

Standard Form For Members of the Legislature

Name of Representative Dr. Sanford Senator Sanford
John Mitchell - Represented Van Buren County Iowa

1. Birthday and place 13. Apr 1823 Chillicothe, Ohio

2. Marriage (s) date place
(1) Martha A. Craig 17 Apr 1844 Jarvisville, Iowa
(2) Jennie Gallagher 1858 Jarvisville, Ohio

3. Significant events for example:

A. Business While a member of the legislature he initiated the College of Medicine at the State University of Iowa Iowa City, Iowa as well as the College of Physicians and Surgeons, Keokuk, Iowa

B. Civic responsibilities Mason

C. Profession Physician

4. Church membership _____

5. Sessions served 1st 2nd General Assemblies 1846, 1848

6. Public Offices

A. Local _____

B. State _____

C. National _____

7. Death 1 Aug 1874 Keokuk, Iowa; Buried Oakland Cemetery, Keokuk, Iowa

8. Children Korace P.; Frank D.; William; Mrs. Curtis

9. Names of parents Rev. Victor and Elizabeth (Davis) Sanford

Sangford, John Stetson

10. Education _____

11. Degrees Attended lectures at the Cincinnati Medical College, Cincinnati, Ohio. He was too young to graduate and at the end of the course he moved to Farmington Iowa. In 1847 he attended lectures at the Philadelphia Medical College, graduating

12. Other applicable information _____

- He passed his childhood at Chillicothe, Ohio
- At just past age 14 he began the study of medicine with Dr. J. B. Prettyman in Chillicothe, Ohio.
- During 1839-1840 he attended lectures at the Cincinnati, Ohio Medical College. He was too young to graduate at the end of the course, moved to Farmington Iowa and in 1841 he began practicing medicine at just past age 18.
- For 2 years a Dr. Barton was his partner at Farmington, Iowa.
- In 1850 he became a faculty member at the Medical College at Keokuk and he lived in Keokuk the remainder of his life.
- He was considered as young and ambitious, and a most brilliant and eloquent member of the faculty.
- While at the Medical College in Keokuk he established "The Western Medical-Chirurgical Journal."
- In 1855 he gave up medicine and devoted himself to surgical practice.
- His first wife, Martha, died 6 Mar 1857.

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The U. S. steamer Dispatch left for Mt.
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and Meigs and other persons on board.

The public debt decreased in July \$1,
283,866. The public debt statement shows
coin in treasury, 71,000,000; currency, \$17,
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year ending June 30th, \$287,183,873.

Died.

SANFORD—On Saturday morning, August 1st,
at 4 o'clock, John Fletcher Sanford, aged 61 years.
Due notice will be given of the funeral.
The Des Moines State Register, Cincinnati Com-
mercial, St. Louis Republican and Carthage (Ill.)
Republican please copy.

Markets by Telegraph

New York Finances.
New York, Aug. 1.

Money—2.
Gold—9%. It is reported that the Treasury will
sell ten millions gold in August.
Governments—Steady.
Stocks—Opened weak; closed and ruled firm.

Coupons of '81.....	116%
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New.....	116%
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Hudson Mrs B	Peterson Miss O
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DEATH OF DR. JOHN F. SANFORD.

The city was startled yesterday morning by the death of Dr. Sanford. Few knew that he had been sick. There was thus no premonition of the sad event. What was thought to be a temporary trouble of stomach derangement, determined towards the brain, producing congestion of that organ, and unexpected death after a short time of intense suffering. He died at four o'clock yesterday morning.

John F. Sanford was born in Chillicothe, Ohio, on the 18th of April, 1828. He had so but shortly passed his fifty-first year when death came. Passing his boyhood in Chillicothe, when little past fourteen he began the study of medicine with Dr. J. S. Prettyman. During 1839 and '40 he attended courses of lectures at the Cincinnati Medical College, then under the management of Dr. Daniel Drake and other eminent members of the profession. Too young to graduate, at the conclusion of the last course he came to Farmington, in this State, in 1841, and began the practice of medicine when but little past eighteen. For two years Dr. Barton of that place was his partner in practice. In 1846 he was elected to the State Senate. While a member of that body he initiated the institution of the college that was subsequently the Medical Department of the State University, and now the College of Physicians and Surgeons, Keokuk. In 1847 he attended lectures at the Philadelphia Medical College and graduated from that institution. In 1850, being one of the faculty of the Medical College which was removed to Keokuk, he came here and has resided here ever since. The faculty of the

