

Standard Form For Members of the Legislature

Name of Representative Winkler, Josiah Senator _____

Represented Lee County, Iowa

1. Birthday and place ca. 1810

2. Marriage (s) date place

3. Significant events for example:

A. Business

B. Civic responsibilities

C. Profession Farmer

4. Church membership

5. Sessions served 5th General Assembly 1854

6. Public Offices

A. Local

B. State

C. National

7. Death 21 May 1855 Lee County, Iowa; Buried Pioneer Cemetery, Lee County, Iowa

8. Children

9. Names of parents

Hinkle, Josiah

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10. Education _____

11. Degrees _____

12. Other applicable information _____

The Gate City.

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KEOKUK, IOWA: WEDNESDAY, MAY 30, 1855.

No. 76.

J. & J. K. LLOYD,
WHOLESALE GROCERS,
Halls And Iron, of all Sizes,
CASTINGS, &c.,
Produce, Forwarding and Commission Merchants,
Hamilton, Hancock County, Illinois.
July 31, 1855.—d&w

HORACE H. AYRES,
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DRUGGIST, Main
street, between Second and Third, Keokuk,
Iowa. Try the sign of the Big Mortar. &c.
April 11, 1855.—d&w

D. A. JANUARY & CO.,
145, Second Street,
ST. LOUIS.
Wholesale Grocery.
Sept. 22, '54. [d&w820]

K. BRUCE. WM. G. DANIELS.
DEALERS IN
Groceries, Provisions and Produce,
No. 90, Main, bet. Third and Fourth Streets,
KEOKUK, IOWA. d&w

MARK HAMILTON,
WHOLESALE GROCER,
DEALER IN
FOREIGN WINES AND LIQUORS
AND MANUFACTURER OF ALL KINDS OF
Domestic Liquors and Bottled Whiskey,
NO. 141, SECOND STREET,
St. Louis, Mo. [d&w820]
Sept. 22, '54.

B. B. HINMAN & CO.,
Forwarding and Commission Merchants,
GENERAL STEAM BOAT AGENTS,
AND DEALERS IN
Boat Stores & Groceries,
LEVEE, NEAR PACKET DEPOT, KEOKUK:
April 11, 1855. dlf

HESSEY & MILLS,
Real Estate Brokers and Auc-
tioneers,
North side of Main St., between 2d and 3d,
KEOKUK, IOWA.
HAVE constantly for sale a large amount of
property in different parts of the city.—
Persons wishing to sell or buy are invited to
call.
Sales daily at their rooms.
April 25, 1855. dlf

H. WORTER. J. TEMPLIN. T. J. WORTER.
Worster, Templin & Co.,
IMPORTERS OF
DRY GOODS,
And Dealers in
AMERICAN WOOLENS & COTTONS,
South-west Corner of Main & Fourth Sts.,
Keokuk, Iowa.
Feb. 2, 1855. wly

A. SHAW,
FAMILY GROCER,
North side Main, between 7th & 8th sts.
Keeps all kinds of fresh and cheap Groceries and
Provisions for family use.
Keokuk, Feb. 21, 1855. dly

Dental Notice.
Dr. J. K. RICKY, Enters notice
Having returned from the East, will
be happy to wait on his friends.
Having a large stock of Teeth, from
the best manufacturers can please

1855.



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**KEOKUK AND ROCK ISLAND
RAILROAD MAIL LINE STEAMERS.**
THE TWO FAST STEAMERS
J. McKee and Ben Campbell.
Now making Daily trips, connecting at Rock
Island with the Cars for the East, and with the
Daily Mail Packets for Galena and Saint Paul,
and at Keokuk with the Great Mail Line Steam-
ers.
JEANIE DEANS, Westerner, Keokuk and Die Ver-
non, For St. Louis.
J. McKEE, Captain LEON DONOR.
Leaves Davenport and Rock Island every Mon-
day, Wednesday and Friday Evenings for Keo-
kuk. Returning, leaves Keokuk every Tuesday,
Thursday and Saturday Evenings.
BEN CAMPBELL, Captain R. F. BARTLETT,
Leaves Davenport and Rock Island every Tues-
day, Thursday and Saturday Evenings. Return-
ing, leaves Keokuk every Wednesday, Friday
and Sunday Evenings.
FOR FREIGHT OR PASSAGE, inquire on Board,
or of
T. HEAIGHT, Agent,
March, April, & 3d. Keokuk.

