

Standard Form For Members of the Legislature

Name of Representative Gay, Jeremiah L. Senator _____

Represented Black Hawk County, Iowa

1. Birthday and place 6 Dec 1821 Rayville, Stockbridge, Windsor,
Vermont

2. Marriage (s) date place

Caroline Putnam June 1850 Windsor County, Vermont

3. Significant events for example:

A. Business Member of the Board of Trustees of the College of the Blind,
Windsor, Iowa

B. Civic responsibilities Mason

C. Profession Farmer

4. Church membership _____

5. Sessions served 17th, 18th Genl. Assemblies 1878, 1880

6. Public Offices

A. Local _____

B. State _____

C. National _____

7. Death 2 Dec 1890 Hatfield, Iowa; Buried Washburn Cemetery, Washburn, Iowa

8. Children _____

9. Names of parents Lemmy and Lucinda (Raney) Gay

10. Education _____

11. Degrees _____

12. Other applicable information _____

Republican

- *In 1850 he moved to Kankakee, Illinois*
- *In 1856 he moved to Black Hawk County, Iowa and settled in Cedar Township where he and his family lived many years.*

Railroad Items.

Conductors Wood and O'Connor, of the two gravel trains which collided near Dubuque with such disastrous results one day last week, have been discharged. The enginemen were laid off indefinitely.

Notice was sent out Saturday announcing the completion of track laying on the K. C. extension from St. Joe to Kansas City. The road will have to be surfaced yet before it will be opened for traffic.

The brick of the new B., C. R. & N. depot are discoloring badly with a whitish substance, which detracts materially from the appearance of that handsome building. Experts say it is caused by the evaporation of the alkali which is indispensable in the manufacture of pressed brick of all kinds, and that it will pass away in a short time.

The B., C. R. & N. Co. is putting in a new water tank on a strip of ground recently purchased by them near dry run. The new tank will have a capacity of 100,000 gallons, and will supply north-bound trains only. A connection will be made with the "goose neck" recently put in by the water company, from which the supply will be drawn.

The old station agents of the C., St. P. and K. C., who worked under G. C. McMichael during that gentleman's connection with the road, planned a pilgrimage to St. Paul last Sunday, and surprised that gentleman by inviting him to a banquet and presenting him with an elegant diamond scarf pin. A. E. Ham, of this city, was among the revelers, and reports a most elegant time.

The new steam hammer is being put in at the Illinois Central blacksmith shop. The new hammer is a ponderous piece of machinery, which will be supported by stone piers, which are 10 feet 6 inches by 10 feet in size, and go into the earth eight feet. The die rests on a support built of timbers 12 by 14 inches in size. The old hammer will be sent to Fort Dodge or Cherokee, probably the former.

The members of Cedar Valley Lodge, No. 30, B. of L. F., are anxiously awaiting the arrival of a model the lodge has recently purchased. The model is an engine of the Schenectady passenger pattern, and was purchased for the purpose of instructing the boys in the intricacies of cylinders, valve and link motion, eccentrics, and other parts of an engine's complex works. The model is of polished brass, and will be an ornamental as well as useful piece of lodge room paraphernalia.

Two Old Settlers Pass Away.

H. B. Denniston, of Barclay township, died in this city Monday night. He has been under medical treatment for several months, coming to this city in order to be near his physician. Mr. Denniston was born in New York in April, 1833, and came to Blackhawk county in 1857, settling in Barclay township, which was at that time very sparsely settled. He was prominently identified with township affairs, holding a number of official positions, and was highly esteemed by his neighbors and acquaintances for general uprightness and worth. The funeral was held in Barclay yesterday.

HON. JEREMIAH L. GAY, after an illness of several months, died at his home south of town on Tuesday afternoon. He was born in Windsor county, Vt., Dec. 6, 1821. In 1850 he made his home at Kankakee, Ill., and in June of that year was married to Caroline Putnam at his old home in Vermont. In 1856 they moved to Blackhawk county, and later to Cedar township, where they resided many years.

Mr. Gay was a prominent citizen both in his township and in the county. After serving in a number of township positions, in 1877 he was elected a member of the general assembly, and was re-elected in 1879. He was also a member of the board of trustees of the college of the blind at Vinton for a number of years. To every position he gave conscientious attention, and was always liberal-minded and public-spirited.

The funeral will be held to-day at Washburn, near his old home. Waterloo Lodge, No. 105, A. F. and A. M., of which he was one of the oldest members, will take part in the services.