THE COLORED MAN'S

Anniversary of Emancipation of the West India

How it was Celebrated at Keokuk

Addresses by G. W. McCrary, Leighton, Rev. Brown, Wm and Others

Yesterday was the forty-first anniversary of the emancipation of the West India Islands. The practice among the colored people of the country to celebrate in some manner each recurring anniversary of an important event in their history has been uniformly observed, and has entered into with more enthusiasm since slavery was abolished. These anniversaries have been observed in our own country since the blow in our own country was struck. The race have learned, from the example of the West India Islands, to more fully appreciate the value of freedom, and to prize the boon more highly than they have done. They have purchased for them at so great a cost.

The celebration yesterday was the result of a determination to perpetuate the memory of the eventful First of August. Our colored citizens have commemorated the day by

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faculty of the Medical College which was removed to Keokuk, he came here and has resided here ever since. The faculty of the young college was especially strong. Among its then members, we may mention the celebrated Dr. Samuel G. Armor, since of the Cincinnati College, and of the Michigan University, and one of the foremost physicians and lecturers of the profession in the United States: Dr. Richards, of Natchez, a man of unsurpassed brain force; and the lamented Dr. McGugin. Dr. Sanford, young and ambitious, was one of the most brilliant and eloquent members of the faculty. Shortly after making this his home he established as the organ of the College and of the science in the new West, "The Western Medico-Chirurgical Journal," which at once took high rank as an ably conducted work. At the start Drs. Armor and Sanford were jointly editors: for the last year and a half of its publication he conducted it alone.

In furtherance of medical plans of his own, Dr. Sanford purposed starting a College here, and the building now used as a County Court House was built for that purpose. The financial crash of '57 and the consequent hindrance of Keokuk's anticipated metropolitan growth caused him to relinquish all ideas of this kind.

In 1865 he relinquished the general practice of medicine and devoted himself to surgical practice.

Dr. Sanford was prominently connected with the Order of Masons in this State, and, as Grand Orator and Grand Master, won wide distinction and influence with the brethren of "the mystic tie."

His first wife—a Miss Craig—he married at Farmington. He married his second and surviving wife, nee Miss Jennie Gallagher of Janesville, Ohio, in 1859. He leaves four children, three sons and a daughter.

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taken in saying that Parker, man who was brought to Louis on Friday evening, before the U. S. Commis-

the same ambition of distinction, the same abstraction of devotion, the same earnestness of effort, the same enthusiasm that characterized him at twenty-one. He was first and above all things a surgeon. He cared little to be anything else. But if thus a specialist, it was from ambition not one-idealism: from choice not from limitation. For his intellect was many sided. He had an aptitude for letters and oratory as well as Surgery. He was a brilliant conversationalist; he had an opinion upon every subject, and his information seemed encyclopedic in its fulness upon all topics. Some men's work are greater than themselves: others are much greater than their work. Dr. Sanford was of the latter class. High rank as he held in surgery, brilliant as were many of his operations, excellent as many of his writings and orations, he was always more than any of his work. He had pre-eminent intellectuality. Anybody may surprise others: the test and poise of mind is never to be surprised at itself: never to have to wonder at anything it achieves: to be confidently sufficient to the highest performance. Dr. Sanford's intellect was of this grade. It could have matched itself with those exceptional and high achievements that bring an illustrious name and a fame lasting through centuries without surprising itself.

Keokuk has been justly proud of the men whose abilities and character have given it an exceptionally high rank and reputation for its number of strong and marked men. Several of these have passed away or gone elsewhere in these recent years. And the place made vacant yesterday by Sanford's death is such that his death is a loss not only to Keokuk and to Iowa, but to American surgery.

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MEETING OF THE KEOKUK MEDICAL SOCIETY.

Resolutions of Respect.

