

Standard Form For Members of the Legislature

Name of Representative Allen, James Senator \_\_\_\_\_  
Represented Jackson County, Iowa

1. Birthday and place 21 Jan 1823 Clonmore, Kings County, Ireland

2. Marriage (s) date place

Mary 1859 New Orleans, Louisiana

3. Significant events for example:

A. Business \_\_\_\_\_

B. Civic responsibilities \_\_\_\_\_

C. Profession farmer; miller; raised and sold horses

4. Church membership Catholic

5. Sessions served 13th General Assembly 1870

6. Public Offices

A. Local Jackson County supervisor 20 years; School Treasurer 18 years

B. State \_\_\_\_\_

C. National \_\_\_\_\_

7. Death 5 Dec 1899 Otter Creek Township, Jackson County, Iowa; buried St. Lawrence

8. Children Joseph R.; James R.; Thomas J.; Mary C. (Mrs. M. J. Nelson); Elizabeth (predeceased her father in death)

9. Names of parents \_\_\_\_\_

St. Lawrence  
Cemetery  
Jackson  
County, Iowa

Dunn, James

10. Education He had the advantage of a good English  
education

11. Degrees \_\_\_\_\_

12. Other applicable information

Democrat

- He emigrated to America in 1843 at age 20. The ten years  
following his arrival he engaged in raising and selling  
horses between several states and Mexico. He bought 2,500  
acres where Dallas, Texas now stands for \$100 and 30 Spanish ponies.
- In 1854, he moved to Jackson County, Iowa settling in Otter Creek Township  
where he purchased 120 acres. There he lived until 1865  
when he bought half interest in the Washington Mills.
- He was a miller for 7 months when he sold back the property to the  
previous owner retaining cattle and hogs in the sheds.
- He bought another farm and eventually became one of the largest  
land owners and successful farmers in Otter Creek Township.



residence in Jackson county since 1857, has moved to Maquoketa with his family to become residents.

Read Jno. J. Miller's ad.

The Larned Library of History which is said to be the greatest historical work of the nineteenth century is a recent addition to the reference department of Boardman Library. Messages and papers of the presidents in ten volumes, also a valuable work for students, has been placed on the shelves recently.

Over 500 copies of sheet music, vocal and instrumental, at from 5 to 10 cents a copy at Tinker's.

Our last issue gave the date of Walker Whiteside's engagement as Nov. 19 when it should have read Dec. 19. Bear the date in mind.

Dueber silverine watch cases with 7-jeweled Elgin movement, only \$4.65 at Tinker Bros'.

The following are letters remaining unclaimed in the Maquoketa postoffice: Wm. H. Bush, Miss Minnie Eston, Miss Libbie Nickle, Ed Millsap, Hans Miller, S. E. Prior, John Zigeard, John Rush.

H. E. KING, P. M.

Otto V. Elsner has returned and has opened parlor millinery at his home.

A pocketbook containing a sum of money in silver was left at the postoffice by someone Saturday, Nov. 25. Owner may have same by calling and proving property.

Try Current's photograph gallery if you want fine work at the right prices.

John Gish will sell at auction at his residence, 5 miles southwest of Maquoketa, on the Elwood road, and one mile west of Union church, on Thursday, Dec. 14, commencing at one o'clock, the following property to-wit: 23 head cattle one span black mares, 10 Poland China hogs, 7 sows and 3 boar pigs, stack of second-growth clover hay, also some timothy hay in shed, household goods, farming machinery etc. Usual terms of sale.

We will call for and deliver, FREE of charge, all clocks needing repairs. Give us a trial. TINKER BROS.

At the beautiful residence of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Gallagher, on Tuesday afternoon at one o'clock, Mrs. Gallagher entertained a few of her friends, (assisted by Miss Butterworth and Mrs. H. C. Butterworth)

## D. N. LOOSE & CO., The Druggists.

hope the Believee girls are well enough posted to keep out of trouble.

Dr. W. A. Scott answers all calls promptly. Office and residence opposite Decker house.

