

Standard Form For Members of the Legislature

Name of Representative _____

Senator _____

Thomas - Represented Muscatine, Johnson and Iowa Counties, Iowa

1. Birthday and place _____

*22. Sept 1814 Anville, Columbia County,
Pennsylvania*

2. Marriage (s) date place _____

Louisa King

15 Sept 1841

3. Significant events for example:

A. Business _____

B. Civic responsibilities *I.O.O.F.*

C. Profession *Newspaperman*

4. Church membership _____

Presbyterian

5. Sessions served _____

1st General Assembly 1846

6. Public Offices

A. Local _____

Iowa City city clerk; Johnson County treasurer

B. State _____

C. National _____

7. Death _____

11 Mar 1881 Iowa City, Iowa;

8. Children _____

Johia; Ellis G.; Annie G.; Louisa E.

9. Names of parents _____

10. Education _____

11. Degrees _____

12. Other applicable information Republican

- He worked in the printing trade in Danville. Later he worked at Hamilton's and Porter's offices in Harrisburg and at Sherman's office in Philadelphia
- 27 Oct 1838 he moved to Davenport Iowa and in November 1838 he moved to Burlington Iowa where he was employed by the Territorial Gazette.
- In 1839 he went to Dubuque Iowa working for the Dubuque News
- In 1840 he began the publication of the Bloomington Herald at Bloomington, Iowa.
- He came to Iowa City Iowa in Sept 1842 and was connected with the Iowa City Standard newspaper
- In 1844 he sold out and returned to Pennsylvania, but soon returned
- Military service -

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DEATH OF THOMAS HUGHES.

End of a Long and Useful Life —
Sketch of His Life.

At half-past seven o'clock last evening, Friday, March 11, Mr. Thomas Hughes passed peacefully into rest. Mr. Hughes was born in Danville, Columbia county, Pennsylvania, September, 1814. He worked at the printing trade in Danville and afterwards at Hamilton's and Porter's offices in Harrisburg. He was also employed at Sherman's office in Philadelphia. On October 27th, 1838, Mr. Hughes crossed the frontier line, the Mississippi, at Davenport. In November of the same year Mr. Hughes went to Burlington in an open wagon, there being no wagon road or even trails. In Burlington he was employed upon the *Territorial Gazette* which was published by a personal friend, Mr. James Clark. In 1839, he left Burlington and went to Dubuque where he was engaged upon the *News*. In 1840, Mr. Hughes began the publication of the *Herald* in Bloomington. Mr. Russell an editor of considerable talent was connected with Mr. Hughes in this enterprise. Mr. Hughes came to Iowa City in September, 1842, and was connected with the *Standard*. In 1844, he sold out his paper here and returned to Pennsylvania, but soon returned and took charge of his old office for his former partner Williams. In 1846 he was elected to the first State Senate and was president of that body at its extra session. At the call of his country, he entered her service, was taken prisoner and spent 14 months in

MR. C. A. STARR left for home in Des Moines yesterday. Mr. Starr is an Iowa City man that the name implies. At he entered the employ of B. Brainerd to the postoffice, the government service, and he ably served the public as clerk, leaving that position in Mr. G. W. Marquardt's house. In the capacity of Mr. Starr is widely and known throughout the west. Iowa City to accept the manager of the Des Moines Company's extensive business and we predict for him in connection the full success that energy, integrity and courtship. As a thorough business man and a thorough citizen, Iowa City we and we congratulate Des Moines accession to its citizenship man so entirely worthy of. The *Leader* says: "We are him a successful and prominent man, such as his past life warrant, and congratulate the Moines Marble Company such a valuable assistant in the business which has won a reputation for reliable and excellent workmanship."

Attention Firemen
HEADQUARTERS
IOWA CITY FIRE DEPARTMENT
IOWA CITY, March 11
In compliance with Order
of the Board of Fire Commissioners
of the City of Iowa City, on
March 28, there will be a meeting
of the Fire Department at 8 o'clock

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the fierce heats of that region that his
health was shattered. One of the last
prisoners to be released, he came
home to suffer and to linger after upon
the very borders of the grave.

Mr. Hughes for many years has been
one of the best known and familiar
figures in the city. He has been recog-
nized as authority on all points relat-
ing to city laws, finance, etc. Although
enfeebled in health, his eminent fitness
for the position caused his retention in
the office of City Clerk and death found
him still at that post.

A good citizen, a kind neighbor, a de-
voted husband and father has laid aside
a weakened and suffering body, that
he may be clothed upon from above.

The time of the funeral can not be
determined upon until word can be re-
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IOWA CITY, March 12, 1883

In compliance with Ordinance
28, there will be a meeting of
Department at Protection En-
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15th, 1321, at 7:30 o'clock for
purpose of electing one Chief
Assistant Engineers of the
partment, subject to the approval
City Council. A. B.
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