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MARRIAGE RECORDS  
MADISON COUNTY, IOWA  
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These records are from Book A, Book B and Book 1. They are arranged in alphabetical order according to the groom's name. Each record from left to right consists of a number, the groom's name, the bride's name, the date of the marriage, the person who performed the marriage ceremony and his title (usually abbreviated), as follows

Abbreviations:

M Minister  
MG Minister of the Gospel  
CP Catholic Priest  
JP Justice of Peace  
J Justice  
Co J County Judge

The number at the left of each record is a combination of three forms of information. For example the number 19B259 is a combination of

19 B 259  
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259 the number of the record on page 19

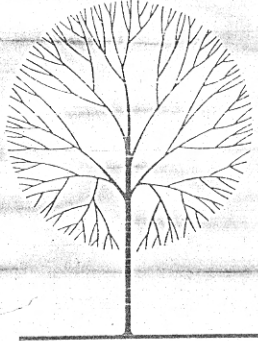
These numbers are the numbers from the Marriage Record Books in the office of The Clerk of Court for Madison County, Iowa. The numbering system in the records changed from time to time or perhaps it should be said from page to page. Sometimes at the beginning of another year, sometimes without any apparent reason other than that of the Clerk or person keeping the record. In many cases the consent of the parent or other person was given and also in many cases the person who attested to the age of the bride or groom or both. Sometimes this is a possible indication of who the parents were. Such information is not included herewith. The original records would need to be consulted to obtain such information if any.

More complete information concerning Book A is given in the last pages of this report.