Jackson county's pioneers continue one by one to pass to the other world. This time we have to chronicle the demise of Hon. James Dunne of Otter Creek, one of the county's oldest and most venerable citizens. Mr. Dunne had been growing feeble quite rapidly the past few years and his death therefore was not unlooked for. He was ill but a short time before his death which occurred Tuesday morning. Deceased was born in Clonmore, Kings county, Ireland, Jan. 21, 1823, where he had the advantages of a good English education. In 1843, when but 20 years of age, and hearing the glowing reports of the vast resources of the United States, he emigrated to this country. The ten years following he carried on a trade between New Orleans and one of the Mexican ports, on his own account and acquired some property. In 1854 he removed to Jackson county and settled in Otter Creek township. Since then he has occupied a prominent place in the history of the county; has served for twenty years as supervisor and was several times elected chairman of that board. In 1870 he was a member of the Thirteenth General Assembly, a position he filled with credit to himself, honor to the state and satisfaction of the citizens. In 1859 Mr. Dunne married in New Orleans, Miss Mary Dunne, who survives with four children to mourn the loss of a kind and considerate husband and father. The children are James F. and R. E. Dunne, Mrs. M. J. Nelson of Otter Creek and Thos. J. Dunne of Dubuque. Deceased was a man of firm character, was generous and open hearted, and numbered his friends by the hundreds. The funeral was held today at Otter Creek and was very largely attended,

Notice--Life insurance companies will reduce the rate 33 per cent to all

dence west end of Miss Mar house on West Pleasant st

Rev. W. H. Frost was in last evening to hear Rev. White Wilson, pastor of St. church, Chicago, lecture "Light for Every Man."

Rev. Frost drove over to and held services there evening.

Gold rings, }  
Gold pens, } for Xmas.  
Gold chains, }  
Gold locket, }  
Gold watches }

at C. A. Gall

Miss Ella Sherrill's Baptist day school class of girls, sixteen in number, surprised Davis, one of their companions evening at her home in the and helped her celebrate day.

John J. Miller is going out in business very soon. He has the stock over to the auctioneer is going to be given to you at own prices.

Mrs. West, the woman who went to the Sears house last evening, was given a hearing before Justice Ralston. She admitted her guilt and was held in bonds of \$500 to the action of the grand jury and unable to give bond was in jail.

Grove the tailor is rushing work because his work gives satisfaction. If you have not tried you have missed one chance for the best. Don't miss another.

At the meeting Tuesday Helion Lodge No. 36, A. F. elected the following officers ensuing year: E. D. Han M.; J. H. Brown, S. W. Smith, J. W., C. M. Sanborn; Fred Gurius, secretary.

Nora--You can't expect to with face blemishes in a week. Keep on taking Rocky Mountain. You'll have a lovely complexion by Walter Doe & Co.

All kinds of shoes and winter wear of the best quality sold at J. A. Wright & Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Y the happy parents of twin and a girl, which arrived Mother and children are

Election of officers by Lodge K of P Monday

Mrs. Margaret Simond, aged 65 years, died at the home of her daughter about four miles west of town Saturday, Dec. 9, 1899. The funeral occurred at the home at 2 p. m. Monday with burial at Buckhorn cemetery.

Make your selection of silverware for Christmas, at Young's.

D. N. Loose & Co. guarantee every bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and will refund the money to any one who is not satisfied after using two-thirds of the contents. This is the best remedy in the world for lagrippe, coughs, colds, croup and whooping cough, and is pleasant and safe to take. It prevents any tendency of a cold to result in pneumonia.

Dick Nims was the victim of a happy birthday surprise by about thirty of his friends Saturday evening at his home, three miles northeast of this city. The evening was spent in games and dancing, which must have lasted to a late hour as some of the participants did not arrive home until the wee hours of morning.

We have some snap bargains in town property. If you are looking for an investment or a home write or call on Harvey & Fleming, Maquoketa, Iowa.

Mrs. J. C. Glaser was pleasantly surprised by the members of her lodge, Royal Neighbors, M. W. A., last Wednesday evening. About twenty-four ladies entered her home and deposited their baskets of edibles, announcing that they had come to spend the evening. Mrs. Glaser was the recipient of a fine lodge pin which she highly prizes as a token of esteem. The party had an enjoyable evening and a fine spread.

## HEALTH

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Last Tuesday evening at the regular meeting of Holton Lodge No. 36, A. F. & A. M., the following list of persons were elected officers: E. D. Hansen, W. M.; J. H. Brown, S. W.; Henry Smith, J. W.; C. M. Sanborn, Treas.; Fred Curius, Sec.