DIED.—Geo. Close, an old resident of this county, died last Saturday in Nebraska, where he was visiting a daughter. Mr. Close had been a sufferer for years from diabetes, but the immediate cause of his death is said to be blood poisoning, superinduced by a number of carbuncles. Deceased had lived in Blackhawk county over twenty years, and was one of the prosperous farmers of Cedar township. A widow and five children—three living in this county—survive. The funeral was held at Washburn Tuesday afternoon, Rev. C. H. Purmort officiating.

Helmet Lodge, No. 89, K. of P., elected the following officers Monday evening: C. C., W. M. McFarlane; P. C., H. C. Schultz; V. C., C. E. Pickett; prelate, E. L. Hostetler; M. at A., T. M. Gilmore; K. of R. and S., J. E. Bragdon. Installation ceremonies will be held the first Monday evening in January.

THIS IS THE TIME OF YEAR

When people begin to think about what they should present their

FRIENDS, BROTHERS, SISTERS or PARENTS with.

They are beginning to go around and look and pick up odd things that strike their fancy. To these and all other people in quest of XMAS PRESENTS we would say, Call at our place and examine the elegant line of

DRESSING CASES, JEWEL CASES,

BRUSH and COMB SETS,

MANICURE SETS, SHAVING SETS,

COLLAR and CUFF BOXES

In Plush or Oxidized Silver Cases.

We carry these goods in all grades from the cheapest and medium to the highest grades. To the people that prefer to make their presents we can show a line of LINENS in SPLASHERS, TIDIES, TRAY CLOTHS, DRESSER COVERS, TOWELS, DOYLIES already stamped that has never been surpassed. For material we carry BOLTING SILKS, SCRIMM, CHENILLES, ARRASENES, COLORED and WHITE LINEN and COTTON FLOSS, EMBROIDERY SILKS, KNITTING SILKS; also PIN CUSHIONS already stuffed to cover, besides all kinds of CHENILLE CORDS and BALLS.

To Make a Run

We offer to the early trade this week 10 dozen or 120 ALBUMS—plush of the best, at the nominal price of 50 cts. Nobody would think by looking at them that they cost less than \$1.00.

We are also offering the balance of our BLANKETS and COMFORTERS at actual cost, as we are in need of room to display our

CHRISTMAS GOODS.

Be candid and admit that we try our best to please you, and if you don't buy of us it is not through our fault. With the stock of goods we carry we are able to please both rich and poor.

Remember the ALBUMS, 50 cents this week only, at

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Hardy and Bruin ancestors

Entries: 37454 **Updated:** 2004-11-04 03:25:43 UTC (Thu)

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Everything I know about the individuals listed on this site is already included on the site. However, I frequent site, so please feel free to check back. Also, I welcome additions and corrections.

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- **ID:** I14880
- **Name:** Jeremiah L. GAY ¹
- **Sex:** M
- **Birth:** 6 DEC 1821 in Gaysville, Stockbridge, Windsor, Vermont, USA ^{1 2 3}
- **Death:** 2 DEC 1890 in Iowa, USA ³
- **Occupation:** 1880 Farmer ⁴
- **Burial:** DEC 1890 Washburn Cemetery, Cedar, Black Hawk, Iowa, USA ³
- **Event:** Resided 1880 Cedar Falls, Black Hawk, Iowa, USA
- **Event:** 1880 Census Cedar Falls, Black Hawk, Iowa, USA

Father: [Luminary GAY](#) b: 17 APR 1796 in Vermont, USA

Mother: [Lucinda RANNEY](#) b: 8 MAY 1799 in Stockbridge, Windsor, Vermont, USA

Marriage 1 [Caroline PUTNAM](#) b: ABT. 1822 in Vermont, USA

Sources:

1. Title: Joanne Hunt
Author: Joanne Hunt (ajh2@adelphia.net)
Publication: E-mail dated 16 OCT 2001
Note: For further information, please refer to Joanne's information posted at:
<http://homepages.rootsweb.com/~gxchange/johngay.html>

The following is from the introduction on the site mentioned in the previous paragraph:

The following descendant chart on John Gay was sent in by Joanne Hunt. Anyone who might be connect family or who have additions or corrections may contact her at Email. Joane will make available her file researched for the most part by the late Linda Gay Taylor, now more than 500 pages. It is available as : anyone who is a descendant of John Gay of Dedham, MA. Please feel free to email her at (ajh2@adelphi Repository:

Call Number:

Media: Electronic

Text: Date of Import: Oct 16, 2001

2. Title: 1870 Census - Cedar, Black Hawk, IA

Repository:

Note: ancestry.com

Call Number:

Media: Electronic

Text: Age listed as 48



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Jeremiah L Gay

Born: 6 Dec 1821
Gaysville, Windsor, VT, USA

Died: 2 Dec 1890
[city], [county], IA, USA

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Caroline Putnam

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Born: 1822 in [city], [county], VT, USA

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