

Standard Form For Members of the Legislature

Name of Representative Spear, Robert Patterson Senator _____
Represented Black Hawk County, Iowa

1. Birthday and place 25 Feb 1828 Westminster County, Pennsylvania

2. Marriage (s) date place

Miranda J. Beavey 25 Dec. 1856 Butler County, Iowa

3. Significant events for example:

A. Business _____

B. Civic responsibilities _____

C. Profession Farmer; nurseryman; lawyer

4. Church membership Unitarian

5. Sessions served 15th General Assembly 1874

6. Public Offices

A. Local _____

B. State President of the Iowa Horticultural Society for 2 years; trustee of Iowa Agricultural College 1884-1888; director of Iowa Agricultural Experimental Station 4 years; trustee of Iowa Soldiers Orphan Home at Des Moines, Iowa 2 years

C. National _____

7. Death 2 Feb 1908 near Cedar Falls, Iowa; buried Greenwood Cemetery, Cedar Falls, Iowa

8. Children Harvard H.; Alice M. (Mrs. Walker); Irving Sanford; Evelyn (Mrs. Lee)

9. Names of parents John C. and Nancy (Patterson) Spear

10. Education Attended Pennsylvania common schools

11. Degrees Allegheny College at Meadville, Pennsylvania
where he studied law.

12. Other applicable information Republican

- He came to Black Hawk County in 1853 when he settled on
a farm in Section 19 of Waterloo Township
- Military service - Civil War - Co. B, 31st Iowa Volunteers
attaining rank of Captain
- He spent 2 years preparing to be a lawyer, but realized there was a
scarcity of law work, so he instead turned his attention to
surveying and dealing in land.
- He bought his farm in 1866 and conducted a nursery until 1898.

of the council of state was called. At this meeting it was decided to put in force rigid rules concerning the passage across the frontiers of individuals, traffic and merchandise. Immediately after the council of state had concluded its session Premier Maura left for Seville by special train for a consultation with King Alfonso. The king will return to Madrid in haste to take up the reins of government. The foreign office yesterday gave out a statement saying that the assassins in Lisbon numbered six, all of them being armed with carbines and revolvers. They were paid by political agitators, enemies of the government. One of the slain regicides was a Frenchman, according to the statement, and encircling his body was a belt filled with gold, the profit of his share in the murderous act.

EXPLOSIONS

Northumberland, Pa., Feb. 3.—Seven men were killed and half a dozen were injured here today by the explosion of a boiler in a rolling mill. Monaca, Pa., Feb. 3.—Three foreigners were killed and six others seriously injured today when the boiler in the Welch Brick plant exploded.

WANTS LIST EARLY.

Republican Committee Says Prompt Report Will Aid.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 3.—It is expected that within two or three days the result of the first election of delegates to the republican national convention will be received at the headquarters of the national committee in this city. It is the desire of the committee to be informed as soon as possible after the selection of delegates shall have been made of the names and addresses of those chosen. Secretary Dover points out that it will facilitate greatly the work of the committee in the preparation of the preliminary roll of delegates to the convention.

TO HONOR NAPOLEON.

Inhabitants of Elba Will Erect Monument to His Memory.

Rome, Feb. 3.—The inhabitants of Elba intend to commemorate the centenary of Napoleon's sojourn on the island by inaugurating an imposing monument to his memory. The statue of the hero, which will crown it, has just been completed by Signor Sghidoni in Rome. It measures about ten feet in height, and represents Napoleon in the traditional attitude, with arms crossed on breast, wearing his sword and uniform, and carrying his field glass.

RIAGE LOCKOUT ORDERED.

Forty Thousand Ship Yard Employees To Lose Jobs.

Newcastle-on-Tyne, Feb. 3.—The shipbuilders on the northeast coast have given notice that the services of all workmen will be dispensed with on February 15. This action is an outcome of the strike inaugurated January 22, the men refusing to accept a reduction in wages. Forty thousand men are affected.

ASSAULTS CURB.

Young Man Arrested In Jacksonville By Crusaders.

Jacksonville, Wis., Feb. 3.—William Joyce, 30 years old, was arrested at 1:30 o'clock yesterday morning charged with attacking his 16-year-old companion, Assistant of W. A. Goebel, who is waging a campaign against assaults on women. In Jacksonville made the arrest. It is alleged that Joyce seized the girl in front of the house where she was employed. He will be arraigned in the Municipal court today. This arrest has no connection with the other alleged attacks on women. Evidence of a series of such attacks is being collected.