Christmas candles at Carsons.

If you will try our Monaca brand of coffee you will continue to use it—the best for the money ever offered in Maquoketa. J. A. WRIGHT & Co.

Hon. James Dunne, one of the old and highly respected citizens of Jackson county, died at his home in Otter Creek township at noon on Tuesday, Dec. 5, 1899. He was in his 77th year. He was one of the pioneers of the county and was well known throughout the county and state, having been one of the prominent politicians of Jackson county. He was at one time a member of the state legislature and a member of the board of supervisors of Jackson county and was always a hard worker in the democratic party, having affiliated with that party all his life. He always took an active part in county and state conventions, and kept himself posted on the political questions of the day. The funeral services were held at 10 o'clock Thursday morning at St. Lawrence church, Otter Creek, Revs. Father Chabby, Kelley and McNamara presiding. There was a large concourse of the friends present at the funeral.

J. D. Bridges, editor Lancaster (N. H.) Democrat, says, "One Minute Cough Cure is the best remedy for croup I ever used." Immediately relieves and cures coughs, colds, croup, asthma, pneumonia, bronchitis, la grippe and all throat and lung troubles. It prevents consumption. Scheib & Brown.

Christmas novelties, albums, bibles at Avery & Butterworth's.

Mr. and Mrs. Abe Hurst are nicely settled in their new home, the west half of Miss Shaws tract, West Pleasant street.

A present of a nice good watch will enable your friends to watch the old year out and the new year in. All watches guaranteed at Ems Young's.

Best German salve for skin diseases, cure, promptly cure all skin diseases, cuts, ulcers and wounds. Guaranteed remedy that has never failed. Beware of counterfeits. "I have used it for years and think it the best." HEMA Hamilton, Ottumwa, Iowa. Young's select.

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DR. S. J. KAY, M.D.

Washington Letter.

(From our regular correspondent.)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9, 1899.

The important events of the week in Congress have been the reading of the annual message of the President, and the action of the House upon the credentials of Roberts, the polygamist from Utah.

The general comments heard upon the executive communication are anything but flattering to its author. It is enormously long, containing more words than any previous annual message to Congress. But its language is dubious, lacking in force; and upon the important issues of the day, it falls far short of expectations. It leaves the Philippine question in the air; and it is apparent now that the President will not venture to put himself squarely on record, officially, in regard to this matter, prior to the national elections. His utterances to Congress are remarkably short of his speeches in the west, on his famous around-the-circle trip before the Ohio election. He now ventures nothing upon the imperialistic issue, beyond a statement, which no one disputes or has denied, that the insurrection must be ended, and that obligations incurred in the war with Spain for establishing order in territory acquired by this country, must be fulfilled. But upon the important question as to how this government shall govern the Asiatic possessions, what measure of liberty shall be given the Filipinos, the President is silent. His evasion of the issue is taken generally to mean that he is doubtful now himself about the American people's endorsement of the policy to hold permanently all the Philippines and to govern them by a colonial system similar to that of Great Britain.

The financial suggestions of Mr. McKinley have chilled the western Republicans, who cherished the hope that he would, nominally at least, adhere to the Republican platform of 1896 upon which he was elected, favoring larger use of silver, to be brought about by international agreement. Intelligent men have understood fully that this declaration was put in merely to propitiate certain sections like Indiana and Illinois where silver coinage is strong, even with Republicans. Now, however, the President comes out squarely for the establishing more firmly of a single gold standard, the increase of national bankers privileges, and authority for the Secretary of the Treasury to sell United States bonds on long or short time. As the present Secretary exercises his

Death of Hon. James Dunne.

