

Standard Form For Members of the Legislature

Name of Representative Nelson, William George Senator _____
Represented Davis County, Iowa

1. Birthday and place 4 June 1842 Kayttemolle, Indiana in
Bush County, Indiana

2. Marriage (s) date place
Snow James White 14 Sept 1871 Mount Pleasant, Iowa

3. Significant events for example:

- A. Business _____
- B. Civic responsibilities _____
- C. Profession Minister

4. Church membership Methodist Episcopal

5. Sessions served 12th General Assembly 1868

6. Public Offices

- A. Local _____
- B. State _____
- C. National _____

7. Death 1 May 1923 Los Angeles, California; Buried Inglewood Cemetery, Inglewood, California

8. Children Paul White; Olive P.; Henry Drummond (died young);
Grace Joy (died young)

9. Names of parents Everey and Ann (Witt) Nelson

Wilson, William George

10. Education

11. Degrees

Graduate of Kellogg College, Mont Pleasant, Iowa; graduate of
Boston School of Theology, Boston, Massachusetts

12. Other applicable information

- As a small child the family moved from Indiana to Iowa.
- His wife, Susan Jane, died 4 Oct 1900 in Los Angeles, California
- Military service - Civil War - Company A, 3rd Cavalry, attained rank of
Captain.

having special sermons:
E. church Rev. M. E. Neth-
er preach on "The Model
the morning service. At
tian church Rev. C. W.
subject will be "The Salt of
h" at the morning hour. Rev.
Baptist minister, will have
at the morning ser-
th. God and Fatherhood."
son, pastor of the Nazarene
ill have an appropriate talk
orning, his subject not yet
ted. The Presbyterians will
appropriate services Sunday.
being out of town, we were
learn the topic of the ser-

TER SURVIVES CRITICAL OPERATION

ter underwent a very criti-
on at St. Joseph's Hospital
ay. It was necessary for
r to submit to the knife
minor operation was per-
or three weeks ago. He
getting along nicely.

SERVICES OF S. JESOP HELD TODAY

services were conducted
nains of Mrs. Maggie May
Thursday afternoon at
at two o'clock. Interment
n the Mars Hill cemetery
was born May 23, 1888 and
She is survived by
d and a large family of
ren.

MRS. WILL CREE Y LEAVE BLOOMFIELD

Mrs. Cree are expecting to
long for Harbor Beach,
visit Mrs. Cree's parents.
resigned her position as
ol nurse. They are not
on a location and may
is city. The many friends
Mrs. Cree hope they re-
omfield to settle perman-

I OF JAMES LYON

ions died at the home of
ley, of Lebanon, Sunday
was buried Tuesday. Mr.
een a life long resident of
Van Buren counties and
years lived just north of
or the past nine years he
s home with Beryl Nalley.
en sick only about two
death came.—Milton Her-

MEETING

s of the Presbyterian
hold a meeting with Mrs.
next Tuesday afternoon

STAN SCIENCE

Science services are held
ning at 11 o'clock at the
of building west door

also the codling moth, canker-
worm and curculio.

It is quite important that this spray
be properly applied in order to con-
trol the codling moth, the larvae of
the first brood of which enter the
apple thru the blossom end, and
cause so much wormy fruit.

The object in spraying at this time
is to force the spray material into the
open calyx before it closes. To ac-
complish this result it is necessary
to use plenty of pressure and a fine
mist like spray. Be sure and use
plenty of material, large trees will
require about 5 gallons of spray per
tree.

Tree not bearing fruit this year,
including all young trees, should re-
ceive this spray also, to prevent fun-
gous diseases and leaf-eating insects
from injuring the foliage.

Use the same material for cherries,
American and Hybrid plums as for
apples. Apply just after the blossom
shucks have fallen, or in case of the
farm orchard, these may be sprayed
at the same time as the apples.

REV. W. G. WILSON PASSES AWAY AT HOME IN CALIF.

