

Standard Form For Members of the Legislature

Name of Representative Jovissou, David D. Senator _____

Represented Madison County, Iowa

1. Birthday and place 28 Aug 1826 Clarksburg, Virginia

2. Marriage (s) date place

Mary A. Jenkins 1853 Oskaloosa

3. Significant events for example:

A. Business _____

B. Civic responsibilities _____

C. Profession Physician

4. Church membership Presbyterian

5. Sessions served 14th General Assembly 1872

6. Public Offices

A. Local _____

B. State _____

C. National _____

7. Death 27 Dec 1902 Winterest Iowa; buried Winterest Cemetery, Winterest, Iowa

8. Children Robert R.; several other children were born, but all died in infancy or youth

9. Names of parents _____

10. Education

11. Degrees

12. Other applicable information

- He emigrated to Iowa in 1847 and moved to Keosauqua, Iowa in 1854.
- He moved to Adel, Iowa for one year, but returned to Keosauqua in spring 1866.
- His son, Robert R. also a doctor, associated with his father for several years.

OLD CITIZEN GONE

Passed Away at His
Home on Monday Evening, Decem-
ber 27th.

Years has there occur-
ed a death that pro-
duced so many people of
Madison county as that of that bluff,
brave, whole-souled, manly man and
model citizen, Dr. D. D. Davison,
which occurred at his home in this city
Saturday last, in the seventy-seventh
year of his age. His health had been
ailing for several years, but only in
the last few months had he been com-
pelled to wholly abandon his practice,
which fell to his son and business
partner, Dr. R. R. Davison.

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returned to Winteraset in the spring of
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several years ago. Several children
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infancy or youth, except one son,
Dr. Robt. R. Davison, who has been
for a number of years associated with
his father in practice.

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time in general practice touches the
lives and hearts of more people than
it is possible for any other man to do.

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of many of the people, he knows their
life history, their temperament, their
mental and spiritual nature little less
than their physical, and in the case of
the subject under consideration, no
trust was ever betrayed, and under a
rugged, yet genial exterior, his minis-
trations eased the pain and cheered the

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independent and ones-

Hays-Drake

At the home of the bride
Mr. and Mrs. John Dra-
keshaw, a very pretty
solemnized at 7 o'clock
23d, when their daughter
was united in marriage
Hays, Rev. Sherman Kir-
by Place officiated. The
a very quiet one only
tives and a few intimate
present. After the cere-
monies were shown to the
an elaborate four course
served. After the dinner
highly entertained with
selections of music rendered
Ora and Earl Hays; and
speeches by Jas. Hays, with
them as few others could
and groom were two of
ty's most worthy and high
young people. They are
members of the Christian church
been a member and ever
since childhood and her
always been for good and
aspires one to a higher
Mr. and Mrs. Hays with
relatives and friends till
they will go to housekeep-
Jas. Hays farm in Douglas

Ross-Herron.

At 12 o'clock, December
than Boss and Della B-
united in marriage. The
led by the minister, J. G.
entered the room where the
was performed, keeping
march played by the band
Mrs. Ross Mayer. The cere-
performed in the presence
forty relatives and friends
gratulations a bounteous
dinner was served. The
dressed in white silk and
wore the conventional
bride and groom
Robert Herron, a well

Saturday last, in the seventy-seventh year of his age. His health had been failing for several years, but only in the last few months had he been compelled to wholly abandon his practice, which fell to his son and business partner, Dr. E. R. Davison.

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The physician who has spent a lifetime in general practice touches the souls and hearts of more people than it is possible for any other man to do.

He has seen the joys and the sorrows of many of the people, he knows their life history, their temperament, their mental and spiritual nature little less than their physical, and in the case of the subject under consideration, no man was ever betrayed, and under a brusque, yet genial exterior, his ministrations eased the pain and cheered the hour of suffering.

Dr. Davison was always prominent in every public enterprise and question. Something of a politician, he represented the county in the state legislature. He was an honorable, upright, public spirited citizen, a model husband and kind, indulgent father. He is to the memory of a noble life.

Funeral services were held at the church Tuesday afternoon, December 15, 1898, conducted by Rev. B. E. S. Elmer.

The services were held at the First Presbyterian church, and a large number of friends were present. The pall bearers were

of the city, among whom

an elaborate four course dinner was served. After the dinner the guests were highly entertained with selections of music rendered by Ora and Earl Hays; and speeches by Jas. Hays, which were listened to by them as few others can. The bride and groom were two of the city's most worthy and high minded young people. They are members of the Christian church and have been a member and each has since childhood and her character has always been for good and inspires one to a higher standard. Mr. and Mrs. Hays will be surrounded by relatives and friends till they will go to household on the Jas. Hays farm in Douglas

Ross-Herron.