HITS RACETRACKS.

Governor Hughes Leading Crusade Against Gambling.

New York, Feb. 3.—Gov. Charles E. Hughes made a trenchant plea for the abolition of racetrack gambling in a speech delivered yesterday at the Majestic theatre in Brooklyn at a mass meeting of the "Citizens' Anti-Racetrack Gambling Campaign."

The governor declared that the question of racetrack gambling was not a matter for the churches nor for any particular sect of social reformers, but whether the constitution of the state of New York shall be enforced.

Joseph H. Choate presided over the meeting, which was largely attended by representative citizens. A resolution strongly supporting Gov. Hughes' position and requesting the legislative committee to report out three bills already drawn to end racetrack gambling was passed.

CAPT. SPEER CALLED AWAY

Leading Horticulturist of Black Hawk County.

Held Many Offices of Trust and Responsibility.

Cedar Falls, Feb. 3.—(Special)—Capt. Robert P. Speer, who lived on the Waterloo road, died last night in his 80th year. He had been ill for some time and his death was not unexpected.

Mr. Speer was a settler of Black Hawk county since 1853, when he settled on a 140-acre farm in section 18, Waterloo township. He was born Feb. 25, 1828, in Westmoreland county, Penn. He won many tributes as a horticulturist, having tested 230 varieties of Russian apples and over 200 varieties of American apples, plums, cherries, pears, grapes and evergreens. He held the following positions of trust and responsibility:

Member of the fifteenth general assembly.

President of the Iowa Horticultural society for two years.

Trustee of Iowa Agricultural college from 1884 to 1888.

Director Iowa Agricultural college experimental station four years.

Served two years as trustee of Iowa Soldiers' Orphans' home at Davenport.

His military record was no less brilliant. He was captain of Co. B, 31st regiment, Iowa volunteers, from Aug. 7, 1862, to Sept. 17, 1864. His regiment was in the first division, Fifteenth army corps, Army of the Tennessee under General Grant. He participated in many battles, leading his company in the thickest of the fight at Lookout Mountain, Missionary Ridge and through the Vicksburg and Atlanta campaigns.

Mr. Speer passed from the common schools to Allegheny college at Meadville, Penn., and subsequently spent two years in preparation for the bar. When he came to Waterloo it was with the intention of completing his legal education. He soon realized, however, in that early day, with the scarcity of law work, what a task he had set for himself, and so he turned his attention to surveying and geology in land.

He bought his present farm in 1866 and conducted a nursery business until 1898. In 1856 Capt. Speer was united in marriage with Miranda J. Seavey. She taught school in her younger days in Butler and Black Hawk counties.

Four children were born to them—Harvard H., Alice M., Irving and Evelyn.

Capt. Speer was a republican in politics and a Unitarian in religion. He was a member of the Iowa Historical Society.

themselves millionaires, and Thaw is looked upon as a pauper by them.

Thaw passed a restless night and had just slipped the leashes from his fevered brain for a few moments when he was awakened by an attendant in company with other inmates of the ward. He went to a shower bath and had washed and completed his toilet at ten minutes to 7, in time to march to the men's dining hall, where 300 inmates are served by more rational patients. He ate a hearty breakfast at the "knife and fork table." Only fifty-four men out of the more than 700 in the institution are allowed this privilege, the others being restricted to spoons.

Breakfast over, he was taken to the day room of ward No. 1 north and assigned to a chair. Newspapers and magazines were placed at his disposal and when not trying to avoid conversation he attempted to read. He could not keep his mind on the books and papers, however, and his glance wandered about the room and a haunted look came into his eyes as for the first time he began to realize the grim tragedy of his situation.

The worst hardship he has had to undergo as yet is being deprived of his cigars. He is an inveterate smoker and being compelled to break off suddenly is a great strain upon his nerves. He became angry about it at first, but the doctors were inexorable. The patient may be allowed to smoke out in the court when taking his daily exercise.

Thaw took a little exercise in the morning, and at 11:45 was again ushered into the dining hall, where dinner, consisting of roast pork, potatoes, sauerkraut, and coffee was served. He ate as heartily then as at the morning meal. His supper was served at 6:15 o'clock, and consisted of preserves, cake and tea. Thaw did no writing during the day.

At 3 p. m. Thaw attended divine services in the hospital auditorium; or theatre, conducted by the Rev. Harry Sheldon, pastor of the Fishkill Landing Methodist Episcopal church. One hundred patients were present and Thaw had expressed a desire to attend. Unless patients especially request it, they do not attend the Sunday religious services, which are conducted by ministers of various denominations.