193B1101	Gilbert, Joseph	Housewert, Elizabeth	(License 14 Sept 1876 No information)
84B288	Gilleland, David W	Jones, Mrs Nancy J	16 Oct 1866 W E Smith M
77B208	Gilleland, Josiah Perry	Criswell, Canby	13 Mar 1866 R D Cooper JP
149B538	Gillespie, George W	Gordon, Mary	25 Dec 1872 Samuel L Mohler MG
41B475	Gilliam, Richard	Barton, Nancy J	21 Nov 1860 J B Rawls MG
167B768	Gillogly, James	Bell, Sarah J	3 Sept 1874 F A Goodrich MG
155B610	Gillian, Alexander T	Darrell, Amanda W	3 July 1873 Charles Darrell MG
45B35	Gillum, Alex H	Hoppis, Louisa J	12 May 1861 John M Baker MG
224B1518	Gilpin, Charles Friley	Skillman, Emma	17 Apr 1879 S A Kellard
159B668	Gilpin, S J	Evans, Maria L	3 Dec 1873 J H Potter MG
204B1244	Gilpin, William	Yoakum, Martha	19 July 1877 George Koon JP
205B1263	Coal, John	Shields, Isabell	20 Sept 1877 W F Burke MG
153B593	Goar, Benjamin F	Thompson, R L	15 May 1873 C T McCaughan MG
224B1511	Goar, S H H	Kirkland, Sarah J	20 Mar 1879 S Hoover MG
133B334	Goare, Joseph	Dill, Hattie	13 Aug 1871 P T Russel, MG
204B1249	Godfriaux, Charles W	Bart, Ida M	17 Sept 1877 John Fulton MG
65B63	Goff, John B	Shepard, Florence J	7 Oct 1864 Samuel F Mohler MG
153B589	Goings, John W	Clark, Annie E	26 Apr 1873 Richard Garton, MG
110B35	Goodlow, George W	Compton, Mary M	9 Feb 1869 John M Blair MG
173B847	Goodner, David	Kale, Emma	14 Jan 1875 J A Smith MG
170B807	Goodwin, E A	Cook, Elmira J	3 Dec 1874 John Sylvanus MG
56B67	Goodwin, Samuel P	Thompson, Mary E	26 Mar 1863 R B Robinson MG
74B169	Goorvin, W H H	Longnaker, Samantha	30 Nov 1865 Chas Richmond, JP
213B1367	Gordon, A T	Allen Alice	26 Feb 1878 M Newton MG
119B155	Gordon, G W	Crawford, Ella E	9 Feb 1870 C T McCaughan MG
165B749	Gordon, Harry	Taylor, Susan	1 July 1874 O P Baxter JP
216B1408	Gordon, J M	Cranmia, Sophia	18 Aug 1878 M Newton MG
71B141	Gordon, Jonathan A	Kellogg, Mary Jane	29 Sept 1865 N C Storrs M
11B83	Gordon, John N	Clark, Charlotte	19 June 1856 John Hooton M
211B1342	Gordon, J W	Allen, Phenev M	8 Apr 1878 M Newton MG
70B119	Gordon, Samuel J	Sturman, Charlotte	28 June 1865 N W Garretson Co J
38B431	Gore, William	Bard, Elizabeth J	24 Mar 1860 Michard Myers JP
183B976	Gormley, J T	Huntington, Marcel	2 Dec 1875 J H McClenahan MG
223B1495	Gowin, J M	Ritter, Lucinda	16 Feb 1879 J M Kindle MG
40B457	Gowin, John	Evans, Mary Ann	16 Oct 1860 A D Kellison M
78B226	Crable, Isaac	Nickels, Hannah	29 Mar 1866 J S White JP
83B275	Gradle, Jacob A	McKinley, Hannah S	18 Sept 1866 A D Kellison M
219B1447	Graham, Adam	Hoisington, Mary J	26 Nov 1878 Henry Wallace MG
3B	Graham, Furgus	Puckett, Ann	20 Jan 1855 B F Brown JP
227B1559	Graham, James C	McCorkle, May	5 Sept 1879 J H Potter MG
112B63	Graham, L A	Thompson, Elizabeth	3 June 1869 C T McCaughan MG
91B363	Graham, R S	Reeder, Hannah	16 Apr 1867 James W Adair MG
94B406	Grant, E J	Childers, Mary C	12 Oct 1867 W H Lewis Co Judge
5B29	Grant, John	Middleton, Margaret A	4 Nov 1855 A D Kellison
205B1260	Gratner, John A	Marks, Sarah Ellen	18 Sept 1877 C E Sampson JP
71B139	Graves, Abner W	Bishop, Mary L	21 Sept 1865 Wm Abraham M
66B76	Graves, Lewis	Talbot, ARvilla Jane	4 Dec 1864 N W Garretson Co J
151B559	Gray, W A	Baugh, Sophia	27 Feb 1873 J H Potter MG
4B17	Green, Elija	Henin, Amanda	16 Aug 1855 R Swearengen
207B1287	Green, Harrison B	Daniels, Mary	15 Nov 1877 George Koon JP
171B827	Green, James W	Darnall, Cynthia A	20 Dec 1874 G W Segu MG
201B1206	Greenwood, George N	Brown Sarah Catharine	12 Mar 1877 E M H Fleming MG
124B212	Greenwood, John	Gipson, Alice A	1 Sept 1870 Charles Richmond JP
234B1645	Greenwood, P J	Cox, Amanda	17 Feb ;880 George Koon JP
64B42	Greer, John L	Hatter, Rebecca C	30 June 1864 M W Mallory
195B1133	Greer, O H	Brownell, Flora A	6 Dec 1876 David Knowles MG
189B1046	Greer, Thomas	Kirkland, Sarah	(License 21 Mar 1876 No other information)
150B550	Greer, Zachry T	Love, Loveona	9 Feb 1873 A W Pinckney JP