Mrs. A. O. Power, of this city re-
ceived word that her brother Rev.
W. G. Wilson died at his home in Los
Angeles, Calif., Tuesday, May 1 from
heart trouble. Rev. Wilson had been
ill since the first of the year. Rev.
Wilson was just two weeks older
than Mr. Power, enlisted in the Civil
War with him in Co. A 3rd Iowa Cav-
alry of which company he was made
Captain, and served with him four
years in the conflict. Rev. Wilson is
survived by two children, Paul Wil-
son, now in Cuba, and one daughter,
Miss Olive Wilson, instructor of music
in the public schools of Los Angeles.
Mrs. Wilson died two or three years
ago.

CRADLE ROLL SERVICE

Cradle Roll services will be held at
the Bible school hour, 10 a. m. at the
Christian church, Sunday.

Song—Open the Door for the Chil-
dren.

Prayer by Cradle Roll.
Welcome Song.
Reading—Otto Wray Warner.
Solo—Icle Francis.
Reading—Claude Smith.
Reading—Josephine Baldrige.
Duett—Bob Burchett and Geraldine
Kline.

Reading—Dorothy Reeves.
Reading—Rex Jenkins.
Presentation of Promotion Certifi-
cates—Mrs. Eulala Rayburn.
Offering.
Solo.
Prayer.

MONTHLY MISSIONARY MEETING

The regular monthly meeting of the
Missionary society of the Presbyter-
ian church will be held at the church
May 16th at 2 o'clock. Every lady of
the church is urged to be present.

James Hanlin, second lieutenant, enlisted August 30, 1861; appointed fourth sergeant, September, 7, 1861, promoted to third sergeant, September 20, 1861, promoted to first sergeant, June 30, 1862, promoted to second lieutenant, September 1, 1862.

David Bradbury, first sergeant, enlisted August 30, 1861, appointed first sergeant September 7, 1861, wounded at Pea Ridge and reduced to ranks at own request June 30, 1862, promoted sergeant September 1, 1862, promoted first lieutenant December 20, 1864; Cyrus Cunningham, first sergeant, enlisted August 30, 1861, appointed first corporal September 7, 1861, wounded at Pea Ridge March 7, 1862, promoted first sergeant July 31, 1862; Amos Chambers, second sergeant, enlisted August 30, 1861, appointed sergeant September 7, 1861, wounded at Pea Ridge; Charles B. Woodford, third sergeant, enlisted August 30, 1861, appointed sergeant September 7, 1861, reduced to ranks at own request, February 22, 1862; William Dodd, third sergeant, enlisted August 30, 1861, appointed third corporal September 7, 1861, promoted to third sergeant July 30, 1862; Robert T. Wishard, quarter master sergeant, enlisted August 30, 1861, appointed sixth corporal September 7, 1861, promoted to fourth sergeant September 20, 1861, promoted to quarter master sergeant June 30, 1862; William G. Wilson, fourth sergeant, enlisted private August 30, 1861, appointed fourth sergeant July 31, 1862, promoted captain September 29, 1864; W. O. Crawford, fifth sergeant, enlisted August 30, 1861, appointed sergeant September 20, 1861, killed at Pea Ridge; John W. Young, fifth sergeant, enlisted August 30, 1861, appointed second corporal September 7, 1861, promoted to sergeant July 31, 1862; Alexander Breeding, sixth sergeant, enlisted August 30, 1861, appointed second corporal July 31, 1862, promoted to sixth sergeant September 1, 1862.

Eleazer Small, first corporal, enlisted August 30, 1861, promoted July 31, 1862; Jasper Bromley, second corporal, enlisted August 30, 1861, promoted to sixth corporal September 30, 1861, promoted to fifth corporal January 17, 1862, promoted to fourth corporal March 7, 1862, promoted to second corporal September 1, 1862; Evans Scott, third corporal, enlisted August 30, 1861, appointed seventh corporal September 7, 1861, promoted to sixth corporal January 17, 1862, promoted to fifth corporal March 7, 1862, promoted to third corporal July 31, 1862, reduced to ranks; Daniel W. French, third corporal, enlisted August 30, 1861, appointed eighth corporal January 17, 1862, promoted to seventh corporal March 7, 1862, promoted to fifth corporal July 31, 1862, promoted to third corporal September 1, 1862; William J. Elrod, fourth corporal, enlisted August 30, 1861, appointed to fourth corporal September 7, 1861, killed at Pea Ridge; Albert Power, fourth cor-

Alexander Breeding, third sergeant, enlisted January 1, 1864, appointed April 14, 1864; Albert Power, fifth sergeant, enlisted January 1, 1864, appointed corporal February 1, 1864, promoted to fifth sergeant April 13, 1864.