At an adjourned meeting of the Keokuk Medical Society, the following resolutions were adopted:

WHEREAS, It has been God's pleasure to take from our midst our late associate Dr. John F. Sanford. We must be permitted to give expression to the feelings which so startling an event has excited within us. And since we have shared the toils and anxieties incident to the profession which he adorned, we are severally and individually reminded that our summons must come. Therefore be it

Resolved, That we have not been witnesses to his untiring devotion to the exalted duties of a calling which embodies self-abnegation from its very birth, without catching the inspiration.

Resolved, That we cherish his memory as that of a learned cultivator of the medical and collateral sciences, gleaning as was his wont from the fertile fields of an extensive professional and literary knowledge.

Resolved, That we attend the obsequies of our deceased associate in a body; and that we sincerely condole with his grief stricken widow and family in their bereavement, and that the Secretary be instructed to forward to them a copy of our proceedings duly certified.

A. M. CARPENTER
Secretary.

Cincinnati, Madison, Ind., Keokuk, Louis, and in all these places he is one of the most prominent and enterprising of their business men. No one in this city has been more extensively or favorably known, and none whose name will be more generally and sincerely remembered.

The remains will be taken to Keokuk, Indiana, for interment. Rev. J. W. Smith will accompany them, leaving Keokuk, Iowa, noon at 4 o'clock.

Foot Race at Ferris
FERRIS, Ills., Aug.

The foot race here to-day, betwixt A. Kendrick and L. W. Walcott, was for a hundred and fifty dollars a side. Kendrick won by about six feet. The race was seventy-five yards. Considerable interest prevailed, but no one was present to witness the race.

POND'S EXTRACT.—In all bronchitis, pulmonary complaints, it is found to give immediate relief, followed by permanent cure. See Extract Book, free!

OUR CLAIMS.—We claim that our bread is of greater certainty and uniformity of production of good bread, biscuits, and other articles, than any other kind. The use of Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder and that the articles made with it are more wholesome and digestible than any other kind. That it is one-third cheaper, hence requires one-third less, and can be proved by the only reliable test, a trial by the oven. We claim as also for Dr. Price's Flavoring that they are just as representative of what the public expect them to be, and name under which they are sold. Price, manufacturers.

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KEOKUK, Aug. 5, 1874.

POLICE PICKINGS.—Carl Olso was arrested yesterday for selling liquor contrary to law. He will have a hearing this morning.

There were two more cases before the Recorder yesterday for failure to pay Road Tax. They paid the tax and costs, the latter amounting to \$2.50. From this the importance of paying up when called upon will be readily observed.

The police officers are also after the owners of unlicensed dogs. Two of them were up yesterday. In addition to taking out a license, they were required to pay costs, which makes the expense of maintaining an unregistered canine a somewhat extravagant luxury.

PERSONAL.—Mrs. Henry Clews has returned to New York.

Dr. Frank D. Sanford, of Texas, and Mr. Will Sanford are at home having been summoned here on account of the death of their father, Dr. John F. Sanford, whose funeral takes place this afternoon.

Evan Rogers and wife, Sciota; Judge Tracy, Burlington; D. Mack, Geo. J. Rogers and Alex Sholl, Carthage, and Jas. A. Smith, Ft. Madison, were among the arrivals at the Patterson House yesterday.

R. W. Curtis and James W. Townsend, Athens; P. Neuse, Alexandria; W. Meek, Benaparte; Col H. M. Hitler, Kaboka, and S. E. Forshe, Glenwood, are at the Hardin House.

YOUTHFUL EXPLORERS.—An exploring expedition, combining with it the pleasures of hunting and fishing, started Tuesday morning in two well manned and equipped boats, the destination being Copperas Slough.

and was ably seconded by his brother, Mal-

THE NEW BOULEVARD

A Splendid Drive in E

Through the kindness of S. Sample, who is one of the in the enterprise, we have been route of the proposed new course of construction around is a street extended north from ston street road near S. E. Cal little over half a mile and th east to Grand Avenue. The for the road was condemned la city. The part of the route and west, if located two hundr of the line as condemned, better road. From Carey's Avenue the road would be as as it is possible for a road to plication was made Monday p Sample and J. H. Anderson, th who have the matter in hand, Council to have a new cond the route two hundred feet line as already condemned, the be abandoned.