Last Tuesday, Dec. 5th, 1899, at 12 o'clock, high noon, at his home in Otter Creek township, Jackson county, Iowa, the spirit of the subject of this sketch passed away. During his last hours on earth the deceased was surrounded by his devoted wife and children and his priest. He died peacefully and with an abiding faith in the future. He was born and reared a Catholic and was always loyal and true to his faith. The funeral services occurred at St. Lawrence's church, Otter Creek, on Thursday, Dec. 7th, 1899, at 10 a. m. The procession moved from the late home of the deceased a little after 9 o'clock and proceeded to the church, about two miles distant. It was a very long procession, numbering some 125 vehicles and was led by undertaker R. F. Hayes with hearse, the pall bearers preceding the hearse, and the mourners and friends following in carriages. The pall bearers were: J. J. Dunne, of Dubuque, J. C. Campbell, of Bellevue; M. Mahony, of Maquoketa; D. J. Gibbs, of Lamotte; John McCarthy and Levi Hutchins of Otter Creek. Ushers, A. P. Gibbs, and P. J. Nelson of Dubuque. The services were impressive and are termed solemn requiem, or high mass, and were celebrated by Revs. Father Kelley of Garry Owen, McNamara, of South Garry Owen and Clabby of Otter Creek. At the conclusion of these ceremonies Rev. Father Clabby delivered a brief discourse in which he dwelt upon the certainties of death and the necessity of always being fully prepared to go when the call comes. He spoke of the mortal remains then in his presence as those of a devout Catholic whose future happiness is assured and who died in the consciousness of eternal bliss. He said that while the soul and body had separated they would again be reunited in the final end. The body would return to dust; however, for purification and the soul would be purged of its sins before its final entry into the holy presence of its master. The services were listened to with close attention by the large congregation. The burial took place in the cemetery adjoining the church after a short ceremony at the grave.

Hon. James Dunne was born in Clonmore, Kingscounty, Ireland, January 21, 1823, and would therefore have been 77 years of age, had he lived until the 21st day of next month. At his home in Ireland he had the advantages of a good English education. In 1843, when but 20 years of age, and hearing the glowing reports of the vast resources of the United States, he emigrated to this country landing at New York. From the day of his landing he traveled toward Mexico, making his way through Pennsylvania, Maryland, Virginia, the Carolinas, Georgia, Alabama, Mississippi, Louisiana and Texas. He engaged in the business of raising and selling horses in the valleys of the Eastern range of mountains in Mexico. He witnessed the capture of Matamoras after the Mexican war opened. In 1853 he drove 480 head of horses from the San Fernanda mountains to Dulas, Texas. There were but three houses and a

A Good Thing.

There was organized Sunday afternoon, Dec. 3, by a few enthusiastic christian men of our city at the Methodist church, a society which was named "Maquoketa's Men's Bible Class." The motive of this society is to bring to the men the study of God's word and truths. The meeting for the present will be held in the basement of the Methodist church on Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. These meetings will be most attractive to those who attend. Singing will be a speciality. There will also be social, musical and athletic gatherings, besides the Sunday session, given at appointed times. This is a grand step towards obtaining a Y. M. C. A. for our city. Every man, both young and old, should join this society and work shoulder to shoulder with those who have already started. The following officers were elected:

- President.—H. P. Langridge.
- Vice President.—L. L. Riggs.
- Cor. Sec.—Edward McComb.
- Recording Sec.—Z. M. Holcomb.
- Treasurer.—John Tompkins.
- Librarian.—V. H. Selken.
- Choirster.—L. L. Riggs.
- Organist.—Frank Young.

Dr. Post, W. K. Maxwell and R. F. Hayes were appointed as a committee to draw up the constitution and by-laws. Next Sunday there will be a short business session. At this meeting the following committees will be appointed by the president: Membership, social, visiting, attendance, employment, athletic and devotional.

On Sunday afternoon, Dec. 17, we will hold our first session at the Methodist church in the basement at three o'clock. We will make it a most glorious meeting to those who attend.

H. P. LANGRIDGE, Pres.  
EDWARD McCOMB, Cor. Sec'y.

Literary Notes.

"The Child Brought up at Home" is the title of a very cleverly written manuscript which "The Cosmopolitan Magazine" prints in its December issue, as part of its series of Household Organization articles. More than four thousand mothers, scientists and specialists have already sent in manuscripts in competition for the prizes, amounting to nearly \$3,000.00, offered by "The Cosmopolitan Magazine" for articles for this series in connection with Household Organization, Family Customs, Care of Children, Care of the Sick, Care of the Teeth, et cetera.

TABLE TALK.