44B31	Hicock, Dunlap	Tillford, M A	2 May 1861	J H Creger MG
29B356	Hicock, William	Britham, Elizabeth	3 Mar 1859	Whitley Allen JP
152B574	Higgs, Alfred A	Farris, Elizabeth A	30 Mar 1873	James Misseldine MG
150B549	Hildebrand, James F	Gregg, Rosetta	28 Jan 1873	J H Potter MG
169B796	Hill, Joseph	Oglesbee, Lucretia	3 Nov 1874	Thomas Miller MG
138B399	Hillan, Mark	Wiggins, Lizzie	1 Jan 1872	Mark Jessup JP
68B92	Hill, Milton H	Starr, Naomi	9 Feb 1865	C C Mabbee M
125B229	Hillis, E L	Moody, A May	4 Oct 1870	J H Potter MG
192B1098	Hills A F	Reigle, Mary	2 Sept 1876	D Baxter JP
132B319	Hilman, Zach Taylor	Cummings, Ruhama B	4 May 1871	H C Wright JP
19B255	Hilton, Edward	Muller, Mary	7 Oct 1857	Joel Mason M
168B787	Hilton, Frank	Marchel, Maria O	11 Oct 1874	J H Farson MG
90B355	Hilton, James G	Abernathy, Mary Ann	22 Mar 1867	John Renfro MG
134B348	Hindman, J C	Kennedy, Elizabeth	20 Sept 1871	M D McCartney MG
152B581	Hindman, R W	McMichail, Eliza	24 Apr 1873	C T McCaughan MG
108B11	Hindman, S M	Shuck, M A	13 Feb 1869	C T McCaughan MG
139B411	Hindman, T J	Foster, Malissa C	16 Feb 1872	C T McCaughan MG
226B1544	Hines, Charles	Osborn, Alice E	25 July 1879	Wm M Kivett JP
25B309	Hinkle, John	Maser, Mary M	29 July 1858	Robert D Tisdale M
64B45	Hircock, Benjamin,	Hubbard, Mary Ann	26 June 1864	Rev W A Evanston
66B75	Hircock, William	Armstrong, Elizabeth	17 Nov 1864	N W Garretson Co J
155B611	Hircock, William	Maxwell, Anna R	3 July 1873	K Wolf, Eld
91B372	Hiskey, Samuel	Cornelison, Nancy N	19 May 1867	R T McClain JP
171B818	Hiteman, Christopher	Steinhouse, Alvine	20 Dec 1874	J S Kirkpatrick MG
145B482	Hobb, L F	Lovelace, Eliza	19 Sept 1872	Israel Mershon MG
16B232	Hockenbury, M C	Drake, Ann M	28 May 1857	A D Kellison M
204B1245	Hockett, Stephen D	Stanley, Ruth A	9 Aug 1877	W F Burke MG
157B637	Hodges, Daniel	Mapes, Alice A	2 Oct 1873	E P Ingalls MG Polk C
159B665	Hodgson, Richard Jr	Drake, Delsenia	20 Nov 1873	S R Ferguson MG
115B101	Hoff, William	Kirkland, Mary A	24 Oct 1869	Edward Dickinson MG
220B1457	Hoffman, Lewis	Haynes, Clara	17 Dec 1878	Thomas Miller
3A70	Hogg, Andrew J	Humphrey, Rebecca		
57B85	Hogg, George W	Gentry, Dicy	2 Aug 1863	Jonathan A Speer BM
189B1049	Hogg, Wesley	Garst, M F	3 Apr 1876	Fred Beeler JP
147B517	Hogle P C (? Hogbe)	Harper, Molly S	26 Nov 1872	J F Coolman MG
234B1644	Hogle, W M	Eberle, E L	17 Feb 1880	J H Potter MG
161B693	Hogson, Robert	Davis, Idelia D	17 Jan 1874	Israel Compton JP
→ 173B841	Hoisington, A J	Smith, Mary	31 Dec 1874	J S Kirkpatrick MG
→ 179B927	Hoisington, John	McLain, Mary	2 Sept 1875	Butler Bird MG
168B785	Holbrook, F S	Shrakengast, S J	7 Oct 1874	O P Badger MG
143B462	Holdcroft, Charles	Casebier, Matilda	25 July 1872	D Baxter JP
157B642	Holderbaum, M S	Leochner, Rosa	9 Oct 1873	J S White JP
146B500	Hole, John M	Moore, Emily	22 Oct 1872	K D Wolf MG
192B1088	Hollett, James A C	Ford, Alice	15 Aug 1876	Thornbrue MG
48B81	Holliday, Saml	Dabney, Mariah E	31 Dec 1861	J C Ewing MG
60B112	Holliday, S M	Root, Almira	5 Dec 1863	J C Ewing MG
88B330	Hollingshead, Henry W	Roberts, Elizabeth Jane	11 Jan 1867	Israel Mershon MG
85B304	Hollingsworth, Jesse J	Hyskell, Caroline S	6 Nov 1866	Israel Mershon M
53B43	Hollingsworth, J L	Brown, Mary E C	7 Sept 1862	J H Creger MG
55B56	Hollingsworth, Nimrod	Hiatt, Eveline	25 Dec 1862	John H Creger MG
151B562	Holmes, A	Caskey, Martha	9 Mar 1873	R D Tisdale MG
142B451	Holmes, D C	Kipp, Mary	11 June 1872	Jamed Lisle MG
38B434	Holmes, Isaac	Bishop, Lovina	10 Apr 1860	Wm Drae MG
196B1147	Holmes, Isaac	Carter, Mattie	26 Dec 1876	E C Boaz, MG
157B643	Holmes, James	Priest, Nancy E	19 Oct 1873	R A Creger MG
151B563	Holmes, James W	Hannon, Elizabeth J	6 Mar 1873	Clark Dowell MG
227B1555	Holmes, J N	Ralston, Capitola	28 Sept 1879	John Fulton MG
215B1391	Holmes, Michal B	Harford, Alice A	4 July 1878	J H Morrison MG
128B271	Holmes, S M	Steven, Fannie	25 Dec 1870	J H Creger