The road is being constructe tary subscriptions of the cit City Council would not appropriation for the the road. The estimate about \$2,500. Of this 700 has been subscribed, and paid. Some of the subscriptio liberal, showing the determin subscribers to make Keokuk t ment home, and to make it as every way as possible. We ah to publish the names of the gene to whose liberality the city will for the road, had we the space. The Committee have had a work to be done.

TIME TABLE 1874

CITY NEWS.

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Des Moines	4:00 p.m.	4:15 a.m.
Farmington	1:30 "	2:25 "
Summit	1:42 "	1:38 "
Elletts	12:40 p.m.	12:30 a.m.
Ottumwa	12:00 "	11:45 "
Eddyville	10:33 p.m.	9:53 "
Transfer	10:48 "	9:45 "
Oakaloosa	10:25 "	9:23 "
Pella	9:33 "	8:35 "
Altoona	7:47 "	6:47 "
Des Moines	7:15 "	6:15 p.m.
Grand Junction	4:00 a.m.	1:00 "
Fort Dodge		10:30 a.m.

BEAR in mind that the DAILY GATE CITY is delivered in every portion of the city at an early hour and by careful carriers,—conveying to its readers not only all the important home news, but telegraphic flashes from all parts of the world. Orders left at the office, corner Second and Main, or with the carriers, will be promptly attended to. Give us your names.

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THE IOWA STATE FAIR AT KEOKUK COMMENCES SEPTEMBER 21ST.

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NOTICE.—The funeral of the late Dr. John F. Sanford will take place, from his residence, to-morrow (Thursday) afternoon at 4 o'clock.

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T. L. LAMBERT has opened a new meat stand near the corner of Seventh and Main. Will keep the best of meat always at cheap rates. Call and see for yourselves.

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SALE OF BOOTHS.—The sale of booths and refreshment stands on the Fair Grounds for use during the races, on the 12th and 18th, will take place next Saturday at three o'clock. au-4 5t

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FOREPAUGH COMING.—The Forepaugh show isn't going to give Keokuk the "go ball" after all. The agent is at

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CONNECTIONS.

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GEO. H. GRIGGS, Gen'l Supt. en'l Ticket Agent.

MORIA & WARSAW RAILROAD.

LEAVE KEOKUK.	ARRIVE AT KEOKUK.
7:15 a. m.	9:55 p. m.
4:48 p. m.	10:12 a. m.

BURLINGTON & QUINCY R. R.

TRAINS LEAVE.	ARRIVE.
6:00 a. m.	10:20 a. m.
6:30 a. m.	6:10 p. m.
5:20 p. m.	9:25 p. m.

TRAINS ARRIVE.	LEAVE KEOKUK.
10:20 a. m.	4:32 a. m.
6:10 p. m.	
9:25 p. m.	

ABASH & WESTERN R. R.

LEAVE KEOKUK.
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DAILY GATE CITY:

ITEMS IN BRIEF

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THURSDAY MORNING, AUGUST 6, 1874.

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CITY NEWS.

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THE IOWA STATE FAIR AT KEOKUK COMMENCES SEPTEMBER 21ST.

FOUND.—A black crepe veil. The owner can have the same by calling at Collier & Hill's and paying for this notice.

NOTICE.—The funeral of the late Dr. John F. Sanford will take place from his residence this afternoon at 4 o'clock.

L. O. O. F.—Regular meeting of Pucketchuck Encampment No. 7, this evening, at 8 o'clock. Work on Golden Rule Degree.

SALE OF BOOTHS.—The sale of booths and refreshment stands on the Fair Grounds for use during the races, on the 12th and 13th, will take place next Saturday at three o'clock. au-4 5t

THE Picture sale at Brown & Hill's commenced last evening. Prices were low enough to suit everybody except the owners of the goods. The collection is a fine one, and will be run off without reserve.

MR. THOMAS PAGETT placed upon our table last evening a cluster of tomatoes, numbering over twenty fine large speci-

—The proceedings of the Convention at Fairfield will be inside of this morning's paper.