There is a holiday air about the December issue of Table Talk, and such a healthful, happy and helpful one that such articles as Miss Cornelia C. Belford's Christmas Dinners, and her economical directions for serving the new Menus for December, are valuable to the housekeeper who is in search of new and attractive dishes for her choicest dinner of the year. The table decorations given are helpful in her management of the table. For the home-makers who want the latest ideas to make bright the closing days of the old year, they will find in the article entitled the "Great Festival of Christmas," much that will interest them, and also in the department devoted to games, entertainments, etc. An article of especial value to all up-to-date housekeepers is entitled the "Etiquette of Serving a Table," by Mrs. Burton Kingsland, of New York, who is an authority. Miss Loretta's Chafing Disk is an article that will interest those who are fond of the chafing-disk. Table Talk is just what every woman wants every day. It teaches exhaustively the art of good cooking, of wise and economical living. Our readers can obtain a free sample copy of

comes out squarely for the establishment more firmly of a single gold standard, the increase of national bankers privileges, and authority for the Secretary of the Treasury to sell United States bonds on long or short time. As the present Secretary exercises his prerogative to buy bonds and turn cash into Wall street whenever the speculators are short of money, this new proposition implies a more flexible arrangement by which the Treasury will lend itself to the adjustment of rates to stock speculators at their behest, or as the whim may strike him, and both sell and buy bonds for the purpose.

The trust question is treated with little short of misstatement of laws and facts. The day prior to the reading of this message the United States Supreme Court, in the important case of the Addyston Pipe Co., decided that this trust was in violation of Federal statutes. There is no longer doubt that existing law is sufficient to reach the trusts. It is for the Attorney General of the United States, an official of McKinley's administration, to prosecute the offenders. But Attorney General Griggs comes from New Jersey, the great incorporation state of all the trusts operating in the country, and his thoughts and convictions are imbued naturally with pre-

judices in favor of the great capitalists' concerns. Griggs can not see means for prosecuting these combinations under the so called Sherman act, although the Supreme Court can convict when cases are brought before it. The easiest escape from such a situation is to ask for more legislation and this is the course of the President. With laws enough to cover the principal offenders, the trust-fed administration asks Congress to furnish more; and then it implies these matters will receive consideration. When the next Republican convention meets, it will no doubt denounce vigorously, in general terms, trusts and combinations for the purpose of stifling competition. The Republicans have lost none of their characteristic effrontery, as is shown very well in the latest message of their chief representative.

No suggestion is made for lessening the burdens of the standing army, but on the contrary, between the lines can be read the purpose to establish it permanently. If the President actually believes the insurrection in the Philippines is practically ended, why is no hope extended that soon the army can be reduced, and a portion at least of the present burden of \$120,000,000 for this army can be taken off the shoulders of the tax payers.

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#### A GREAT CHRISTMAS NUMBER.

The Christmas number of The Saturday Evening Post marks a new departure in periodical literature—the first successful attempt to give for five cents, stories, articles and pictures by the same writers and artists who make the high-cost magazine. For example, the opening story in the Christmas Post is by Rudyard Kipling, and the tale that of Private Ortheris and his dog, Garm; Joel Chandler Harris tells "Why the Confederacy Failed," a stirring story of the Secret Service; and Ian Maclaren, Justin McCarthy, M. P., John Luther Long, M. E. M. Davis, W. C. Cope and W. S. Harwood contribute stories and articles. The verse in the number is by Edwin Markham, Frank L. Stanton, Mary E. Wilkins and Clinton Scollard. The half-tone page headings, illustrating Christmas in History, are by Charles Louis Hinton, Frank and Joe Leyendecker, W. S. Lukens, George Gibbs, F. L. Withian, Emlen McConnell and Harrison Fisher. The handsome colored cover is by Henry Hutt. The Christmas Post will be on all news-stands December 21.

#### BLIND MAN AND HIS DOG.

He Is Safely Led Through a City's Streets by a Faithful Canine.

There is no more intelligent, patient, and faithful friend of man among dumb animals than the dog. This is not a particularly new thought, but it is one the truth of which was forcibly impressed upon the writer by an incident that happened upon the street one day. I met a blind man nearing a crossing and he was led by a handsome dog of one of the hunting breeds.

"Look out there," I said to him, "there is a step at this crossing."

"Thank you very kindly, sir," he said, "but you need not have bothered about it. The dog would have told me of it in time."

It was true. The dog would have told him. He had the dog harnessed something after the fashion of the harness that is put on a woman's pet poodle. He held a small leading line from this harness in his left hand. When the dog came to a crossing where it was necessary to step up it pulled the string to the right. If the step was downward it pulled the string to the left. It gave warning barks at unexpected danger and ran back and tugged backward when a street car or wagon was too near a street crossing to permit getting over safely.

