

Here he was first in the clothing and then in the implement business. In 1891 he was elected representative from Montgomery County and served in the Twenty-fourth General Assembly.

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HENRY JAYNE was born in Wayne County, Pennsylvania, November 8, 1847, and died at his home at Muscatine, Iowa, March 6, 1917. He came with his parents to Iowa in 1853 and to Muscatine County in 1856. He attended common school. When still young he assisted his father, John W. Jayne, in the preparation of Jayne's Spelling Book. He served as deputy clerk of court at Muscatine for five years. He began the study of law in 1869 and was admitted to practice in 1871, and became a partner of the man with whom he studied, Judge William F. Brannon. Later he was in partnership with William Hoffman. When he died he was dean of the Muscatine County bar. He was a lawyer of more than ordinary ability and of the highest character.

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LEMUEL DWELLE was born in Washington County, New York, August 16, 1824, and died at his home in Northwood, Iowa, February 8, 1917. He worked on his father's farm until 1848, and at the carpenter's trade until December, 1856, when he came to Worth County, Iowa. Here he bought land and laid out Northwood. He built a gristmill, a sawmill and a carding mill, operating them for fifteen years. In 1865 he was elected representative and served in the Eleventh General Assembly. In 1875 he was elected senator and served in the Sixteenth and Seventeenth general assemblies. In 1881 he helped organize the Worth County Savings Bank and was its president many years. In the later years of his life he conducted a real estate and loan business. He is generally regarded as the "Father of Northwood."

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JOHN E. HOWE was born near Washington Court House, Fayette County, Ohio, August 1, 1847, and died at Greenfield, Iowa, April 2, 1917. He was graduated from Salem Academy, South Salem, Ohio, in 1867. He taught school and studied medicine. He came to Iowa in 1869 and was graduated from the College of Physicians and Surgeons at Keokuk in June, 1873, and from then was in the active practice of medicine and surgery at Greenfield until a few years before his death, achieving eminence in his profession. He was appointed by Governor Carroll a member of the State Board of Parole in September, 1909, which position he held until the time of his death.

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JOHN WOLF was born in Pennsylvania, December 7, 1813, and died at Dundee, Iowa, April 22, 1917. In his early manhood he came as far west as the Missouri River. He participated in the Black Hawk War and served eighteen months in the Mexican War. During the Civil War he served in the Union Army for over three years. At its close he continued to serve his country as a ranger, and made fourteen trips from

Missouri to Oregon, guarding emigrant trains. He saw a great deal of Indian warfare, and his life of over one hundred years embraced a remarkably eventful and adventurous career.

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W. H. McACHRAN was born at Shelbyville, Illinois, in November, 1847, and died at Bloomfield, Iowa, April 21, 1917. He came with his parents to Bloomfield when only six months old. When a lad of seventeen he entered as a clerk the drug store of A. D. Gibbons. He later became a partner and upon Mr. Gibbons' death in 1907 became sole owner, retaining the business until his own death. For twenty years he was a member of the board of regents of the Southern Iowa Normal School at Bloomfield. In 1895 he was elected representative and served in the Twenty-sixth and Twenty-sixth extra General Assembly.

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NELS LARSEN was born in Sogn, Norway, September 1, 1841, and died at his home at Spring Grove, Minnesota, February 26, 1917. He came with his father to America in 1854, stopping that winter in Minnesota but in 1855 locating in Winneshiek County, Iowa. Here he engaged in farming. In 1879 he was elected a member of the county board of supervisors and served six years. In 1885 he was elected representative and was re-elected in 1887, serving in the Twenty-first and Twenty-second general assemblies. He continued to live on his farm in Winneshiek County until 1914, in the meantime holding different township offices. In 1914 he retired, removing to Spring Grove, Minnesota.

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HENRY C. BURGESS was born in Fairfield, Maine, December 20, 1846, and died at Cresco, Iowa, March 8, 1917. He came with his parents to Lansing, Iowa, in 1861, and to Howard County in 1865. His education was obtained in common schools. He was employed at Ossian by the Fleming Lumber Company for fifteen years. In 1880 he went to Elma, conducting a mercantile business there. In 1885 he purchased the Fleming lumber business at Cresco and conducted it until 1915. In 1906 he was elected senator from the Howard-Winneshiek district, and served in the Thirty-second, Thirty-second extra and Thirty-third general assemblies.

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CHARLES F. CROSE was born at Sidney, Iowa, March 16, 1856, and died at his home at Santa Ana, California, January 11, 1917. As a boy he clerked in his brother's store at Manti, before Shenandoah was founded. When the new town was born the store was removed to it in wagons. This was one of the first stores in Shenandoah and Mr. Crose was connected with it as clerk or as partner for nearly forty years, excepting one year when he studied medicine and one year when he took a business course at Bryant & Stratton's Business College in Chicago. He was elected representative from Page County in 1903, and served in the Thirty-first and Thirty-second general assemblies. In 1910 he removed to Santa Ana, California,

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