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# MARRIAGE REGISTER

NO.	NAMES OF PARTIES	DATE OF LICENSE	DATE OF MARRIAGE	NAME OF THE PERSON BY WHOM THE MARRIAGE WAS SOLEMNIZED
841	A. Worthington Mary Smith	Dec 28 1894	Dec 31 1894	J. Kirkpatrick M.A.
842	John A. Dryden Sarah Warden	Dec 29 1894	Dec 31 1894	A. Thornbome M.A.
843	Charles C. Cole H. Salana, Oldham	Dec 29 1894	Dec 31 1894	A. J. Delano M.A.
844	Marcus W. Dreestone Minna J. McEntiey	Dec 31 1894	Dec 31 1894	J. W. Stiffler M.A.

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1895	"	"	"	"
845	William Kemerer Dorah Morgan	July 5 1895	July 7 1895	J. H. Boardman J.O.
846	George Shindbecker Eveline Rhynd	July 6 1895	July 7 1895	J. H. Foxson M.A.
847	David Goodwin Emma Hale	July 14 1895	July 14 1895	J. A. Smith M.A.
848	James M. Dowell Sadie R. Dowell	July 15 1895	July 21 1895	G. P. Riehl M.A.
849	Isaac W. Bride Pruece Chambers	July 18 1895	July 18 1895	J. A. Smith M.A.
850	Joseph B. Giles Maria J. Crawford	July 18 1895	July 19 1895	G. P. Riehl M.A.
851	W. P. Goyt Minnie West	July 19 1895	July 28 1895	J. H. Greger M.A.
852	W. H. Barley Samuel W. Laughlin	July 21 1895	July 24 1895	Isaac Compton J.O.