During the day Thaw declared to one of the attendants that he probably would not be in the hospital more than one week. He said his lawyers would sue out a writ of habeas corpus in his behalf and he was sure he would be allowed his liberty as the result of a hearing in court or an inquiry before a commission.

Thaw's picture and measurements for the hospital records will be taken during the early part of the week. He already has given his age to the authorities as 37 years.

Thaw brought a large sum of money with him to the hospital, but finding he would not be allowed its custody, handed it to a newspaper man, who turned it over to his counsel.

Mother Near.

Pittsburg, Pa., Feb. 3.—Even though an inmate of an asylum for the criminal insane, Harry Thaw will not be deserted by his mother, Mrs. William Thaw. To be always near her son, Mrs. Thaw has made arrangements to rent a cottage near the Matteawan asylum and live there so long as Harry is an inmate.

ALMOST BURIED ALIVE.

Mother Stoops To Kiss Son and Sees Him Move.

Aspen, Colo., Feb. 3.—Just before the coffin lid was to be fastened the mother of John Classic, aged 18, pressed the last kiss on his brow and saw a faint twitch of his eyelids. She screamed for help. Physicians soon restored him to consciousness and are hopeful of a complete restoration to health.

THREE KILLED.

Trolley Car Hits Carriage And Result Is Fatal.

Peru, Ind., Feb. 3.—Alfred, King, Mrs. Alfred King, and the former's brother, Ore King, were killed yesterday when their car was struck at the State

Berlin Society."

Berlin, Feb. 3.—Emperor William regrets exceedingly that Charlemagne Tower, the American ambassador to Berlin, and Mrs. Tower, are to leave here in the spring, and he has freely expressed his feelings in the matter to members of his court, but especially to Prince Von Bulow, the imperial chancellor.

The emperor fully appreciates Mr. Tower's political services; as for Mrs. Tower, he referred to her recently as the "Von Moltke of Berlin society," and said she had done more to make social life in the German capital brilliant and interesting than anyone who has been in Berlin during his reign.

Mrs. Tower has decided this season not to give the fancy dress affair with which she has entertained for two years past; instead, is making arrangements for a flower ball in the last week of February. The crown prince and the crown princess of Germany will be present at this function.

AMERICA SYMPATHIZES

Roosevelt Sends Message of Condolence to Manuel.

Citizens Feel Peculiar Bond of Sympathy for Portugal.

Washington, Feb. 3.—The following cablegram of sympathy for the king of Portugal was today dispatched from the White House:

"I hasten to express to you and your bereaved queen-mother my heartfelt condolence by reason of the tragic death of your royal father and brother. The American people feel a peculiar bond of sympathy with the royal family and people of Portugal in their great affliction and they are inexpressibly shocked and grieved at the dreadful tragedy.

"THEODORE ROOSEVELT."

Serious Street Car Collision at Pittsburg

Pittsburg, Pa., Feb. 3.—Many persons were injured, a number seriously, today when two street cars collided on Smithfield street bridge. Three of the injured were taken to the hospital.

CAPT. LAWLER DEAD

Rockford, Ill., Feb. 3.—Col. G. Lawler, postmaster of Rockford, and former commander-in-chief of the G. A. R., died here today.

EARTHQUAKE

Washington, Feb. 3.—The weather bureau today issued the following bulletin: An earthquake of slight intensity from distant origin was recorded on the seismographs at the weather bureau on the afternoon of February 1, beginning at 6:20 p. m., 75th meridian time.

4,000 CONVERTS.

"Bill" Sunday Closes Remarkable Revival At Bloomington.

Bloomington, Ill., Feb. 3.—Evangelist Sunday closed a record-breaking revival here last night. During his stay he has converted 4,000 persons. Offerings of \$10,000 were made yesterday as the final to a remarkable campaign for religion.

family pulled in a warm, soft breeze from the ocean. Among throngs without completed their la were scattering f chatting and laughing welcome the return of the old offering on any of every day enthusiastic members with various and friends of no under arrest also to see the king, who on at the end of marked by the st measures.

It was because weather that a waiting for the when they took the greeted with some mostly in silence. rage sharply turned Arsenal, there were guns, and a show their way into the and crown prince price, all of which target.

The assassins, boldly ran up to the and poured before the stupefied vene. The king half rising, fell before the blood gushing. The coachman by across the flanks with a bound the appearing into the The panic stricken fled on all sides, lying over the crown younger son, who from wounds had bullets.

