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Weliman, Washington County, lowa, December 31. 1903.

ADVANCE Wishes Its Readers A Happy and Prosperous N ϵ

COUNTRY CORRESPONDENCE

Nira: Business seems unusually dull during the bolidays.

Mart Glantz moved to day to the Scofield farm just vacated by Mr. Eckerbut preferable to March mud, we pre-Suine.

Two men from Washington were up hadn't bought yet.

At the regular meeting of the Nira-Wellman Telephone Company held at Longwell was elected president, J. B. Hanley, Vice-president, P. A. Mulchy, Secretary, Wm. McClelland, treasurer and John Glantz and Wm. Dorrance, directors. Geo. Longwell, president, also rental Dayton home Christmas acts as director, ex officio. The meeting was a pleasant and enthusiastic one.

Davisson & Taylor shipped a car of hogs to day.

Dogs killed ono hog aud badly crippled six others for Joe Crosselt last better now 🐜 night.

Walter F.'s here Sunday. Ditto, Al. Walton's at H. N. Tracy's.

Miss Grace Miller came out from the days with relatives in this and Green the depot there township, Iowa county. C. Mahaffa returned to Des Moines

Thursday ...

John Davison and wife were passongers to Muscatine Thursday evening, returning Saturday.

- Ed. Lemoraux and wife were at the parental Tracy home Christmas. Grandma Tracy isn't improving as we had hoped she might.'- For several weeks her trouble hasn't yielded to treatment to any noticeable extent.

Levi Miller and daughter and Ross Miller drove over to D. Wade's Friday to visit and feast. The former two remained across the river for an extended visit. Shirley-Norris was in Wellman between trains yesterday. Joe Crossett and Ross Miller drove down. C. C. Lowis was a passenger to Wellman to day.

Several of the members were present Saturday at the regular meeting of the Horse Company. Hon. H. H. Willson, H. G. Moore, M. C. Struble, I. N. Carr, P. F. Krueger and Chas Blumenstein were up from Wellman

Chas Miller came in from Atlantic, Iowa, to visit a few days

AMISH.

Sol, Gingerich came home from Elkhart Indiana, to spend the holidays at home. He holds a good position in the schools thore, and while here will deliv- her aunt, Mrs. Hess or lectures at his old home school, No. 8. good.

Of Lit Latior unigh bought of John

FAIRVIEW. Henry Neisand family Sundayed at the McCrabb home, over south.

Ezra Eckerman moved to the farm he ented near Keota, Tuesday, and Mart man's. The weather was pretty fresh Glanz moved the same day to the farm vacated by the former.

O. G. Shepherd and family came back from N. Dakota Saturday, and will stay examining the Lewis farm yesterday, but at Mr. Shepherd's until Thursday, when they will move to Wellman. Res wants to rent a farm. Welcome back to Iowa.

Everybody seemed to enjoy the Christ-P. A. Mulchy's Monday evening, Geo. mas exorcises at the church Thursday evening

A L White butchered a beef for Mr Zenter Monday

RollaEckerman's ate turkey at the pa-

Some of the neighbors are getting their ice up this week

The doctor was called to Will Davisson's last week to see little Johny, who was quite ill a few days, but is much

Mr and Mrs Henry Watters came from Frank Furman's, of Foote, were at their home at Fairfield Monday for a few days' visit with their daughter, Mrs

Ed Romine Henry Wetrich was home from Stuart University Thursday to spend the holi- for the holidays He has a position in

> We understand that Miss Hattie Me-Intire is visiting her sisters in the westerp part of the state

> Mrs Barbara Viggers, of Des Moines, who was called back by the serious illness of her father, Mr Haha, will remain

here until aftor New Year's Mr Statler, of near North English, was buried to-day (Tuesday)

Leo Weber, of Kalona, came up to see Maynard and Wayne Lyons, also to see

his sister. Mrs Berton Lakin

FRENDALE.

Clark Wimer came home from Missouri last week.

Mrs. Henry Livezey has gone to Iowa City to visit relatives.

Clark Wimer and family and Mise Ann Wimer, of Wellman, and Lou Wimer, of Oxford, ate Christmas dinner at J. W. Wimer's.

Otis McKray came out from Iowa City to spend Christmas at home. Clint Stimmel and Martha Dahlke

were married in Iowa City last Wednesday. They will reside on the Stimmel farm, east of Frendale.