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NO.	NAMES OF PARTIES.	DATE OF LICENSE.	DATE OF MARRIAGE.	NAME OF THE PERSON BY WHOM THE MARRIAGE WAS SOLEMNIZED.
918	Jacob C. Rapp Martha Longshore	July 30 <sup>th</sup> 1845	July 31 <sup>st</sup> 1845	Butler Bird M. G.
919	Milton L. Ciddell Prima Barrington	July 31 <sup>st</sup> 1845	Aug 1 <sup>st</sup> 1845	Isaac Holmes Jr.
920	Ruben Dick Liza Mat. Mattap	Aug 2 <sup>nd</sup> 1845	Aug 3 <sup>rd</sup> 1845	J. W. Bogardus Jr.
921	Austin P. L. S. Alice C. Hunt	Aug 2 <sup>nd</sup> 1845	Aug 3 <sup>rd</sup> 1845	J. H. Weger M. G.
922	C. S. Spencer Anna Bonaway	Aug 4 <sup>th</sup> 1845	Aug 15 <sup>th</sup> 1845	J. T. Hughes M. G.
923	C. R. Lambert Sarah Ann Honigman	Aug 7 <sup>th</sup> 1845	Aug 12 <sup>th</sup> 1845	A. Thombne M. G.
924	Charles Kalle Emily J. Martin	Aug 9 <sup>th</sup> 1845	Aug 5 <sup>th</sup> 1845	Isaac Holmes Jr.
925	Samuel M. Poy Harriet L. Spurgin	Aug 11 <sup>th</sup> 1845	Aug 14 <sup>th</sup> 1845	W. B. Rowley Jr.
926	O. C. Beeler Rosilla M. Beeler	Aug 15 <sup>th</sup> 1845	Aug 15 <sup>th</sup> 1845	Wm. Beeler M. G.
927	John H. Singleton Mary M. Laine	Aug 31 <sup>st</sup> 1845	Sept 2 <sup>nd</sup> 1845	Butler Bird M. G.
928	George R. Chick Mary C. Hobson	Sept 1 <sup>st</sup> 1845	Sept 1 <sup>st</sup> 1845	R. A. Matthews M. G.
929	R. H. Simpson M. F. Carter	Sept 2 <sup>nd</sup> 1845	Sept 2 <sup>nd</sup> 1845	W. H. Hughton M. G.
930	G. J. Breeding M. F. Simpson	Sept 2 <sup>nd</sup> 1845	Sept 2 <sup>nd</sup> 1845	W. H. Hughton M. G.



# IN MADISON COUNTY.

## RETURN OF CERTIFICATE

Full Age	Aff of J W Bogartus	Returned	Aug 5 '75
"	" " " " " "	"	"
Consent of parents	James Hill	"	Aug 13 '75
"	John Ann's Cunningham	"	"
Full Age	Aff of B J Mearns	"	Sept 7 '75
"	Personal Knowledge	"	"
Consent of parents	Aff of George M Hart	"	Sept 6 '75
"	" " " "	"	"
"	" " " " B N Spencer	"	Jan 13 '76
"	" " " " H. C. Conant	"	"
Full Age	Aff of J M Naughton	"	Aug 17 '75
"	" " " " " "	"	"
Consent of parents	A J Martin	"	Aug 13 '75
"	" " " " " "	"	"
Full Age	Aff of John Delark	"	Sept 6 '75
"	Personal Knowledge	"	"
"	Aff of Fred Beeler	"	Sept 7 '75
"	" " " " " "	"	"
Consent of parents	A J Morrison	"	Sept 18 '75
"	" " " " John M Lavin	"	"
Full Age	Aff of James M Hobson	"	Sept 4 '75
"	" " " " " "	"	"
"	" " " " B D Carter	"	Sept 13 '75
Consent of parents	" " " "	"	"
Full Age	Aff of B D Carter	"	Sept 13 '75
"	" " " " " "	"	"



