

Did he die in Iowa or Pennsylvania?

Standard Form For Members of the Legislature

Name of Representative Booth, Caleb Haskins Senator _____
Represented Dubuque County, Iowa

1. Birthday and place 24 Dec 1814 Delaware County, Pennsylvania

2. Marriage (s) date place
Henrietta Eyre 19 June 1838 Illinois

3. Significant events for example:
A. Business Secretary in the Dubuque and Dubuque Bridge Company, Dubuque and Sioux City, Cedar Falls and Minnesota Railroads; secretary of the Iowa Land and Lumber Company
B. Civic responsibilities _____

C. Profession Attorney; manufacturer

4. Church membership Episcopal

5. Sessions served 14th General Assembly 1872

6. Public Offices
A. Local First mayor of Dubuque, Iowa; Dubuque City Councilman

B. State _____

C. National Appointed in Feb 1849 Surveyor General of Wisconsin, Iowa and Minnesota

7. Death 19 June 1892 Dubuque, Iowa;

8. Children Edward (died circa 1880); Anna (Mrs. O. M. Parsons)

9. Names of parents Joseph and Martha (Haskins) Booth

10. Education Attended a classical institution in Burlington, New Jersey - he prepared to be an engineer

11. Degrees _____

12. Other applicable information Republican

- He came to Dubuque around 1836.
- His first enterprise was a steam saw mill, the first one brought to Dubuque, as well as lumber business and mercantile business
- He was prominent in the construction of the Illinois Central Railroad in Iowa
- He studied law under Samuel Edwards in Chester, Pennsylvania for 3 years
- He was admitted to the bar 3 May 1836
- He immediately moved to Dubuque, Iowa which was in 1836 part of Michigan Territory
- His mercantile business was the firm Booth, Townsend and Company.
- In 1838 he engaged in mining with William Carter
- In 1856 he invested largely in the Dubuque and Pacific Railroad stock and in 1857 elected treasurer of the company in which he was also a director.
- In 1856 he was one of the commissioners to establish the State Bank of Iowa
- His wife, Henrietta, died Feb 1896
- He mined lead and in the operations he substituted the lead mine shaft for the tower in making shot.

GEN. C. H. BOOTH DEAD.

Demise of Dubuques Most Prominent Citizens and Earliest and Oldest Settler.

Came to the City Sixty Years Ago and Has Been Always Public Spirited.

Had Reached Great Age of Eighty Four—Active in Business Up to His Death.

Dubuque mourns today her most prominent citizen and earliest and oldest settler, General Caleb H. Booth, who died at 7:17 last evening at his residence, 1270 Main street.

General Booth death was unexpected by his family and its announcement was a matter of surprise to his host of friends. He had reached the extreme age of eighty four and for several years has been seemingly well on a number of occasions, in some of which this conditions occasioned the greatest alarm. His illness was due to a stomach trouble, which clung to him persistently. Of late, however, he was feeling better and Friday was down to his office as usual. Friday night he was taken sick and was ill Saturday. His condition, however was not so serious until Sunday afternoon, when he was taken with a vomiting spell which weakened him and almost before his family and friends realized it, the life of the great and good man had ebbed away.

General Booth has done more for Dubuque and Dubuque citizens than even his most intimate friends begin to realize. He has been in Dubuque longer than the space of most men's years. Sixty two years ago he came to this city a rugged, hustling enterprising young attorney 22 years of age. His first enterprise was steam saw mill, the first one brought to Dubuque, and from this he branched out and during the long period of his residence here he has been connected with all and active spirit in many of the projects for developing the Key City. Despite his advanced years, he kept up his active interest in business to the time of his death. He was prominent in the construction of the Illinois Central lines in Iowa and held at the time of his death the responsible position of Secretary in the Dunleith and Dubuque Bridge Co., Dubuque & Sioux City, Cedar Falls and Minnesota railroads and also of the Iowa Land and Loan Company.

General Booth was a native of Delaware Co. Pa., where he was born Dec. 24, 1814. His father died when he was sent to school in a classical institution in Burlington, N. J. where, under the celebrated Quaker Mathematician,

serious disturbance of mind, that all manner of threats were flying through the air yesterday. The council at its last meeting granted the company permission to erect the pole, the owners of abutting property objected and threatened to procure an injunction if the work was attempted. By doing a little night work, the company got the pole in before the objectors knew anything about it. Now these people are seeking some means to have the pole removed but it does not look as though their efforts would be crowned with any great success.

—Years of suffering relieved in a night. Itching piles yield at once to the curative properties of Doan's Ointment. Never fails. At any drug store, 50 cents

CHORUS GOES WEDNESDAY.