—The Father Mathews Total Society will make an excursion on the 15th inst, on one of the boats leaving here in the morning turning in the evening.

—From Dr. Shaffer we learn of Galloway cattle from Wisconsin exhibited at the State Fair here in September. This will be a curious part of the country. the only herd of this breed of part of the country.

—Torrence Post will give an enjoyable Hops at Grand A Main street, next Tuesday evening

—The Fairfield Conventic principal topic of discussion yesterday.

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In the death of Dr. John F. Sanford, this family mourn the loss of a kind husband and a tender father, and the community that of no ordinary man

That countenance once beaming with intelligence and smiling with benevolence is forever hid from our vision. That voice of his will never again be heard in accents of instruction in the halls of medical science, nor will its sweet cadences ever fall again upon the ears of the inmates of this desolated home.

We cannot comprehend all of God's dealings with the children of men. His ways are higher than our ways and His thoughts are higher than our thoughts. But when we shall stand on the high plain of immortality in the light of heaven, we shall see the wisdom and goodness of God clearly indicated. That which is now dark and inexplicable will be made plain.

I trust that each one of this greatly bereaved family may be able to employ appropriately the following lines:

"O let my trembling soul be still,
While darkness veils this mortal eye,
And wait Thy wise, Thy holy will,
Wrapped yet in fears and mystery.
I cannot fathom thy purpose see,
Yet all is well since ruled by Thee."

While this bereaved wife trusts in the ever kind Father, and believes that all events and occurrences shall work together for the ultimate good to them that love God, may sweet light come to her soul out of surrounding darkness.

Dr. Sanford gave ample evidence not only of his ability to search out and expound medical truths, but he stretched his thoughts over a wide field of literature. He gathered treasures from every source; enriched his library with the grandest productions of ancient and modern writers. He was fond of poetry, and richly stored his mind with some of its loftiest sentiments and brightest gems. In his wide range of reading he did not overlook the grandest of all books—the Bible. He was familiar with its teachings. He was not a professor of religion—never belonged to any religious denomination, and yet I learn that he was liberal in his contributions toward Church enterprises. Gave handsomely in aid of Chatham Square M. E. Church of this city. In his social intercourse he blended the urbanity of a gentleman with the graces of a scholar. He was kind to the poor, and especially to the suffering and aged ones to whom he was called professionally.

The following resolution was adopted: Resolved, That the Convention hereby accept and approve the platform of the Anti-Monopoly State Convention, adopted at Des Moines, June 24, 1874, and pledge to it our hearty support.

The first informal ballot resulted as follows: S. Leffler 8, L. G. Palmer 9, Miller 14, Dodge 5, Vale 18, Pierce 7.

The name of Vale was withdrawn and Brown of Washington county, and Leffler of Des Moines, were nominated. On the first formal ballot the two last named received 15 and 16 votes respectively.

Twenty-six ballots were taken with no material change. Hon. B. J. Hall was then nominated. The thirty first ballot resulted Brown 31; Hall 30. We understand that after the thirty third ballot Hon. Ed. Campbell of Jefferson, was nominated but declined. At 5 o'clock, on the 38th ballot, Hon. L. G. Palmer of Henry county, was nominated by acclamation. We condense the above from last evening's Gazette.

FROM WARSAW.

The Alleged Rape Case—Verdict of Acquittal.

WARSAW, Aug. 6th, 1874

DEAR GATE: The excitement yesterday, (Wednesday) over the alleged rape case that was undergoing a preliminary examination, before a Police Magistrate of this city, the particulars of which have appeared in your paper, continued unabated. It was a sweet morsel for a certain class of human beings, who gloat over the downfall of a fellow creature, and with grinning physiognomies, drink in the testimony of witnesses. The dirtier the case the more satisfied seems to be the crowd. Wednesday morning the case opened by [the examination of John Vance, the man who stood before the bar accused of the most damnable crime in the catalogue, doubly black, if guilty, as the victim of his passion was the wife of his best friend. According to a recent act, passed by the Legislature of this State a

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"He had a tear of pity, and a hand
Open as day for melting charity."

Dr. Sanford will live in the recollection not only of his numerous and intimate acquaintances, and his professional associates, but his memory will be cherished by hundreds whose sufferings have been relieved and lives prolonged by his skill.