1855.



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**ST. LOUIS AND KEOKUK MAIL LINE
STEAMERS.**
THIS popular line of steamers will make regu-
lar daily trips as usual throughout the sea-
son, connecting at Keokuk with the regular daily
mail packets to Rock Island, Galena and St.
Paul, running in connection with the Railroads
to Chicago and the East.
The line is at present composed of the steam-
ers DIE VERNON, WESTERNER, JEANIE DEANS
and KEOKUK, whose names alone are a sufficient
guaranty of their speed and accommodations.
March 5, 1855. dlfm

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD.

THE Great Central Route, connecting the At-
lantic cities with Western, Northwestern and
Southwestern States, by a continuous Rail-
way direct. This road also connects at Pitts-
burg with daily line of Steamers to all ports on
the Western Rivers, and at Cleveland and San-
dusky with Steamers to all ports on the North-
western Lakes making the most direct, cheapest
and reliable route by which FREIGHT, CHEAP
can be forwarded to and from the Great West.
NAMES BETWEEN PHILADELPHIA AND PITTSBURG.
First Class—Boats, Shoes,
Dry Goods, (in boxes) Fur, 75 c. per 100lb.
Fruit, &c.
2d Class—Books and Station-
ery, Dry Goods (in boxes), 60 c. per 100lb.
Hardware, Leather, Wool,
3d Class—Annies, Bagging,
Bacon and Pork (in bulk), 50 c. per 100lb.
Hemp, &c.
4th Class—Coffee, Fish, Bacon
and Pork (packed) Lard, 40 c. per 100lb.
and Lard Oil.
In shipping Goods from any point East of
Philadelphia, be particular to mark package "via
Pennsylvania Railroad." All Goods consigned
to the Agents of this Road at Philadelphia or
Pittsburg, will be forwarded without detention.
FREIGHT AGENTS.—Moses Potter, Boston; J.
L. Elliott, N. York; E. J. Snedder, Philadelphia;
Magraw & Kroes, Baltimore; Geo. C. Francis-
cus, Pittsburg; Sprague & Brown, Cincinnati;
Ohio J. & Moorehead, Louisville, Ky.; R.
C. Melburn, Madison, Ind.; Ratcliff & Co., St.
Louis; Mo J. S. Mitchell & Son, Evansville,
Indiana.

H. H. HOUSTON,
General Freight Agent, Philadelphia.

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD.

IVINS HOUSE
CORNER OF JOHNSON AND FIRST STS.

Charles G. Buncell.
THE undersigned takes pleasure in an-
nouncing that he has taken this very
popular House and made a complete renovation
throughout the entire premises. He is now pre-
pared to receive the patronage of the public, and
believes he can meet the wants of all who desire
a good House.
He hopes, by a close application to the busi-
ness and attention to the many wants of the
traveller, to merit and obtain a share of patron-
age.
Baggage taken to and from boats free of
charge.
CHAS. G. BUNCELL.
April 8, 1855. dlf

NEW GOODS.
2 doz English straw Bonnets;
1 case assorted Parasols;
40 doz Gent's Half Hose, assorted.
80 doz Ladies Hose, do
10 pieces Berages;
50 pairs Ladies Under-sleeves.
8 pieces poplin;
20 pieces dotted Swiss;
5 doz assorted colored Kid Gloves;
25 pieces shawls.
Just received, by
MAY 18 '54.—d&w H. D. WOODWARD.