How many shot can say, but it was made coming from the street. The effort who was sitting o to rise, was pitiful himself far enough father's body. Th self towards her s bodies with her s struck at the mur of roses which she but even in the f fired again and as father and his b Manuel whipped discharged it at himself struck in bullet from a car in the carriage was It was stated that carbines grazed th but did not do any Only mounted

the carriage, as the military escort. from the rear, for ward that the kin the back of the n entirely unexpected ers had emptied th volvers almost bef what was going on flee into the crow-stricken, had dro their weapons. upon them, pursuit street—and riddling bullets. Hundreds ed in the pursuit a band of assassins ers.

The royal carriage been driven into the gates of the. Within a few minutes, the Dowager Q duke of Oporto, the the ministers of a weeping bitterly. The news of spread like wild fir people, bewildered, ed into the streets and police occupied places and the poor homes and barricade windows to await its future.

The strictest me by the officers in el to suppress the all order but their wor (Continued)

IN IS ALARMED

Anarchistic Uprising ay Be Widespread

Feb. 3.—The assassination of King Carlos and Crown Prince Philippe at Lisbon has created fears that it may cause a revival of the anarchist activity in Spain.

Understood in semi-official circles for a long time there has been an association between the anarchists of Portugal and Spain with the anarchists in France and Italy. This connection was particularly strong in Barcelona, where anarchists were and particular care was taken by the government officials to prevent any sort of an outbreak.

When the flames of revolt would break out in Spain, the government took precautions and a meeting of the cabinet was called. At this meeting it was decided to put in force measures concerning the passage of the frontiers of individuals, traffic and merchandise.

On the return to Madrid post the reins of government

Foreign office yesterday gave out a statement saying that the assassins numbered six, all of them being men with carbines and revolvers. They were paid by political agitators of the government. One of the assassins was a Frenchman, according to the statement, and encircled by a belt filled with dynamite of his share in the murder.

Neighbors Install

Neighbors starts out the new year with prospects. Its popularity is due to its constant growth. The Cedar Camp, No. 621, Royal Order of America were installed by Deputy Supreme Oracle, W. B. Robinson. Miss Kate King as ceremonial marshal. She was installed as elected with ex-Officer Outer Sentinel and Man-Nellie Boyd of New Hartford. Glenn Morgan of this city on to fill these vacancies. Bouquets of carnations tied on in the society's colors, while were presented to the officers. Short speeches by neighbors, Mrs. Sickenger of Mrs. Morehead of Bristow White and Knott of Parkers were well received. After an elaborate banquet was served cut flowers and smiling long tables. There was attendance altho the inclement private and the weather members will again be the next regular meeting.

lay Musical Society
day Musical society held its meeting at the home of Miss

Capt. Robert P. Spear Dies.

Sunday night at eleven o'clock occurred the death of a pioneer citizen of Cedar Falls. Capt. Robert P. Spear has been failing in health for some time and especially since the death of his wife last April, but his mind was clear and his interest in affairs as keen as ever up to a few days before his death.

Capt. Spear was born in Westmoreland County Penn. in the year 1823. He received a good education in college prepared for the bar, and in 1853 opened up a law office in Waterloo. Soon after this he took up surveying for which he had taken special training. He purchased fifteen acres in what is now the heart of Cedar Falls and later purchased two tracts adjoining this, in all 40 acres. In 1866 he purchased the farm of 140 acres upon which he has since lived and where he died.

Upon this farm he carried on not only an extensive nursery but also in connection with it an experimental station with the sanction of Washington. For two years he served as President of the State Horticultural society and for four years as Trustee of the State Agricultural college at Ames. He was also a member of the General Assembly. In the civil war he was made captain of Co. B. 31st regiment of Iowa Volunteers which office he held for two years.

In 1866 he married Miranda J. Seavey, a teacher in the Butler and Black Hawk county schools. Mr. and Mrs. Spear had four children all of whom are living and three of whom are present for the funeral. Those present are Mrs. J. C. Walker of Fullerton, Cal., Irving Spear of Sanborn and Mrs. Evelyn Lee of Cedar Falls. The funeral services were held in the Methodist church at 2:00 o'clock on Wednesday afternoon.

How David Warfield Began.