For some time the deceased gave evidence of failing strength. But his companion thought it only the result of overwork in his large, and enlarging practice, and that he only needed rest. But the brain and physical energies had been too heavily taxed to admit of recovery. His disease was gastric fever, resulting in congestion of the brain. His sufferings were intense. Most of the time for a few days before his death he was delirious. His mind at intervals was lucid. When under delirium he would repeat the Lord's Prayer and also that sweet little prayer, as he used to term it, which was taught to him in his infancy by his Christian mother. "Now I lay me down to sleep."

To me it is a beautiful and impressive thought that, even through the melancholy veil of delirium there broke the gleam of early childhood, when he kneeled by his mother's side and received an impress that all the intervening and busy years of life could not efface.

"Our moral life, our influence is not gone,
When the material hoods around us break;
In other minds our spirit still lives on,
Though dead we speak."

I was much rejoiced to learn some important facts in regard to the deceased, connected with his religious impressions and views. I am informed by his companion that he used to read the scriptures much. He was in the habit of frequently repeating as his own soul's breathing, that beautiful stanza:

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accused of the most damnable crime in the catalogue, doubly black, if guilty, as the victim of his passion was the wife of his best friend. According to a recent act, passed by the Legislature of this State, a criminal has the privilege of testifying in his own behalf. The testimony given by Vance was minute, clear and to the point. It was too plain for print. He was the only witness called upon the stand. After his examination, John W. Marsh opened the argument in behalf of the plaintiff, in a brief speech, as was also that of Mr. E. E. Lane, who answered.

The court adjourned until 2 o'clock. At that hour the room was crowded, as the fame of B. T. Schofield, one of the most successful criminal lawyers in western Illinois, attracted many who were not present at the examination. For two hours he waded into the subject and completely used up the testimony bearing against his client. He was followed by Col. B. F. Marsh, in the closing argument that lasted over three hours. It was an able effort on his part, and the largest part of the audience sat quietly until he had finished. The crowd at once rushed to the stand to hear the decision of the magistrate, who, in a few words, acquitted the accused. This decision was received with shouts by Vance's friends; yet there were many not satisfied. Whether or not the matter will rest here, your correspondent is unable to say, but from the character of Jennifer, would not be surprised if it were taken to a higher court.

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"The sweet to stammer one letter
Of the Eternal's language; on earth it is called
Forgiveness."

He also quoted the following beautiful text, found in 1 Timothy 1. 15:

"This is a faithful saying, and worthy of all acceptance: that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners of whom I am chief."

May we not trust that the deceased quoted this passage as expressive, 1st. Of his belief in Christ as the Saviour; 2d. Of his convic- tion of his own personal sinfulness, and 3d. That he trusted in Him for salvation. O, may we not hope that the death-chamber of his body was the birth-chamber of his soul, and that over him were cast the beams of an eternal morning.

At the conclusion of the ceremonies the remains were conveyed to the hearse. The pall-bearers were selected from the Medical Profession, and were as follows: Dr. H. T. Cleaves, Dr. A. M. Carpenter, Dr. C. H. Winslow, Dr. D. B. Hills, Dr. Collins, Dr. O. P. McDonald, Dr. Geo. F. Jenkins and Dr. Keuchen.

The remains were followed to the ceme- tery by the mourning family and relatives of the deceased and a large number of sym- pathizing friends. The cortege was over a half mile in length.

At the grave the choir sang one stanza of the hymn Nearer, My God, to Thee, after

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The St. Louis Democrat has the following to say concerning the Rapids Improvement, and the importance of its early completion:

The lower rapids have again come to the surface, as one of the greatest obstructions to navigation on the western rivers. The niggardly appropriations for their improve- ment have so far been of no service, nor will these improvements, by which uninterupt- ed navigation to St. Paul is to be afforded, be complete for another year. The Gov- ernment work there should not be suffered to lag. Navigation hence to St. Paul has been good this season until now, and it has become necessary to repeat the annual pro- cess of cutting the packet line in two.