A number of our people attended the silver wedding at W. A. DeFrance's Thursday and report an enjoyable time.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Crow, of Oxford, visited friends here last week. Elsie Cupp, of Kalona, is working for

Walt Livezey and family and G. W. at M. D. Boeney's.

Gingerich the John Troyer house, as Christmas tree at Bethel in spite of the the latter part of this week. farm and will not need it. Oscar hasn't The S. S. convention will be held at

Washington Rural Routs No. 3. South Prairie. This neighborhood was shocked to Arthur Jones sports a fine new sleigh. learn of the death of Mrs. John Downing. Our sympathy goes out to the bereaved family in the loss of wife and mother.

Mrs. Thos. Randell has been very sick for the past month, but is some better at this writing. - Jim Flood has moved to Washington. He will work on the dray line the com-

ing year. Thos. Schulty and Aaron Huber sawed wood last week. Miller did the work.

The Schulty families had their annual Christmas gathering at Chas. Schulty's this year.

Loxington will have a watch meeting Thursday night, with a descriptive sermon on the "Life of Christ," by Rev. Giller. Everybody go and hear this sermon'.

Don Brindley is numbered among our eick.

Al. Patterson has his scales in and is new ready to accommodate the neighborhood.

Mrs. Lou Siesman is home after an. eight weeks' stay with her parents in Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. Harkroader and children. from Illinois, are visiting his brother, John H. and her father, John Farris. They will be here most of the winter. Remember 1904 is a leap year.

KINROSS

C A Monaghan came home Thursday to spend the holidays

Miss Della Fry is spending this wcek with Miss Lucy Lytle

Messrs Hugh and Mike Quinn spent Sunday with their sister, Mrs A J Kelly sulting from a severe attack of asthma Hubert and Jonnie Fischer spent-

Sunday at Pat Kellv's M A Fischer and family spent Sunday with Adolph Yoss and family

Mr and Mrs Robert Wystt, of, Cedar Rapids, Mr and Mrs Mart McDowell and family and Mr and Mrs Newt Matthess spent Christmas at the M V Long home Mr and Mrs Geo Rickerd came up from Muscatine Thursday to spend the holidays at the parental Rickerd home Wm Cox put in a telephone one day last week for Dr. Boone

Prof Trumbo started for his home in West Virginia, Iowa, Friday morning:

Messrs, Joe and Roscoe Moler are spending the week with Andrew Möler and family

Misses Lucy Lytle and Della Fry spent Sunday at the Anthony Kelley home

Miss Emma Shepherd, who spent the past two weeks with Mary Seitsinger, returned home Saturday eve

R. F. D. No. 3.

Samuel Erb and wife returned home last Saturday from a few weeks' visit in Nebraska.

Sam Frienburger, William Slaughter and the Misses Katie Frienburger and Come out and hear him. It will do you | Klockenteger and wife spent Christmas | Anna Slaughter, from Henry county, of this state, are in our vicinity visiting There was quite a large crowd at the friends. They intend to return home

Mrs. F. C. Jones and family, and E. L. Jones and family ato Christmas dinner | Ha Brings With Him The Remains at J. C. Jonés'.

The young folks enjoyed a party at W. F. Hicks' last Tuesday ovening. Miss Anna Mulchy Visited in Nira

Christmas day. Dr. Harry Jones was out from the City Christmas day. Glynn and Day Jones went back with him Friday evening to visit over Sunday.

Harvey Stewart spent Sunday at Mrs. F. C. Jones'.

Mrs. Wm. Foster entertained H, L family, and George Foster and wife Christmas day.

Those who attended the Jones-Folger wedding from this neighborhood were: J. C. Jones and wife, H. L. Foster and wife, T.J. Moon and wife, Mrs. F. C. Jones, and Miss Mae Moon.

Surprise Valley.

Miss Florence Toms, of Iowa City, is visiting her sistor, Mrs. C. C. McReynolds, and other friends here during vacation,

Chris Miller sawed wood for Elmer Wilson and C. C. McReynolds Tuesday, and for George Whetstine Wednesday.

Death of firs, J. R. Downing,

The many friends of Mrs. John Down ing were painfully shocked on last Sunday to learn of her death which occurred at 2 p. m. on that day. Altho Mrs. Downing had been in failing health for a number of years, her last illness covered a period of only a few days, death reand neuralgia, from which she was a chronic sufferer, and which was aggravated by a severe cold contracted a week or so ago."