Hundred Singers From Dubuque to Sing at Omaha Exposition.

The Oratoria Society will leave Wednesday for Omaha and will probably travel in a special train. There will be over a hundred in the party including all the leading vocalists in the city.

The chorus has been especially invited to participate in the dedication of the Iowa building Thursday afternoon. They will sing "The Battle Hymn of the Republic" by Jules Jordan, quartette and charms, "Iowa," by Major S. H. M. Beyers and "The Land We Love," written especially for the occasion by Rev. L. M. Watterman and set to music by Mr. Pontius. Saturday night the chorus will sing in the Exposition Grand Musical Carnival. The selections will be Haydn's "Creation" and Jules Jordan's "Barbara Fritzsche." The soloists will be Miss Grant, Mrs. Heustis, and Messrs. L. S. Hopkins and Frank Barnard. Mr. W. H. Pontius will direct the chorus and the music will be by Prof. Thomas' orchestra.

PLAYERS WILL TAKE THE CLUB.

Proposition of the Team to Assume the Franchise and Play Season Out.

The ball players want to take hold of the club here and play the season out. This is the proposition they have made to the directors.

The game yesterday was one of the best of the season. With John Brown in the box, the Tigers put up a errorless game and won by a score of 5 to 0.

The players are anxious to continue the games. They should be encouraged. They are all good clean young men, an honor to the city and their profession, Dubuque could not assit a worthier entertainment or charity of any, and, all they want is the people to patronize the games. They have been misused by

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- \$2.25 Pretty Rugs, special price
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—For pure wines and liquors at whole sale prices call on M. Schmidt, 168 6th St. All goods guaranteed. Send for price list.

—Tomorrow will be pay day at the hall for laborers on the street and sewer department about \$1600 will be paid out.

—A dye house located on Sixth street has closed its doors. Goods left with them can be obtained at Osborne's, 901 West 5th street.

—Auctioneer Ohmert sold a vacant lot on Delhi street belonging to J. W. Stewart to Mrs. Will Dods for six hundred dollars cash.

—Choice of all our \$11.50, \$12.50, and \$13.50 suits in tweeds fancy homespun, of plaids and chedss, all the new shades of brown and olive, perfect fitting suits, all go into one lot at \$9.35. at The Model

—Miss Hattie L. Scott entertained at cards, Saturday afternoon in honor of Mrs. Caldwell of St. Paul. Mrs. Alphons Matthews won the first prize and Mrs. A. Lusil, the second.

—Men's fancy Balbriggan underwear 43c. Imported Madras Golf shirts 15 styles \$1.33 at The Model.

Ten quarters of choice land in Aurora and Brule Counties, South Dakota to exchange for general merchandise. Land clear. Good title. For bargains in lands write to W. P. Robeson, Plankington, South Dakota.

—J. C. Hohens, inspector of public buildings, is in the city to arrange for new plumbing in the feredal building. New carpets will be put in and diture renavoted.

—This morning at 8 o'clock a boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Larrimore, 155 West Locust street. "Professor" says he is the finest in the land and an athlete at that.

—The graduates exercises at St. Joseph's academy on Thirteenth and Main street, were held this morning, at 10 o'clock, and were attended by many friends of the pupils and Sisters.

—Choice of any man's suit (except black worsted) in the house, over \$15.00 \$16.50 and \$18 fine fancy worsted chevots and covert cloths elegantly made and trimmed all go in one lot at \$12.65 The Model.

—The fourteen year old son of Mr. Faulkes on West Fourteenth street, while running barefooted, jumped into an old spout Sunday morning and cut his heel to the bone. Dr. Bray is attending him. The cut is serious and there is danger of lock jaw.

—A young man named Martin refused to pay his fare on a street car last night and assaulted the conductor. The motorner went to the conductor's assistance and Martin had to have seven stitches taken in a cut in his lip and besides this he is nursing abadly bruised head.

JURORS ARE GRATEFUL.

Those That Sat in the McGarry Case Feel They were Well Treated.

Those That Sat in the McGarry Case asked the press to express their gratitude to the court and others for the manner in which they were treated dur-

tion in Burlington, N. J. where, under the celebrated Quaker Mathematician, John Gummere, he studied matimetics, Latin and French and prepared himself for an engineer. At the age of 17 he completed this profession and was offered a position on the Camden and Amboy R. R. but it was his father's wish that he study a profession, and choosing the law, he studied under Samuel Edwards in Chester Pa., for three years and May 3, 1836 was admitted to the bar. He immediately struck out for the new country in the west and selecting Dubuque, then in the territory of Michigan, he arrived here July 3, 1836, the day before the act establishing the new territory went into effect.