STAGE OF WATER, as reported by the U. S. Signal service, Keokuk: The river at this point is 3 feet 7 in. above low water mark of 1872, fallen 3 inches; Davenport, 3 feet 9 inches, fallen 2 inch; St. Louis 9 feet 21 inches fallen 1 inches; Dubuque 4 feet 8 inches; fallen 1 inch; St. Paul 4 feet 9 inches, fallen 2 inch.

OUR CLAIMS.—We claim that there is greater certainty and uniformity in the pro- duction of good bread, biscuit, &c., in the use of Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder, and that the articles made with it are more wholesome and digestible than if made with any other kind. That it is one-third strong- er, hence requires one-third less, which may be proved by the only reliable and truthful test, a trial by the oven. We claim for it, as also for Dr. Price's Flavoring Extracts, that they are just as represented, and just what the public expect them to be by the name under which they are sold. Steele & Price, manufacturers.

THE FUNERAL OF DR. JOHN F. SANFORD.

Impressive Obsèques.

The funeral of the late Dr. John F. Sanford took place from the residence, corner Second and Blondeau streets, yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock, and was largely attended.

The remains were enclosed in a heavy metallic burial case, elaborately decorated with flowers, and occupied a position in the front parlor. Previous to the ceremonies the plate was removed and visitors were permitted to look upon the face of the deceased. The countenance presented a very natural and life-like appearance, resembling more the calm of a deep sleep than the palor of death. The parlors and hall were well filled with spectators.

Shortly after 4 o'clock the services were opened with the hymn, "Rock of Ages." The ceremonies were conducted by Rev. J. W. Chaffin, Pastor of Chatham Square M. E. Church. They were brief, but impressive. From Rev. Chaffin's remarks upon the occasion we make the following extracts:

"We have met at this hour under very solemn and affecting circumstances. The pale shadow of death is resting upon this beautiful home.

Again we are reminded that we are amid the ruins of disordered nature, and admonished of the uncertainty of human life and that death is the inevitable doom of us all.

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which Rev. Chaffin read a portion of the ritual, and concluded with an impressive prayer. The remains were deposited in the vault of the late Geo. C. Sanders.

THE ANTI-MONOPOLY CONGRESSIONAL CONVENTION.

L. G. Palmer, of Henry County, Nominated on the 38th Ballot.

The Anti-Monopoly Congressional Convention of the First District was held at Burlington yesterday. Every county in the District is reported to have been fully represented.

At 11 o'clock the convention was called to order by W. C. Hobbs of Fort Madison, in behalf of the chairman of the Congressional Committee.

Hon. J. B. Pease, of Van Buren county, was chosen temporary chairman, and W. W. Garner, of Louisa, and John Weisman, of Washington, temporary secretaries.

Committees on Credentials, Permanent Organization and Resolutions were appointed.

The Convention then adjourned to two o'clock.

On re-assembling at that hour the Committee on Credentials made its report.

J. G. Melvin, of Washington county, was chosen permanent President, with a Vice-President from each county. Henry Wanzler, of Louisa county, and R. Lea, of Van Buren were chosen permanent Secretaries.

The following resolution was adopted: Resolved, That the Convention hereby accept and approve the platform of the Anti-Monopoly State Convention, adopted at Des Moines, June 24, 1874, and pledge to it our hearty support.

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Biographical Index—Early Iowa Physicians