At 12 o'clock, December 15, 1898, the wedding of Della Ross and David Herron was celebrated in marriage. The ceremony was led by the minister, J. G. Herron, who entered the room where the ceremony was performed, keeping the bride's hand, and the march played by the band of Mrs. Ross Mayer. The ceremony was performed in the presence of forty relatives and friends. After the ceremony congratulations and a bounteous dinner was served. The bride was dressed in white silk and wore the conventional veil. The bride is the youngest daughter of Robert Herron, a well known and prosperous farmer, living west of Macksburg. David Herron is the groom's father, formerly a well known large farm six miles north of Macksburg. He is now living in California. The bride and groom are well known and highly respected in the community. The young couple will be residing on the David Ross farm, and the wedding presents were received.

Wedding Ball

Was held on Christmas night at the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kleckner, their daughter

attention to the schools as their salaries will justify. There seems to be harmony among teachers and directors and the prospects for excellent results in the next year are good.

Used a Gun.

Last Saturday Will and Ed Davis tried to pick a fuss with Jno. McDonald. The Davis boys claimed that they had been told that McDonald said he could "whip anybody by the name of Davis." McDonald denied it and said he didn't want any trouble. Will Davis forced a fight and McDonald defended himself until they were parted by bystanders. McDonald had Davis arrested and he was fined \$1.00 and costs. Davis wanted to file information against McDonald but the Mayor would not accept it. He filed information before Squire Koon and the squire threw the case out. Later in the day Will and Ed Davis and a crony or two followed McDonald up and threatened to thrash him. On the west side of the square he drew a revolver and fired in their direction, the bullet striking the front of Duff's store. The report is that the Davis gang thought prudence the better part of valor and retired precipitately. McDonald declared that he had been threatened and pestered enough and that the next time he would shoot to injure. Later an information was filed against McDonald before Squire Koon charging him with carrying concealed weapons. We have not learned what has been done with this case.

Dr. D. D. Davison Passes Away.

Saturday afternoon Dec. 27th at 4 o'clock, Dr. D. D. Davison, a pioneer physician of this county, quietly passed away at his home in this city. Dr. Davison had been falling rapidly for more than a year, and for some months past had been unable to leave the house. The funeral was held at the residence Tuesday afternoon, conducted by Rev. B. E. S. Ely, of Des Moines, whose address was beautifully appropriate and touching. The floral tributes of friends were numerous and in delicate taste. Physicians of the city acted as pall-

bearers and the funeral was a large one, business and professional men leaving their work to pay a last tribute to the man they had esteemed for years. Dr. Davison was a familiar figure all over Madison county for years. His bluff, frank, hearty manner, sometimes even rude, but always with a heart back of it kind as a woman's, won for him the friendship of everybody. He was missed from the community during his illness, and will always be missed. There never will be another to fill quite the place he occupied.

To Correspondents.

To the correspondents the editor wishes to say, please have patience. The extra work necessitated by the change in the paper, the extra work that always comes at the end of the year, and the sickness we have been having in the REPORTER force, have completely overwhelmed us. Unfinished work is piled up in the office until the editor cannot see day light ahead. You must have patience about your premiums and patience if we fail to acknowledge requests for postage promptly. Unanswered mail is piled up on the editor's desk until the sight of it makes him groan. We must issue the paper each week—that is the first thing and after that all these other things—if we can find the time. We are working hard to bring every thing up as soon as possible.

Sincerely yours,
THE EDITOR.

Real Oranges.

Mrs. T. L. Palmer, of Lake Charles, Louisiana, a sister of Mrs. Capt. T. W. Stiles, sent Mrs. Stiles a box of oranges plucked from her own orchard. Thru Mrs. Stiles, the editor was the recipient of some of this fruit and they were certainly fine. They were left on the tree until thoroly ripe, and the flavor is as much different from that of the oranges usually shipped here as white is different from black.

Death of Mrs.

Mrs. Margaret home on east Je night Dec. 26th vices were conduc from the residence Dec. 28th.

Margaret Ross county, Pa. in 18 with her mother settling in Mah she was married. 26th, 1852 and i Winterset where resided. There family, only one of this city, survi father, after serv civil war became lid and died in 18 patient long-suffe much sickness at her family, and recognized best b knew her well.

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