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NO.	NAMES OF PARTIES.	DATE OF LICENSE.	DATE OF MARRIAGE.	NAME OF THE PERSON BY WHOM THE MARRIAGE WAS SOLEMNIZED.
1443	James D. Cheever North C. Smith	Nov. 16 <sup>th</sup> 78	Nov. 31 <sup>st</sup> 1878	Thos. Miller M. G.
1444	Thos. H. Quinn Amanda E. Croger	Nov. 18 <sup>th</sup> 78	Nov. 20 <sup>th</sup> 78	Arthur D. Dudley Minister of Gospel
1445	Cornel Fendiger Mecia Thomas	" 23 <sup>rd</sup> 78	Nov. 26 <sup>th</sup> 78	J. Horn M. G.
1446	Jackson Duckitt Mary J. Whited	" " "	Nov. 28 <sup>th</sup> 78	Geo. Koon M. G. J. P.
1447	Adwin Graham Mary J. Kilmington	" 25 <sup>th</sup> 78	Nov. 26 <sup>th</sup> 78	Henry Wallace M. G.
1448	E. P. Diggs E. J. Griffin	" 26 <sup>th</sup> 78	Nov. 28 <sup>th</sup> 78	T. M. Buchanan M. G.
1449	Rodman L. Colton Mary J. Fry	" 28 <sup>th</sup> 78	Nov. 28 <sup>th</sup> 78	J. H. Beman J. P.
1450	T. M. Tarbell Flora Fisher	" 29 <sup>th</sup> 78	Dec. 1 <sup>st</sup> 1878	Thos. Miller M. G.
1451	F. M. Rhone Lucia M. Simpson	Nov. 29 <sup>th</sup> 78	Dec. 5 <sup>th</sup> 78	Geo. Koon J. P.
1452	Elizah Matters Joseph E. Jackson	" 6 <sup>th</sup> 78	Dec. 8 <sup>th</sup> 78	Geo. Jones M. G.
1453	S. E. M. Nett Mary O. Bradshaw	" 6 <sup>th</sup> 78	Dec. 18 <sup>th</sup> 78	Isaac Holmes J. P.
1454	John Gardner Clara M. Owen	" 9 <sup>th</sup> 78	Dec. 16 <sup>th</sup> 78	Geo. Koon J. P.
1455	Richard P. Cetter Mary C. Cuff	" 10 <sup>th</sup> 78	Dec. 11 <sup>th</sup> 78	G. P. Raitt M. G.

# IN ~~WINDHAM~~ COUNTY.

## RETURN OF CERTIFICATE

Therage	Aff of A. M. Smith	Returned	November 21 <sup>st</sup>	71 1878
"	" Council of District D.	"	50	73 78
"	" David S. Maag	"	December	2 75
"	" Aff of J. W. Torrey	"	November	27 78
"	" J. W. Grinnell	"	"	30 78
"	" A. P. Piggott	"	December	27 78
"	" J. M. Collins	"	December	28 78
"	" David Fisher	"	December	26 78
"	" J. M. Corbridge	"	December	13 78
"	" J. W. Jones	"	February	5 79
"	" Aff of T. J. Lee	"	December	9 78
"	" " D. C. South	"	December	19 78
"	" " A. R. Duff	"	December	27 78

Madison COUNTY.

RETURN OF CERTIFICATE

Full Age	Personal Knowledge	Returned	July 29 '95
"	"	Offt of A. J. Horsington	"
"	"	Personal Knowledge	July 4 '95
"	"	Offt of John A. Dryden	"
"	"	John B. Taylor	July 1 '95
"	"	"	"
"	"	John McConkey	July 12 '95
Consent of parent	"	"	"
Full Age	Offt of W. W. Clanton	"	July 11 '95
"	"	"	"
"	"	D. R. Dickenshut	July 25 '95
"	"	"	"
"	"	Capt. Dutton	July 19 '95
"	"	"	"
Consent of parent	Robert M. Howell	"	July 25 '95
Full Age	Offt of J. M. Linnace	"	"
"	"	Michael Lane	July 19 '95
"	"	"	"
Consent of parent	John B. Siles	"	July 25 '95
Full Age	Offt of Thos. W. Siles	"	"
"	"	J. B. Davis	July 3 '95
"	"	"	"
Consent of parent	Perry McLaughlin	"	July 26 '95
"	"	"	"