James Daniels, corporal, enlisted January 1, 1864, appointed February 1, 1864.

Privates.—The following men enlisted January 1, 1864: James F. Baldridge, Amos Chambers, John M. Clark, William Centers, John Elliott, Thomas Elliott, died at St. Louis May 2, 1864; Joseph T. French, George W. Grosvenor, Wesley M. Hardman, John Hazlewood, Greenville Hazlewood, John M. Lane, James M. Legg, Alfred M. Mederis, James M. Nelson, John S. Phye, Benjamin H. Tompkins, James Vanwy, William G. Wilson, commissioned second lieutenant March 1, 1864, commissioned captain September 29, 1864; Matthias Werts, Andrew Yates.

COMPANY D.

George Curkendall, captain, commissioned June 15, 1863.

William C. Niblack, first lieutenant, commissioned June 15, 1863, resigned August 24, 1864.

Bryant O. Oliver, second lieutenant, commissioned June 15, 1863, died at St. Louis April 7, 1864.

Daniel S. Bell, sergeant, enlisted January 1, 1864; Nathaniel Barnes, sergeant, enlisted January 1, 1864; Isaiah Harris, sergeant, enlisted January 1, 1864; John S. Morgan, sergeant, enlisted January 1, 1864.

Thomas J. Miller, first lieutenant, enlisted January 1, 1864, appointed sergeant February 1, 1864, promoted to second lieutenant April 9, 1864, promoted to first lieutenant August 25, 1864.

Benjamin B. Pearce, sergeant, enlisted January 1, 1864.

John A. Pickler, second lieutenant, enlisted January 1, 1864, appointed commissary sergeant February 1, 1864, promoted to second lieutenant August 25, 1864.

Albert G. Clyman, corporal, enlisted January 1, 1864; John Reeder, corporal, enlisted January 1, 1864; John H. Wheelis, corporal, enlisted January 1, 1864.

Charles H. Hatch, blacksmith, enlisted January 1, 1864.

Privates.—The following men enlisted January 1, 1864: Alfred Ben Robert A. Buzzard, killed October 25, 1864; Lewis G. Cyphers, Albert Harris, William Hughs, John J. Kely, E. R. Kirkpatrick, William O Kurth, Elias W. Luddeth, Merrill Morgan, James D. Montgomery, Da H. Murdock, William R. Proctor, John L. Wolf.

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REV. W. G. WILSON

Rev. W. G. Wilson was born June 4, 1842, at Fayetteville, Indiana, and entered into rest in Los Angeles, California, May 1, 1923. While yet a little child the family moved from Indiana to Iowa. He was converted in early youth, and his path was the path of the just, shining more and more unto the perfect day.

The funeral services were held from the University Methodist church of Los Angeles in charge of the pastor, Dr. W. A. Brown. Dr. Neely of the University of Southern California led in prayer, and Rev. J. C. Kendrick and Rev. C. R. Norton, retired members of the Iowa Conference and long time friends of the deceased, spoke words of appreciation.

Dr. Wilson was graduated from the Iowa Wesleyan College, and also from the Boston School of Theology. He was a diligent student and made



it his daily habit to study the Bible in the original language.

He was married September 14, 1871, to Miss Susan Jane White, daughter of Rev. James White, a pioneer preacher of the Iowa Conference. Four children were born to them, Henry Drummond, Grace Joy, Olive P. and Paul White Wilson. Henry and Grace entered into rest in early life. Miss Olive is a teacher in the Manual Arts High School of Los Angeles, and Paul is in the Medical Corps of the United States Navy. His wife preceded him to the better world, having died in Los Angeles October 4, 1920.

