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Standard Form For Members of the Legislature

Name of Representative Powell, William Jr. Senator _____

Represented Howard County, Iowa

1. Birthday and place 1849 Kent County, Delaware

2. Marriage (s) date place

3. Significant events for example:

A. Business Admitted to the bar before Judge Leonard in 1875

B. Civic responsibilities

C. Profession Lawyer

4. Church membership

5. Sessions served 19th General Assembly 1882

6. Public Offices

A. Local Mayor of Adams 1876-1877

B. State

C. National

7. Death 24 June 1906 Corvallis, Kansas

8. Children

9. Names of parents William Lewis and Harriet E. (Roberts) Powell

Powell, William F.

10. Education

11. Degrees

He was educated at Wyoming College, possibly in Wyoming, Iowa, and graduated from Simpson College, Indianola, Iowa in 1873

12. Other applicable information

Republican

- He taught one year of high school after college. He read law
- He then engaged in the abstract business and sold the business to Hall and Carruthers in 1876
- In 1879 he is practicing law with A. C. Bishop
- He spent more than 30 years of his life in Indianola, Iowa

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officers of the Cedar Rapids Savings Bank, an institution to which he devoted much of his time and attention. By the death of Mr. Daniel the last member of a family which began business in Marion and Cedar Rapids in the early forties has been removed.

B. L. W.

GEORGE WELLS was born in Newington, Conn., May 14, 1821; died at his home near Wellsburg, Grundy county, Iowa, Aug. 2, 1906. He came to Iowa in 1855 and invested heavily in lands, realizing he values would increase. At one time he owned about 9,000 acres Grundy county, and he left an immense fortune at the time of death. He took an active interest in the first railroad built in that county and the village of Wellsburg was named for him. He represented Grundy county in the 17th General Assembly.

E. G. PERROTT was born in Northport, N. Y., Sep. 4, 1832; he died in Emergency Hospital, Los Angeles, Cal., April 17, 1906. He received his schooling in New York City. At the age of 11 he went to sea and remained for three years. From 15 until the age of 40 he was engaged in ship-building, helping to build the boat "America" that won the first cup in the International Yacht Race. After locating in Iowa he engaged for a time in farming. He was a member of the 26th General Assembly and was re-elected to the 27th.

WILLIAM D. MILLS was born in Medina county, Ohio, in 1838; he died in Chicago in July, 1906. Throughout the civil war he served in Company I, 12th Illinois Infantry; in 1862 he was promoted to the captaincy. From 1865 to 1897 he resided in Marshall county, Iowa. He served one term as sheriff. He represented Marshall county in the 16th General Assembly, and was a member of the senate in the 22d and 23d General Assemblies.

WILLIAM F. POWELL was born in Kent county, Delaware, in 1849; his lifeless body was found near Panora, Kansas, June 24, 1906. More than thirty years of his life were spent in Indianola, Iowa, where he settled in 1871. In 1873 he graduated from Simpson College; he was admitted to the bar in 1875, and elected mayor in 1876. He represented Warren county in the 19th General Assembly.

JOHN CLARK was born in Oxford, Mass., Dec. 9, 1817; he died in Albia, Iowa, Aug. 2, 1906. In 1841 he removed to Iowa, and in 1843 settled in Kishkekosh, now Monroe county, where he afterward resided. He was elected the first sheriff of the county in 1845, and for many years filled the office of county supervisor. He represented Monroe county in the 10th General Assembly.



1880 United States Federal Census

Name:	William F. Powell	
Home in 1880:	Indianola, Warren, Iowa	
Age:	31	
Estimated Birth Year:	abt 1849	
Birthplace:	Delaware	
Relation to head-of-household:	Other	
Father's birthplace:	DE	
Mother's birthplace:	DE	
Neighbors:		
Occupation:	Boarder-Att. At Law	
Marital Status:	Single	
Race:	White	
Gender:	Male	
Cannot read/write:		
Blind:		
Deaf and dumb:		
Otherwise disabled:		
Idiotic or insane:		
Household Members:	Name	Age
	<u>John W. Webb</u>	53
	<u>Elizabeth Webb</u>	49
	<u>Mollie R. Webb</u>	18
	<u>William F. Powell</u>	31
	<u>John W. Hayes</u>	32

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