J. T. MANNY, GEO. L. DRAKE, WM. DOWNING,
Boston. St. Louis. St. Louis.
MANNY, DRAKE & CO.
WHOLESALE DEALERS IN
BOOTS AND SHOES,
No. 134, Main Street,
ST. LOUIS, MO.
ARE now receiving a complete stock, suitable
for the spring trade.
March 6, 1855. 2nd

Atina Insurance Co. of Hartford Conn.
Capital \$500,000.
Atina Insurance Co. Life Department.
Capital \$150,000.
Hartford Fire Insurance Co.
Capital \$200,000.
**Merchants, Fire and Marine Insurance Com-
pany of Covington, Kentucky.**
Chartered Capital \$500,000.
THE subscriber is Agent for the above sub-
stantial Companies, and will issue Fire, Life
and Marine Policies on application, at the lowest
rates of responsible Companies.
Wm. W. BELKNAP,
Over Book Store of R. B. Ogden.
May 2, 1855. dlfm

Carriage Painting and Trimming.
THE undersigned having rented the second
story of the Plow and Wagon Factory (Main
and 12th Streets) designs carrying on the Car-
riage Painting Business in all its branches.
He is confident that he can give entire satisfac-
tion and hopes to merit and receive a share of
public patronage.
April 10, 1855. dlfm W. H. FARLEY.

At the Two New Lime Kilns,
FOOT OF FOURTH STREET.
THE subscribers keep constantly on hand
large supply of the best quality of Lime.
Orders may be left at C. Oberlin's Main St.
between 2d and 3d.
Price per barrel, 65 cts at the Kiln, or 70 cts
if delivered.
JOHN ZWART & CO.
Keokuk, May 1, 1855. dlfm

T. L. MCKENNY. M. H. RUNNER.
McKenny & Runner
For the transaction of the Drug business in
all its branches. They expect to keep on hand
a general and well selected assortment of Pure
Drugs, Chemicals, Perfumery, Paints, Oils, &c.

Ottumwa House.
WAPELLO COUNTY, IOWA.

THE undersigned having recently pur-
chased the above House, would respect-
fully inform the traveling community and
the public generally that he has refitted and
thoroughly renovated the House, and is now pre-
pared to offer as good accommodations as the
country will afford to all those who may favor
him with a call; his constant attention will be
given to render the stay of all comfortable. His
House being large and commodious he flatters
himself that he can give general satisfaction to
his guests.
Connected with this House is
A Good and Commodious Stable,
Where will be kept at all times a good supply
of Oats, Corn and Timothy Hay, and a trusty
and efficient Outfit.
Ottumwa, May 7, 1855. w&lawdlf THOS. G. GIVEN.

LUMBER.
AT THE PINE MILL.
THE subscribers have constantly on hand a
supply of
Dressed Flooring,
Also, FENCING BOARDS and FENCING PICKETS,
Siding, and a general assortment of dimension
stuff.
Mill and Lumber Yard at the foot of Second
street, Keokuk, Iowa.
April 7, 1855. dimkly. HIATT & HARBINE.

JAMES REYNOLDS,
Wholesale and Retail Druggist,
Mechanic's Block North side of Main St.,
KEOKUK, IOWA.

HAVING made arrangements for a per-
manent business in the above line, I am
now offering to the city and country trade
a large and well selected stock of
Drugs, Medicines, Poisons, Dyes, Oils and Var-
nishes, Brushes, Glassware and Window
Glass,
Also Perfumery and fancy articles, Cigars, To-
bacco and Vinif, and a choice assortment of
Family Groceries, including Spices, Teas, Flav-
oring Extracts, Candies, Soda, Baking Powder,
and a variety of articles pertaining to that department
all which will be sold on the principle of "small
profits and quick returns."
Particular attention given to preparing pre-
scriptions. In cases where medicines are re-
quired during the night it is frequently inconve-
nient to obtain them. This difficulty I have
completely obviated by having my Dispensary in
a part of the same building occupied by my
store; and persons desiring medicines, may rely
upon procuring them at all hours, night or day,
without inconvenience or delay.
Druggists, merchants and others, purchasing
by the quantity, are requested to give me a call,
as I am determined to sell on as favorable terms
as any house in the city.
April 6, 1855. dly.