Dr. Wilson was a strong and useful preacher of the word, but was pre-eminently a Christian pastor. Like his Divine Master, he gave special at-

tenion to the poor, the obscure and the neglected. His pastoral ministrations were expressed not only in words of sympathy but also in deeds of helpfulness. In his preaching he exalted Christ as a mighty saviour and dwelt much upon the spiritual aspect of religion, but he was not a mystic. He took a deep interest in civic affairs and struck many hard blows against wickedness in high as well as in low places.

He served his country as a soldier during the Civil War in the 3rd Iowa Cavalry. He entered the army a Christian and when discharged was a Christian still. His loyalty to the flag did not dim his loyalty to the cross.

There was no race prejudice in his soul. He saw in every one an individual for whom Christ died and he had an unquenchable desire to see them saved. Love was the controlling passion of his soul.

His last illness was painful and protracted but he endured as seeing Him who is invisible. His last hours were filled with words of praise and prayer. The loved ones by his bed at the last will carry forever the memory of his words of trustfulness into which he breathed his soul in prayer. His last words were "Blessed Jesus" and he fell asleep.

His body rests by the side of that of his sainted wife in Inglewood cemetery. This is one of the beauty spots of Southern California, in sight of the mountains and in hearing of the manifold voices of the sea.

REV. A. V. KENDRICK

Americus V. Kendrick was born in Brown County, Illinois, June 30, 1846, and died in Long Beach, Calif., July 23, 1923. He left to mourn his death three sons: Rolla of St. Louis, Mo., Alva, of Omaha, Neb., Wm. R. of Des Moines, Iowa, and one daughter, Mrs. C. W. Chase of Long Beach, Calif. He also left three grand children and one brother, Rev. J. C. Kendrick of Pasadena, Calif.

When a boy nine years old his parents moved to Iowa and settled in Marion county where the boy Americus grew to manhood. His father died the next year after moving to Iowa. The winters were cold and times were hard, so the widowed mother and her children did not have an easy time but suffered the privations of those pioneer days.

In 1863 he enlisted in Company A, 33rd Iowa Infantry and served to the close of the Civil War. He was an enthusiastic member of the Grand Army of the Republic and held important offices local, state, and national in this organization. He was also a member of the Sons of the Revolution; his grandfather, William Kendrick, being a soldier in the Revolutionary War from the State of Virginia. His father, Daniel B. Kendrick, was a member of Abraham Lincoln's Company in the Black Hawk War.

Soon after returning from the army in 1865 he was united in marriage with Miss Martha A. Rodgers who preceded him to the better world, having died in 1920.

In the winter of 1867 he was converted in a revival held by Rev. R. B. Allender, pastor of the Attica circuit. This revival continued from December



You searched for **William G. Wilson** in **Iowa**

U.S. Civil War Soldiers, 1861-1865

Name:	William G. Wilson
Side:	Union
Regiment	Iowa
State/Origin:	
Regiment Name:	3 Iowa Cavalry
Regiment Name Expanded:	3rd Regiment, Iowa Cavalry
Company:	A
Rank In:	Private
Rank In Expanded:	Private
Rank Out:	Captain
Rank Out Expanded:	Captain
Film Number:	M541 roll 29
Source Information:	
National Park Service. <i>U.S. Civil War Soldiers, 1861-1865</i> [database on-line]. Provo, UT, USA: The Generations Network, Inc., 2007. Original data: National Park Service, Civil War Soldiers and Sailors System, online < http://www.itd.nps.gov/cwss/ >, acquired 2007.	
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This database contains the names of approximately 6.3 million soldiers who served in the American Civil War. In addition to their names, information that may be listed for each soldier includes regiment, company, and rank. Learn more...	