Martha E. Long was born in Miama county, Indiana, Feb. 25, 1852. From there the family moved to Illinois in 1854. They had only lived in their new home sixteen days when her father died, at the age of 27 years. In 1870, she came to Iowa, making her home with hor sister, Mrs. Dr. Morgan, in Daytonville.

On Nov: 14, 1872, she was united in marriage to J. R. Downing; and since their marriage, they have resided continuously in Wellman. Four children blessed their union; two of whom passed away in infancy. The oldest, Charles R., died May 23, 1879; at the age of six years, 3 months, and 23 days. Clyde Everald died 1878, aged 2 years, 5 months, and 27 days. One son, Dr. L. M. Downing, and one daughter, Mise Gertrude, are left with the bereaved husband to mourn the loss of a loving wife and mother. She also leaves two eisters, Mrs. Dr. Morgan and Mrs. J. K. Sanders, both residents of this place. Her only brother, Charles Long, passed

away at his home in Cuba, Illinois, over mother died at the home of Dr. Morgan in 1887, aged 64 years.

HOME. 'of Famous "Jimmle Morgan," Who Died Recently In

Rùssia. "Frank Murphy, who has spont the past yoar in Europe, arrived in Chicago,

December 24. He had, in his charge, the remains of his friend, the famous jockey, "Jimmie Morgan." who died in Warsaw. Russia, Oct. 1. Murphy was at the bedside of the little rider when he died- and it was at Morgan's request that he remained in Russia long enough to secure Foster and family, C. P. Bradford and the necessary governmental papers to bring the body back to this country. It nocessitated'a delay of eight weeks. Murphy briefly relates his dead friend's experiences in the saddle the "past season" "Jim was a great rider and considered the peer, not only of all the

> foreign riders, but of most of his Yankee rivals. "We could see his strength failing for weeks toward the end, and begged him to take a rest, but he always laughed

and said, 'Why I will be alive and riding raco horses when half of you fellows are dead and buried.' ITo nover seemed to realize that his days were numbered, and rode with brilliant success up to almost the hour of his death."

Morgan's great work in the saddle has been attracting much attention in the sporting circles for many years. For the past two years, his efforts have been put forth on the Russian turf, where among many other clovor achievements, was a victory in the Warsaw Derby, a

year ago last summer. Harry Morgan was called. tho Indian bocause of the Indian blood inherited from his mother, who was a full-blood Comanche. He was proud of his Indian blood and liked to be referred to as a redskin.

Morgan was much better educated than the average jockey, heing a great reader, and was also conversant with several different languages. The liberal to a fault, he was not a spendthrift, and leaves an estate of several thousand dollars., He was 31 years of age.

He had long suffered: from consumption, frequently having hemorrage of the lungs. It was a violent attack of hemorrage that finally onded, his axistence: Murphy left Chicago for Galesburg with the remains, last Thursday, where the renowned little jockey will be laid to rest beside his wife and child.

Obituary.

Frank Haha was born in Bohomia in 1840, died at the home of his daughter. Mrs. August Schroeder, December 24, 1903, aged 63 years.

sumptuous dinner- Many He came to Inwa about 30 years ago beautiful presents showed and has resided hero over since. In of the guests 1866 ho was married to Mary Spevacek, The bride's uncle who passed away about ten years ago D, officiated in the The deceased has lived near Richmond bride desired: all t a year ago, at the age of 63 years. Her since coming to Iowa, until after the had rendered the s death of his wife in 1893, when he came father and mother to the home of his daughter Mrs.

Many and hear

noon

William F. Organ; Margarot G. Murphy, 2). Robert B. Jones, 26; Annie P. Woeber, 24. Goorge F. Kelley, 22; Mary A. Fuller, 18. Jesse J. Ham. 39: Cadenco O. George, 24, 7:30 Closing. In behalf of the merchants and cle of Wellman, we agree to close our plac of business at 7:30 p.m. on every excepting Saturday, from Jan 1 April 1, 1904. Oldaker & Romine.

The county

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Charles D. DeVries, 28;

Martha A. Parrott, 28.

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J. frieschmann, E. F. McArtor, Thos. Reaney. R. R. Craig, Kirkpatrick & Turnipered. Longwell & Watters. E. H. Hucke, J. J. Ward. Shiller & Skolnik.

