father's full name.....
11. Born where and when.....
12. Occupation of his or her father.....
13. His or her mother's full name.....
14. Born when and where.....
15. Parent's residence at time of their marriage.....
16. Miscellaneous remarks on their family.....

CHILDREN OF *W. W. Williams* AND *Anna Webb Williams*

NAME	PLACE OF BIRTH	DATE	PLACE OF DEATH	DATE	MARRIED TO WHOM	WHERE	DATE
<i>Mbb. Arnold</i>	<i>Mankato Minn</i>	<i>Mar. 7/1882</i>	<i>Mt. Pleasant</i>	<i>Apr. 24/1891</i>			
<i>Arthur Judson</i>	<i>Mt. Pleasant Ia</i>	<i>July 8, 1890</i>	<i>" "</i>	<i>Nov. 24, 1899</i>			
<i>Devorcy</i>	<i>" "</i>	<i>Sept 8, 1893</i>	<i>" "</i>				
<i>Meriam</i>	<i>" "</i>	<i>Jan 9, 1907</i>	<i>" "</i>				
<i>Emily</i>	<i>" "</i>	<i>June 6, 1903</i>	<i>" "</i>				

CHILDREN OF ..... AND .....

NAME	PLACE OF BIRTH	DATE	PLACE OF DEATH	DATE	MARRIED TO WHOM	WHERE	DATE

SIGNATURE *W. W. Williams*  
 DATE *Sept. 3, 1910.*



You searched for **Winfield S. Withrow** in **Iowa**

### 1920 United States Federal Census

Name:	<b>Winfield S Withrow</b>	
Home in 1920:	<b>Mount Pleasant, Henry, Iowa</b>	
Age:	<b>65 years</b>	
Estimated Birth Year:	<b>abt 1855</b>	
Birthplace:	<b>Iowa</b>	
Relation to Head of House:	<b>Head</b>	
Spouse's Name:	<b>Anna</b>	
Father's Birth Place:	<b>Virginia</b>	
Mother's Birth Place:	<b>Virginia</b>	
Marital Status:	<b>Married</b>	
Race:	<b>White</b>	
Sex:	<b>Male</b>	
Home owned:	<b>Own</b>	
Able to read:	<b>Yes</b>	
Able to Write:	<b>Yes</b>	
Image:	<b>730</b>	
Neighbors:	<a href="#">View others on page</a>	
Household Members:	<b>Name</b>	<b>Age</b>
	Winfield S Withrow	<b>65</b>
	Anna Withrow	<b>57</b>
	Miriam Withrow	<b>22</b>
	Emily Withrow	<b>16</b>

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