**Very Desirable Property on the Upper
Mississippi for Sale.**

WE have for sale very low the oldest Tavern
stand in the town of Pontoonc, Hancock
county, Illinois. Consisting of lots No. 3, 4, 5,
and 6, in Block B, upon which there is a com-
modious two story frame Hotel and a large substan-
tial Barn. Also two lots in Harkley's addition
to Pontoonc, upon which there is a neat frame
cottage.
Pontoonc is a very flourishing town on the
Upper Mississippi, with a good steamboat land-
ing, and immediately upon the line of the War-
ren and Rockford Rail Road, and will, without
doubt, be a very profitable place for a hotel.
We will also sell very low lot No. 1 in Block
B, in the flourishing city of Keokuk. This lot
fronts fifty feet on the river, immediately in front

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IOWA MEDICAL JOURNAL.—The Editors have laid on our table the April and May number of this able journal. We have not had the opportunity of comparing it with other Medical Journals, but have no doubt it would take a high rank. There is an originality, boldness, and fearless independence about our Western men, which, combined with high professional culture, eminently fits them for improving and advancing the sciences in which they are respectively engaged. The record of investigations conducted by such men, in a spirit equally removed from charlatan-ism on the one hand, and an undue respect for hoary platitudes on the other, can hardly fail to be interesting and useful, even to the general reader, as well as to the profession.

The General Assembly of the New School Presbyterian Church, which has been in session in St. Lou's during the past fortnight, adjourned yesterday, after the adoption of a resolution appointing the next annual meeting in New York City.

The greatest harmony and good feeling seems to have prevailed throughout the session of the Assembly, and the slavery question itself scarcely ruffled the even temper of their deliberations.

On Friday, the Committee reported resolutions upon that subject substantially re-affirming the previous testimony of the Church.

The resolutions were discussed at considerable length by a number of members and finally adopted by a large vote.

We copy so much of the discussion as will serve to exhibit the spirit of the resolutions, and the different light in which they were viewed by members of the Assembly.

Mr. Jewell defended the action of the Buffalo Assembly. The principle of propounding inquiries, and enjoining specific attention to particular evils, has been acted on by the Assembly at all times. He read from the minutes several instances where the Assembly had instructed the Presbyteries to take special notice of particular sins—as Sabbath breaking, dancing, &c. Yet these instructions were never opposed because they were unconstitutional. He had no desire to crowd this subject; yet he could never consent to any retractions. He was not an Abolitionist, in the technical sense of that word, and desired no new measures. He approved the report because it leaves the Assembly just where it always has stood—on the ground of consistent, constitutional, and manly hostility to slavery.

Rev. Mr. Caldwell, of Tennessee, said that he came to the Assembly in the hope that the unity of the Church would be preserved. If the report had been such that the South could swallow at all, he would not object; for he appreciated the feeling which induced this yearly agitation. But he could never assent to a report which implied a charge that slavery is sinful. We have been told that there is no right to a slave but a stolen right. But what is the

gnized, and acted on by the Church at the South. He beseeched the Assembly not to set the North in a blaze by its action, or its want of action.

Rev. Mr. Neill, desired to call attention to that clause of the report which disapproves of the intemperateness of those who oppose slavery. Hitherto the action of the Assembly has been in denunciation of slavery; it would now seem from this that a new course is to be inaugurated, that we are to utter a rebuke to the intemperateness of word and action of those who oppose slavery. It is not only to declare the hostility of the Assembly to the system of slavery, but its hostility to the unwise and unchristian methods by which this system is sought to be subverted. This was hopeful. He believed that there was a christian method of promoting reform, which is as distinct from merely human methods, as the Gospel is distinct from the wisdom and devices of the human heart. He seemed to see now before him the august form of One stooping down to write upon the sand, and again upon the heights weeping over Jerusalem. He asked himself if that was the method uniformly pursued by this Great Teacher in his rebuke of sin; and with a solitary exception it was—and that exception was when he rebuked the Pharisees. We have got much to learn on this point; and it is a hopeful indication that we are about to direct our attention to the methods of reform as well as to the objects of reform. It was for the purpose of obtaining a pastoral letter that should regard both North and South, that he was willing to forego his objections to some other features of the report.

LIST OF PREMIUMS AND REGULATIONS For the Lee County Agricultural Fair, for the year 1855.