You searched for **William G. Wilson** in **Iowa**

Iowa State Census Collection, 1836-1925

Name:	William G Wilson
Birth Year:	abt 1843
Birth Place:	Indiana
Gender:	Male
Marital Status:	Married
Census Date:	1885
Residence State:	Iowa
Residence County:	Lee
Locality:	Keokuk
Roll:	IA1885_218
Line:	25
Family Number:	187
Neighbors:	View others on page
Household Members:	
Name	Age
William G Wilson	42
Susan J Wilson	33
Henry D Wilson	11
Olivia P Wilson	6
Amanda Isenberg	18

Source Information:

Ancestry.com. *Iowa State Census Collection, 1836-1925* [database on-line]. Provo, UT, USA: The Generations Network, Inc., 2007. Original data: Microfilm of Iowa State Censuses, 1856, 1885, 1895, 1905, 1915, 1925 as well various special censuses from 1836-1897 obtained from the State Historical Society of Iowa via Heritage Quest.

Description:

This database contains Iowa state censuses for the following years: 1856, 1885, 1895, 1905, 1915, and 1925. It also includes some head of household censuses and other special censuses from 1836-1897. Information available for an individual will vary according to the census year and the information requested on the census form. Some of the information contained in this database though includes: name, age, gender, race, birthplace, marital status, and place of enumeration. [Learn more...](#)

1910 United States Federal Census

Name: **William G Wilson**

Age in 1910: **69**
[67]

Estimated Birth Year: **abt 1841**
[abt 1843]

Birthplace: **Indiana**

Relation to Head of House: **Head**

Father's Birth Place: **Delaware**

Mother's Birth Place: **Delaware**

Spouse's Name: **Susan J**

Home in 1910: **Benton, Keokuk, Iowa**

Marital Status: **Married**

Race: **White**

Gender: **Male**

Neighbors: [View others on page](#)

Household Members:	Name	Age
	William G Wilson	69
	Susan J Wilson	59

Source Citation: Year: 1910; Census Place: Benton, Keokuk, Iowa; Roll T624_409; Page: 8B; Enumeration District: 44; Image: 535.

Source Information:
Ancestry.com. 1910 United States Federal Census [database on-line]. Provo, UT, USA: The Generations Network, Inc., 2006. For details on the contents of the film numbers, visit the following NARA web page: NARA Original data: United States of America, Bureau of the Census. *Thirteenth Census of the United States, 1910*. Washington, D.C.: National Archives and Records Administration, 1910. T624. 1,178 rolls.

Description:
This database is an index to the head of households enumerated in the 1910 United States Federal Census, the Thirteenth Census of the United States. In addition, each indexed name is linked to actual images of the 1910 Federal Census. The information recorded in the census includes: name, relationship to head of family, age at last birthday, sex, color or race, whether single, married, widowed, or divorced, birthplace, birthplace of father and mother, and more. [Learn more...](#)

Department of Iowa
Grand Army of the Republic

Veteran's name Wilson, William G. War

Residence Muscatine Battles, etc.

Occupation Minister Nearest relatives

Date birth Place Ind Father Nativity

Date death Cause Place Place burial Mother Nativity

War record Capt. A 3 Iowa Cav.
Rank Company Regiment State Organization
(Vet) Age 21 Res Davis Co
n Ind
Enlisted Aug 31 and must Sept 7, '61
Date Place
Prom 5th Sergt June 30, '62.
. . . 2nd Sergt Feb 25, '63;
taken pris May 1, '63, La
Grange, Ark; exch and ret
to Co Oct 12, '63; re-enl
Discharged and re-must Jan 1, '64; prom
Date Place
2nd Lieut. Capt. M. O.
Aug 9, 1865, Atlanta, Ga

Wife
Children

Sources
Roster Iowa Soldiers: Cav/ Ex-Sols
Iowa 1886: Keokuk/ Desc. Book Post
#231

Department of Iowa
Grand Army of the Republic

Veteran's name Wilson, William G
Offices of honor in G. A. R.

Record Membership and Dues Paid

Post name Shelter Norman
Tr. 31.D '91
Post No. 231(196)
Place Muscatine
Date Joined 7 J1 '88
Age 45

Year	Date Paid	Amount	Year	Date Paid	Amount
Member-at-Large					

Suspended

Died