The blind man told me that the dog had never allowed him to wander into danger. He was never injured on the street since the dog has been leading him. He never got the wrong signal from the dog. He goes through the city without the slightest fear of any accident that is within the power of the dog to prevent. *Des Moines News.*

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In the House the message was listened to impatiently. The thousands who filled the galleries were there to witness the proceedings in the Roberts case. They were bored by the long, tedious message.

Without party division, the House voted not to admit Roberts on his unquestionably perfect certificate of election as a representative. The comments heard from the leaders on both sides indicate very clearly that they were not at all satisfied with their votes upon the question. They recognize, unanimously, that a most dangerous precedent has been established in refusing to admit any man presenting regular credentials, a precedent that may be invoked hereafter to great injury of a state, by unscrupulous majorities in the House. It can be stated, moreover, that there were not six men of the nearly 400 in the House who did not recognize the fact that the proper procedure in the case would have been to adopt the resolution offered by the Democratic leader, Mr. Richardson, proposing to admit Roberts temporarily upon his credentials, and then refer to the committee on the judiciary for immediate report the charges of personal disqualification. Roberts would have been expelled under that method, beyond the shadow of a doubt. E. G. S.

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Coughs tell you that there is something wrong in throat or lungs. It is the cause, not the cough, that you must look after. Morley's Honey Pectoral searches out the cause of trouble, it heals the inflamed surfaces, stops the irritation, loosens the cough and cures you thoroughly. Free trial bottles at Scheib & Young's.

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This applies to two classes of people. Those who are interested for the purpose of investment or speculation, and those who for any reason desire to change their business locations. To any person in either class the new towns located and owned by the Chicago & Northwestern Railway Company along its new lines of railroad now being constructed, offer the most tempting inducements. Prices of lots in these towns are still absolutely on the ground floor, and are sure winners either for investors or locators. The Northwestern also owns nearly one-half million acres of splendid timberland, adapted to general farming, which is for sale at very low prices. Write for information to J. F. CLEVELAND, Land Commissioner, Chicago & Northwestern Railway Company, Chicago.

**Try Grain-O! Try Grain-O!**

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"LOOK OUT THERE," I SAID TO HIM, "there is a step at this crossing."  
"Thank you very kindly, sir," he said, "but you need not have bothered about it. The dog would have told me of it in time."  
It was true. The dog would have told him. He had the dog harnessed something after the fashion of the harness that is put on a woman's pet poodle. He held a small leading line from this harness in his left hand. When the dog came to a crossing where it was necessary to step up it pulled the string to the right. If the step was downward it pulled the string to the left. It gave warning barks at unexpected danger and ran back and tugged backward when a street car or wagen was too near a street crossing to permit getting over safely.

The blind man told me that the dog had never allowed him to wander into danger. He was never injured on the street since the dog has been leading him. He never got the wrong signal from the dog. He goes through the city without the slightest fear of any accident that is within the power of the dog to prevent.—Pittsburg News.

**DOG PRINTS A NEWSPAPER.**

Odd Motor Power Employed in the Office of a Western Paper.

A dog that runs the entire machinery of a printing office is a novelty. Yet there are many persons who can testify that Plymouth, Wis., possesses such an animal. Gypsy is the name of this remarkable dog-engine, and he is the property of Messrs. Carroll & Bowers, proprietors of the Plymouth Review, Gyp, as he is known to the children of the town, is a gigantic, 2 year-old English mastiff, weighing 140 pounds, who has been taught to furnish the motive power for running the presses of the Review office. A large wooden wheel, eight feet in diameter, was built expressly for Gyp's accommodation. At the word of command the intelligent canine enters the wheel and begins his work. To the wheel is attached a belt connecting with the presses in the next room. In two hours Gyp has run off an edition of 1,000 papers on a Preuty power press. He also runs a Jones-Gorden half medium job press, and in fact all the presses of the office except the small card press, which goes by foot power. Gyp runs off the weekly edition of the Review regularly and the job presses daily. He seems to enjoy his work, and never has to be driven to his station, but on the contrary shows an unwillingness to stop when ordered to come out of the big wheel.—Chicago Times Herald.

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