At a meeting of the President and Board of Directors of the Lee County Agricultural Society, held at West Point on the 21st May, Lewis R. Bissell was elected to fill the vacancy in the Board of Directors occasioned by the death of Josiah Henkle, and the following list of Premiums was agreed upon for the Annual Fair, to be held at West Point, commencing on the 1st Wednesday of October, 1855.

CLASS A.—HORSES.

Best Stallion, for all purposes,	\$10
2d do do do do	5
3d do do do do	Iowa Farmer
Best 2 year old colt or filley,	5
2d do do do do	Farmer
Best yearling do do	5
2d do do do do	Farmer
Best colt at foot,	3
2d do do do do	Farmer
Best blood mare for all purposes,	10
2d do do do do	5
3d do do do do	Farmer
Best pair match horses or mares,	8
2d do do do do	Farmer
Best mare or gelding for buggy,	4
2d do do do do	Farmer
Best saddle animal,	4
2d do do do do	Farmer

CLASS B.—MULES AND ASSES.

Best Jack,	10
2d do do do do	5
3d do do do do	Farmer
Best pair mules,	8
2d do do do do	Farmer
Best single mule,	4
2d do do do do	Farmer
Best two year old mule colt,	4
2d do do do do	Farmer

CLASS C.—POULTRY.

Best pair shanghai's,	1
2d do do do do	Farmer
Best do other varieties,	1
2d do do do do	Farmer
Best do turkeys,	1
2d do do do do	Farmer
Best do ducks,	1
2d do do do do	Farmer
Best do geese,	1
2d do do do do	Farmer

CLASS G.—Agricultural Productions.

Best 2 acres corn,	20
2d do do do do	Farmer
3d do do do do	Farmer
Best 2 acres fall wheat	10
2d do do do do	Farmer
Best 2 acres spring wheat	10
2d do do do do	Farmer
Best 2 acres oats,	3
2d do do do do	Farmer
Best 1 acre timothy meadow	3
2d do do do do	Farmer
Best 1 acre flax seed	3
2d do do do do	Farmer
Best do buck wheat	2
2d do do do do	Farmer
Best do rye	2
2d do do do do	Farmer
Best do barley	2
2d do do do do	Farmer
Best 1-2 acre Irish potatoes	3
2d do do do do	Farmer
Best 1-4 acre white beans	2
2d do do do do	Farmer
Best 1 bushel sweet potatoes	Farmer
do do Irish potatoes	do
do do turnips	do
do do beets	do
do do parsnips	do
do do carrots	do
do do rutabagas	do
do 6 head cabbages	do
do 3 pumpkins	do
do 3 squashes	do
do show garden vegetables	5
do 1 bu seed corn in ear	Farmer
do variety flowers in pots or otherwise,	3

CLASS II.—Fruits.

Best 1 bu different variety apples	4
2d do do do do	2
3d do do do do	Farmer
Best 1 peck pears	1
2d do 1 do do do	Farmer
do 1 do peaches	1
2d do 1 do do do	Farmer
do lot plums	do
do do grapes	do
do do cherries	do

CLASS I.—Household Manufactures.

Best specimen worsted work	2
2d do do do do	1
do do embroidery	2
2d do do do do	1
do quilt or counterpane	2
2d do do do do	2
3d do do do do	1
do made shirt	2
do pair knit wool stockings	1
do do cotton or linen do	1
do do wool socks	1
do do cotton or linen do	1
do worked collar	1
do home made straw bonnet	1
do do do hat	1
do group artificial flowers	1
do wax flowers	1
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HENKLE, JOSIAH

Same as Josiah HINKLE?

IOWA CEMETERIES

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Pioneer Cemetery

Josiah-D: May 21, 1855-45 Yrs. 3 Mos. 25 Days.

Benjamin-son of Z. & M?-D: 1854-aged--?Stone down and cant read.

Ann Eliza-wife of F-D: Dec. 9, 1850-28 Yrs.

* the death dates were missing from these stones but were given to Mrs. Edith Tweedy by Mrs. Effie Douglass. They were relatives.