David Warfield's first real public appearance was made at the Wigwam, in San Francisco, a specialty house that charged ten cents admission, a sort of cheap music-hall where drinks were served. Warfield's appearance was an absolute fiasco, and he was practically laughed off the stage. He merely said to himself, "I am not appreciated in San Francisco; therefore, I will go to New York, where they may know a good thing when they see it." Where the money was to come from for the trip was another question. Finally he hit on the plan of a benefit, which was given at Dashaway Hall, on Post street, some amateur friends helping him with his program. In all they cleared about \$100, which was enough for the trip and left him, after he landed in New York, about forty odd dollars in his pocket.

With no notion of the size of New York, the newly arrived actor started to walk from the Battery to west Fortieth street, where a friend of his had engaged a room for him. He walked and he walked and he walked and he walked, footing it up Broadway with the same cheerful perseverance that has been manifest throughout his life when he wanted to get anywhere. He got there eventually, but found that there was no steady job as usher now waiting

WHO GETS THE WORM?



The Present Stand-pat Situation

NEW HARTFORD

Special Correspondence

E. Bourquin is reported very low at this writing.

L. L. Eiles has purchased the Morton property where he has resided for several years consideration \$11,000.

Guy Dennis was arrested Friday night and brought before his honor Saturday to answer to the two charges of drunk and disorderly and resisting an officer. Mayor Smith pronounced a fine of \$16.80, it is needless to say, that on returning home proceeded to run the town, and proceeded to do up officer

Normal vs Grinnell

A large audience attended the basket ball games in the Normal Gymnasium Friday evening. At 7:30 Normal's second team defeated the High School by a score of 24 to 15. At 8:15 Grinnell State Championship Basket ball team defeated Normal with score of 55 to 19. The Normal boys many of them were not in fit condition for Basket ball but they put up a good fight. The swift team work and remarkable accuracy in throwing baskets of the Grinnell team were wonderful to see. Things which pleased the audience was the Normal band which appeared between games and later the Normal

Helping the Musician.

At a political meeting an Ir watched closely the trombone in the band. Presently the man down his instrument and went a beer. Paddy investigated and pulled the horn to pieces. The player returned, "Who died mit my drombone?" he said "O! did," said Paddy. "I've been for two hours tryin' to apart, an' O! did it in wan mit Argonaut."

Sappho.

at the State Historical Society of Iowa Library, Des Moines, Iowa, end of the seventh century B. C. antily the fame of Sappho.

You searched for **Robert P. Speer** in **Iowa**

U.S. Civil War Soldier Records and Profiles

Name:	Robert P Speer
Residence:	Cedar Falls, Iowa
Age at Enlistment:	34
Enlistment Date:	8 Jul 1862
Rank at enlistment:	Captain
State Served:	Iowa
Survived the War?:	Yes
Service Record:	Commissioned an officer in <u>Company B, Iowa 31st Infantry Regiment</u> on 13 Oct 1862. Mustered out on 17 Sep 1864.
Birth Date:	abt 1828
Sources:	Roster & Record of Iowa Soldiers in the War of Rebellion

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Description:
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U.S. Civil War Soldiers, 1861-1865

Name:	Robert P. Speer
Side:	Union
Regiment	Iowa
State/Origin:	
Regiment Name:	31 Iowa Infantry.
Regiment Name Expanded:	31st Regiment, Iowa Infantry
Company:	B
Rank In:	Captain
Rank In Expanded:	Captain
Rank Out:	Captain
Rank Out Expanded:	Captain
Film Number:	M541 roll 25
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Department of Iowa
Grand Army of the Republic

Veteran's name Speer, Robert Patterson

War

Residence Cedar Falls, Iowa

Battles, etc.

Occupation Lawyer, Farmer, Nurseryman

Nearest relatives

Date birth Feb. 25, 1828 Place Westmoreland Co., Ia

Father John C. d. Scott Co., Ia. Nativity

Date death Feb 5, 1907 Place near Cedar Falls, Ia
Cause Greenwood Cem. Place burial Cedar Falls Twp Blackhawk County

Mother Nancy Patterson Speer Nativity

War record

Wife Miranda J. Seavey n. 1855 d. Apr. 1906 Cedar Falls

Rank	Company	Regiment	State	Organization
Age 34	Res.	Cedar Falls		

Children Mrs. J. S. Walker, Fullerton, Sanborn, Ia.
Irving Speer Des Moines, Ia

Enlisted Apptd Captain Ag. 7, 1862. Must. Date Place

Ray Carl Des Moines, Ia
Carl Los Angeles, C

Oct. 13, 1862. Resigned Sept 17, 1864

Harvard Speer, Peel, Wash.
Evelyn Speer Lee, Cedar Falls, Ia.