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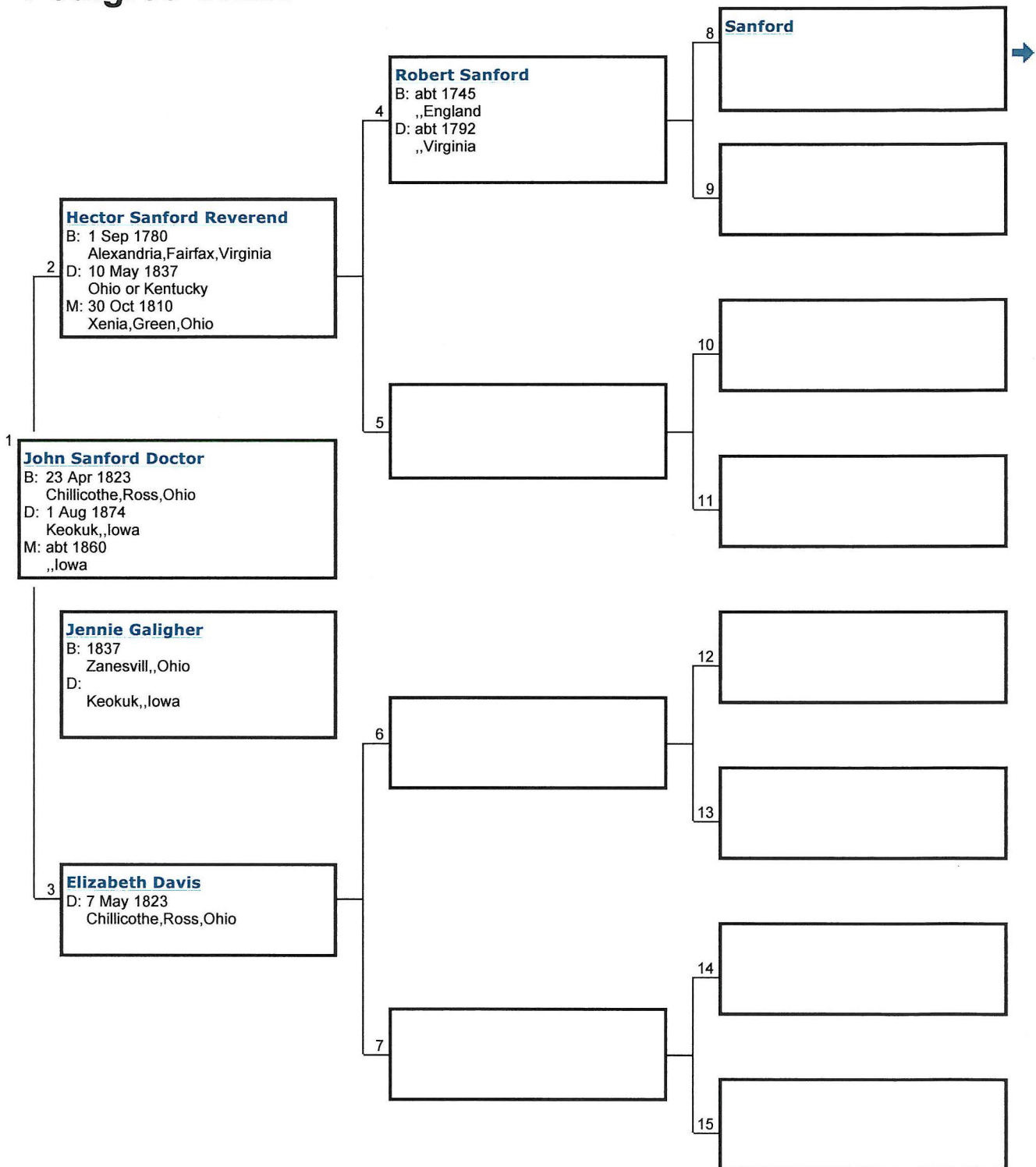
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Event(s):**Birth:** 23 APR 1823 Chillicothe, Ross, Ohio**Christening:****Death:** 01 AUG 1874**Burial:**

Parents:**Father:** [Hector Sanford](#)[Family](#)**Mother:** [Elizabeth Davis](#)

Marriages:**Spouse:** [Jennie Galigher](#)[Family](#)**Marriage:** About 1860 , , Iowa

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You searched for **John F. Sanford** in **Iowa**

1850 United States Federal Census

Name:	John F Sanford	
Age:	29	
Estimated birth year:	abt 1821	
Birth Place:	Ohio	
Gender:	Male	
Home in 1850 (City,County,State):	Keokuk, Lee, Iowa	
Family Number:	331	
Household Members:	Name	Age
	John F Sanford	29
	Martha A Sanford	24
	Emma Sanford	4
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Iowa State Census Collection, 1836-1925

Name:	John F Sanford	
Birth Year:	abt 1821	
Birth Place:	Ohio	
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Marital Status:	Married	
Census Date:	1856	
Residence State:	Iowa	
Residence County:	Lee	
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Household Members:	Name	Age
	John F Sanford	35
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