For Sale or Trade. One registered Aberdeen-Angus for sale or trade. Call on -or ph CHAS. SCHACHS R. F. D. No. 4, Wellman,

Married

At the home of Attorney A S b

at Washington, occurred the marri-

Mr E L Joues and Miss Georgiana

ger, Wednesday December 30, at

Mr. Jones is one of the well in

prominent farmers of Wallismi

Miss Folger has, for a number of ye

been a prominent worker among the

About thirty guests were present

witnessed the ceremony Mr Col

Folgor then regaled the gue Hin

cessful teachers of the county

Mr. G. has bought the Jake Gunden | cold weather. said whether he is going to settle down Bethel church, January 20. or not, -

Mrs. Jake Miller spent last Wednesday Tuesday. with her daughter, Mrs. Marion Erb. . C. O. Yoder and C. A. Meyers put in a new walk at the church last Wednesday. It is rumored that Geo. Miller, now of Clarion, Wright county, will take unto himself a wife soon. We'll be the first in offering congratulations.

Mrs. Frank Lantz and children, of Green Center, are spending the holidays "ät Grandma Long's.

-The Christmas services were very good, and many were the little folks made glad, and also older ones. All the little folks were treated to candy, etc.

Mr. M. C. Shaff, of: Iowa City, spent Christmas with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Maske entertained relatives at a Christmas dinner.

Mrs. Grace VanCieve and children, of Tipton, formerly of Daytonville, are spending the holidays with her parents. Mr. and Mrs. Jonas Miller. John Bell and wife, Mrs. F. Simmons

and children, of Franklin, and Elmer Morgan and family spent Sunday at F. "R. Meyers'.

Mr. Geo: Kelloy, of Green Valley, and Miss Mary Fuller, of Wellman, were married by Rev. Millice Christmas day. Mrs. John Palmer has been suffering with a gathering in hor head the last week.

Miss Hettie Shaver is expected home to spend New Year's if she is sufficiently rection fion her ear trouble by that ≝time.

John Warye and family spent Christmaa'in Iowa City with relatives. C.C. Dawson and Miss Zoe spent Christmas at home. The former was opliged to return the next day to Town City.

E. F. McArtor has the genuine Mandt oscillators for sale. Call and see them.

Mr. Hess delivered hogs at Parnell

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Yoder _visited at Eli Yodor's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Benell spent Christmas at D. W. Wertz'.

North R. F. D. No. 2.

The weather is a little off at this time. The Champion Hill Sunday school has purchased now song books, called, "Pentecostal Hymns, No. 3." There are a few left and if anyone should want one, call on Sarah Shrader.

Our L. A. S. meeting has been postponed one week.

A family reunion was hold at the Popham home Christmas.

Word came from Talent, Oregon, that E. E. Mofflt has purchased lots and intends building a house at once. It looks as if they intend to stay there. Miss Jennie Alton spent a few days at Williamsburg.

J. A. Shrader and family took dinner at the S. H. Huntsberger homo. Also J. D. Yoders' at S. C. Berrys', Santa Claus visited Tucker school

Thursday. Hattie McIntire and Cora Hull, who

have been visiting in these parts a week or ten days, returned home Saturday. Roy, Millico was not ablos to fill his

appointment at Champion Hill Sunday. Uncle Jim Miller and wife are real sick. It looks as if they would have to

stay in the house most of the winter. Eddic Rowe who suffered from a severe attack of appendicitis and was at the hospital in Cedar Rapids for a wook is at home again. ITo is doing as well as could be expected.

C. B. 'McDowell and family were in this part of the woods to spond Xmas.

Will Do Grinding.

Having bought the Deor Creek mill, I am now prepared to do feed grinding Give me a call. J. D. WERTZ.

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Joe Birkey, sr., is quite sick with ty phoid fever.

Sam Yoder was outsawing wood last week with his gasoline engine and new saw.

Some of the young folks spent Christmas day at J. Y. Yoder's.

Lizzio Kinsinger is able to be around again.

Eli and Elmer Marner have been preparing the timbers for C. J. Swartzendruber's new barn the past few weeks. Jack Doolen has rented the Ned Sprat farm for next summer. John C. Gingerich, from Missouri, ia

in our vicinity.

Mr. S. F. Gingerich, from Indiana, is here visiting with his parents and friends. We are informed that he will give a talk at the West Union church,on New Year's night. Everybody invited. Otto Gingerich sold his gasoline engine. Otto says he is going to drop out of the word sawing business.