General Booth saw an opening here for a saw mill, he brought the first steam mill to Dubuque and branched out into the lumber business with profit to himself. He engaged in the mercantile business in the firm of Booth, Townsend and Co., and in 1839 engaged in mining with William Carter and has, since continued more or less extensively mining operations here and in this vicinity.

General Booth has been honored on numerous occasions during his long career with political honors, though it can be truthfully said of him he did not seek or relish political preferment and only accepted the positions when the nature of the office and circumstances impressed him that it was his duty as a citizen, and once elected time has demonstrated he was the personification of faithfulness to the people and community. In 1839 he was elected to the legislature and served during the first session in Iowa City. In 1841 he was elected the first mayor of Dubuque and has served in the council several times since. In February, 1849, he was appointed by President Polk surveyor general of the land district embraced in Wisconsin, Iowa and Minnesota and served in that position during the terms of Presidents Polk and Taylor. In 1856 he with other invested largely in the Dubuque and Pacific railroad stock and in 1857 he was elected treasurer of the company and also a director in it. In 1856 General Booth was one of the commissioners to establish the state bank of Iowa and in 1872 he was elected a member of the fourteenth general assembly on the republican ticket, he having voted that ticket since the war. General Booth in his lead mining operations substituted the lead mine shaft for the tower in making shot and by so doing made the process very profitable.

General Booth was married in Pennsylvania to Miss Henrietta Trye, also a native of that state. She died February, 1896, at an advanced age. Two children were born to them, Edward Booth, who died eighteen years ago and Anna, now Mrs. O. M. Parsons of Chicago. Two grandchildren, children of Edward Booth, survive, Mrs. Otto M. Ruete and Miss Hattie Booth.

General and Mrs. Booth were all their lives consistent and zealous members of St. Johns Episcopal church, which for many years General Booth has been senior warden.

The time of the funeral has not yet been determined but it will probably be Thursday afternoon.

—A household necessity. Dr. Thomas'

want is the people to patronize the games. They have been misused by Sullivan and an deserves something better from Dubuque citizens. They have made arrangements to play St. Joseph to day and tomorrow, Quincy will be here.

They will meet the directors tonight and make a proposition to them. This is that they help them secure two other players, probably Lipbert and Cole, and give the franchise over to them.

PERSONAL,

Miss Mary Smith is visiting friends in Chicago.

Attorney Thomas Fitzpatrick was in Mason City Saturday on business.

John Trexler left Saturday night on the Illinois Central for Chicago.

I. M. Platt was on Illinois Central passenger Saturday night for Chicago.

Miss Genevieve Whelan returned last evening after spending several weeks in Cedar Rapids.

Miss Belle Levi has returned from Chicago where she has been attending Kennwood Institute.

Albert Jaeger has arrived home from St. Louis, where he is attending the Christian Brothers' school.

Miss Ravina Burton left for Chicago to visit her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Brin sr. and her sister Lydia.

D. C. Malloy, of Osage, brother of Senator Frank Malloy of this city, is in town visiting. Mr. Malloy is a leading citizen of Osage.

Mrs. S. M. Conklin who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. T. J. Paisley, left Saturday Morning over the Illinois Central for her home in Jersey City N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Richards, Dr. Eud, Mrs. Jackson and daughter Lusile and Mrs. W. H. Wilson and son left Saturday morning over the "Old Reliable" for Denver.

Mr. Gen. Holcombe, assistant manager of the Earnst Silk Works of Mauch Chunk, Penn., is visiting her cousins, the Misses Haggerty, at their home, 1170 Main street.

—Boys Brownie Bib overalls all sizes 19c at The Model.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

For week ending June 18, 1898, compiled by Geo. Salot, real estate and insurance agent.

A. C. Haller to C. A. Voelker, lot 157 Woodlawn park sub, \$800.00.

W. J. Drewelow to C. A. Voelker, part of lots 149, 149a, and of 2 of 150 Mechanic's add, \$675.00.

C. A. Voelker to A. C. Haller, lots 244 and 251 Woodlawn park sub, \$1,250.

C. N. Dohs to C. S. Dohs, lot 5 of 1 of 3 of M. L. 75 and of M. L. 77, \$2,510.

A. Ruh to T. H. Smith, 75.27 acres in secs 2, 11, 12, 13 and 14 Taylor township, \$3,000.

M. Meloy to L. Prange, und 1-4 of 80 acres in sec 31 Washington township, \$350.

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