Sources

Desc. Book Post #222: Service 24 mo. Resigned for disability.

Robt P. Speer, reporter, 1870 (Des Moines)
son of Ray P. Speer
Clipping from Cedar Falls paper Feb. 1907
Graves Reg: Speer, Robert P/ d. Feb. 2, 1908, /

Discharged Date Place

Department of Iowa
Grand Army of the Republic

Veteran's name Robert Patterson

Record Membership and Dues Paid

Offices of honor in G. A. R.

Post name	Post No.	Place	Date Joined
James B.
...

Age 55

Member-at-Large

Year	Date Paid	Amount
Children continued-		

Alice M

Suspended

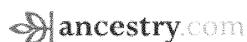
Died

Year Date Paid Amount Year Date Paid Amount

was among first to enlist, when war broke out, was afterwards made Captain. Participated in many of the bloody battles. His co. saw active service as part of the 1st division 15th Army Corps, Army of the Tenn. under Gen. Grant. Recruited in Cedar Falls and among enlistments were Hon. Geo. D. Perkins, of Sioux City, Ia. of Sioux City Journal, Hon. S. S. Hurbert and Mr. S. M. Rownds of Cedar Falls. Latter two living at time of Robert P. Speer's death.


Brother of John A Speer Pvt Co G 11 Iowa Inf. & Co E 46 Pa. Inf.

Waterloo Daily Courier, Feb 3, 1908/



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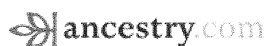
1880 United States Federal Census

Name:	Robert P. Speer	
Home in 1880:	Waterloo, Black Hawk, Iowa	
Age:	52	
Estimated birth year:	abt 1828	
Birthplace:	Pennsylvania	
Relation to Head of Household:	Self (Head)	
Spouse's name:	Miranda J.	
Father's birthplace:	Pennsylvania	
Mother's birthplace:	Pennsylvania	
Neighbors:	View others on page	
Occupation:	Farmer - Nurseryman	
Marital Status:	Married	
Race:	White	
Gender:	Male	
Cannot read/write:		
Blind:	View image	
Deaf and dumb:		
Otherwise disabled:		
Idiotic or insane:		
Household Members:	Name	Age
	Robert P. Speer	52
	Miranda J. Speer	43
	Alice M. Speer	22
	Erving Speer	19
	Evilyn Speer	13
Source Citation: Year: 1880; Census Place: Waterloo, Black Hawk, Iowa; Roll 327; Family History Film: 1254327; Page: 561C; Enumeration District: 61; Image: 0744.		
Source Information:		
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1900 United States Federal Census

Name:	Robert P Speer	
Home in 1900:	Waterloo, Black Hawk, Iowa	
Age:	72	
Birth Date:	Feb 1828	
Birthplace:	Pennsylvania	
Race:	White	
Gender:	Male	
Relationship to Head of House:	Head	
Father's Birthplace:	Pennsylvania	
Mother's Birthplace:	Pennsylvania	
Spouse's name:	Miranda J	
Marriage Year:	1853	
Marital Status:	Married	
Years Married:	47	
Occupation:	View on Image	
Neighbors:	View others on page	
Household Members:	Name	Age
	Robert P Speer	72
	Miranda J Speer	62
	Evaline Speer	33
	John Conners	

Source Citation: Year: 1900; Census Place: Waterloo, Black Hawk, Iowa; Roll T623_418; Page: 2B; Enumeration District: 20.

Source Information:
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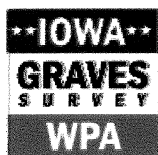
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SPEER, Robert P.

Born: 2-25-1828
Died: 2-2-1908
Cemetery: GREENWOOD CEMETERY
Location: CEDAR FALLS TWP.
County: BLACK HAWK CO. - IOWA
Record Notes: CEDAR FALLS

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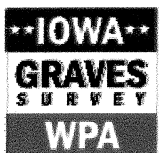
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SPEER, Miranda J.

Born: 11-19-1836
Died: 4-22-1907
Cemetery: GREENWOOD CEMETERY
Location: CEDAR FALLS TWP.
County: BLACK HAWK CO. - IOWA
Record Notes: CEDAR FALLS (WIFE OF R. P.)

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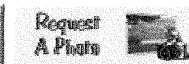
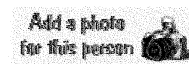
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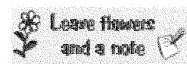
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