Franklin

This is a cold day _ It reminds us that winter is here

Quite a good many people have colds Protracted meetings did not begin Monday night on account of the minister being sick, but will begin this evening ducted by Rev. W. L. Clapp after which if his health permits.

The Christmas entertainment at Franklin was a success It was the first ever hold here

Mrs E F Smith, and Miss Geneva and Nilo, and Mra C C Yoder and Ray visit. a number of her friends, Monday after. ed at the J II Cope home Monday

Wm Wade is spending a week in town visiting his sister, Mrs B R Steninger Mrs Geo Bell and son went to Kalona to spond Christmas with her parents Joe Fisher's butchered Monday Dan Wetrich is visiting in this neigh-

borhood this week Mr Will Stout is visiting his sister Mrs II W Simmons

A Happy New Year to all Bring in your poultry to Oldaker & Romine They will treat you right

truthfully be written on the life of the deceased, as she was a character of whom much good and no evil could be prompted by unsolfishness, purity, and consideration for those to whom it was hor privilege to minister. Mrs. Downing was a "home" woman, believing that her first great duty lay at her own fireside, and finding her greatest joy in the performance of it and her sweetest pleasure in the society of her own house-

hold. She was a great reader of miscellaneous matter, storing her mind with many good and beautiful thoughts, gleaned from the world of books. She was also a strong Christian. She was in the Catholic cemetery.

converted and united with the 'M. E. church in 1887 and has since proven herself a consistent member. Altho a woman to whom home and church duties appealed first, she was aware of the benefits of the fraternal organizations, being an honored member of the Eastern Star and Rathbone Sisters of this place.

The funeral services were held at the M. E. church, Tueeday, at 2 p. m., coninterment was made beside her little ones in the Wassonville cemetery.

Birthday Party.

Little Miss Amoret Craig entertained noon, in honor of her sixth birthday. The little ladies enjoyed themselves as only care free children can.

A dainty supper was servel to the wee guests.

The names of those present: Leona Matthess. Lucile Turnipseed. Mable Grifflth. Mildred Griffith. Rosalind Hamilton. Cora Blumenstein. Ellen Gardner. Merle Huffman,

Many pages of commendation might August Schroeder, to make his home Mr. Haha has always enjoyed the reputation of a good man -a man who lived for the better things in life. He was said. But suffice it to say that her an advocate of temperance, himself es deeds were always kind-hearted acts chewing strong drink and the use of tobacco. He was also a kind, indulgent husband and fathor He leaves to mourn their loss, two daughters, Mrs. August Schroeder, near Wellmnn, and Mrs. George Viggers, of Des Moines, also six gran Ichildron and a host of friends.

> The funeral services were hold at the Trinity church in Richmond on last Saturday, and were conficted by Rev. Father Weile, after which the romains were hid to rest, boside his companion,

Referee's Sale.

The undersigned Referce will, on Saturday, January 2, 1904, at 2 p. m., on the premises, sell for cash in hand to the highest bidder, with approval of Court, the roal estate known as the Marguret Hull farm. Said farm con-tains 160 acres and is situated 21/2 miles Northeast of Wellman. Washington Northeast of Wellman, Washington county, Iowa. All inquiries by mail or telephone will be promptly answered. J. W. TEETER, Referee, Washington, Iowa.

A Clear Docket.

WASHINGTON, Ia., Dec. 28 .- The criminal section of the bar docket just issued for the January term, of the district Xmas with C W court of Washington county is without Young at Citronelle a case. This has never occurred in this town; it had grown so Sre. county to the recollection of any of the and Sunday in Mobile, Bign county bar. Although the criminal docket is usually just a fow cases, this ern Bro- us excutime it is entirely blank.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to extend our thanks for the kindness, help and sympathy tendered us in the sickness death and burial of our father.

MRS. VIGOERS, MRS. A UGUST SHROEDER.

Ol lakor & Romine are dressing lots of poultry these days

es that greated the cu the ADVANCE joins with co A reception will be held of the groom's parents Jones to-morrow guests will be in Will Try t A now bridge Bunker Hill is be by farmers in that who are working fo of Wellman Two p ing circulated, secur in favor of a new bridg be presented to Wa board of supervisors at tu ing, asking them to act ur and build a bridge if farmer brethren in tha will agree to build Value and do all the filling . . county, which would mean considerable We hope th which are being liberally have enough mag supervisors to ind. have another brie glish before this Card Fre CHARLC" I am 400 mil[.] will go in to dr

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