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Chariton Couple Who Today Celebrate Golden Wedding



Chariton, March 26.—(Special).—Capt. and Mrs. L. S. Huntley of Warren township are today enjoying an event, the privilege of which is given to but few—the celebration of their golden wedding. Their children and a large number of other relatives and friends are spending the day at their hospitable home and extending to them their hearty congratulations. Lyman Southard Huntley and Mary E. Allen were united in marriage on March 26, 1860, at Geneva, Ohio. After the close of the civil war, during which Mr. Huntley served his country faithfully as a member of Company C, 96th Ohio Volunteer Infantry, the family came to Iowa, locating on the farm in Warren township which has since been their home. Five children have been born to them, only three of whom are living. They are Clark W., of Warren township; Mrs. Edith Brewer, of Indianola; Mrs. Mary E. Schaffer of Chariton. Two sons, Willard and Frank, died several years ago. In 1896 Capt. Huntley was elected representative from Lucas county to the Iowa legislature. He served one term and during an extra session also. He is a native of New Hampshire and is now 72 years old. Mrs. Huntley was born in Delaware county, Ohio and is now in her seventieth year. Both enjoy good health. During their residence here of 45 years they have endeavored themselves to all with whom they have come in contact. Lucas county has no better citizens than Capt. and Mrs. Huntley, and their innumerable friends join in the wish that they may have many more years of happy wedded life.

Eddyville Church But Recently Rededicated; Has Woman Pastor



THE EDDYVILLE CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.

WAS ORGANIZED IN YEAR 1845

FIRST MEETING TOOK PLACE IN INDIAN COUNCIL HOUSE 55 YEARS AGO.

—those who made the church what it is today by their faithfulness, saying, "As Lincoln said it was impossible to dedicate the field of Gettysburg, so it is impossible to consecrate the present structure." She then gave a review of the record which tells of the organization of the church in 1845. This took place in the Sac and Fox council house, Eddyville then being an Indian trading post.

Recalls Pioneers. Rev. Carter spoke of the early pioneers of Congregationalism, Revs. Spaulding, A. D. French, Daniel Lane, William Windsor and J. M. Chamberlain, who afterwards for many years was treasurer of Iowa college at Grinnell. Those of more recent date, Rev. Hand, in Eddyville for seven years and welcomed in every town; Rev. Hughes who brought about extensive repairs to the Eddyville church; Rev. Buck, who stood firm in the temperance cause; and Rev. Hemstead, without whom the church feels the work of the church would have been incomplete. She enumerated the characteristics of many whose names had familiar sounds to those present at the celebration. Among them were:

Others Lend Support. The choir of the Methodist Episcopal and Congregational churches, under the direction of M. C. L. Phillips, rendered most acceptable music, and were assisted by orchestra accompaniment. Rev. Lucy Carter, Congregational minister of Eddyville, directed the exercises and introduced the speakers. The morning sermon was preached by Rev. R. J. Locke of Ottumwa, and was a vivid delineation of the life and death of Saul. It showed by contrast how a sword may be used for power and success rather than for self annihilation and failure. Rev. Mr. Hemstead, both in the morning and the evening stirred the hearts of his hearers and recalled much of the pleasant in his former pastorate at Eddyville. The fellowship service in the evening was all that it purported to be. Rev. Mr. Seeds of the Methodist Episcopal church supplied an abundance of good humor. Rev. Mr. Silveira of the Baptist church had words of encouragement. Rev. R. J. Locke of Ottumwa impressed on those present the true meaning of fellowship among Christians of all names and was followed by Rev. Lucy Carter, the pastor of the church.

Pastor Makes Review. Rev. Carter paid a beautiful tribute to the faithful, living and dead, referring first to a booklet entitled "Boston Immortals." She then spoke of the church record of Eddyville Immortals.

IOWA HORSES IN CIRCUS STUNTS

CERRO GORDO COUNTY FARMER TRAINS ANIMALS FOR HIS OWN PLEASURE.

Eldora, March 26.—Horses that act like almost human, that are beautiful to look upon and which do wonderful feats belong to an Iowa farmer, are kept and trained for his pleasure and amusement, and belong to E. B. Cimijotti of Cerro Gordo county, and are kept by the farmer on a farm near Mason City. These wonderfully intelligent beasts are of the Arabian stock and some of them are golden cream and a far different strain than have ever been produced in the state. The owner is very proud of his drove of some thirty beauties and he has been offered large sums of money for them by showmen and others interested in all kinds of most beautiful horse flesh. So confident has been the owner in his stock that he has hired a professional trainer, Prof. W. A. Sigbee, to give them twelve months' special training.

In 1882 Frank Cimijotti imported a fine Arabian stallion and two mares. He commenced breeding and raising colts. In 1900 he gave all of horses to his son, E. B. Cimijotti, the present owner. There were then two strains, the Arabians with snow white hair and with pink hide and steel blue eyes. The other strain was golden cream, with snow white main and tail, and very intelligent animals. The animals are named Alexander and Napoleon Bonaparte. There are now thirty in the bunch, and ten have been trained to do tricks.

Some of the stunts which the owner puts his beauties through consist of going all gaits, cantering, trotting, loping, side stepping, single footing, marching, cake walk, cork screw with front feet, scratch their head with hind foot, stand on their head, laugh by raising the upper lip, slightly opening the mouth as if to say "yes," shak-

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Mr. Morrow is a prominent lawyer of Corydon and is well known throughout this section of the county. Mr. Ripper is a local merchant and has resided here for many years.

SURVEYORS AT WINTERSET.

Work on Red Oak and Des Moines Interurban is Being Pushed—Forty Miles of Right of Way Secured.

Winterset, March 26.—Winterset again has hopes of securing another railroad. A number of the men interested in the interurban from Red Oak to Des Moines were in Winterset and met with a number of the business men of this place with the idea of creating interest in an effort to aid the building of the road. Mr. Sontag, the promoter of the enterprise, and other influential men from Red Oak, were present. The plan of the company is to raise cash subscriptions a sufficient sum to make, with the right of way, the sum of \$600,000. Of this amount Red Oak has been apportioned \$100,000, Greenfield and Winterset each \$25,000, and the balance of the cash to Des Moines. Red Oak has already subscribed \$35,000, and Greenfield \$15,000. About forty miles of the right of way has already been secured. A prominent state official, who is connected with the enterprise, assured the Winterset people that the road would be built beyond any question, and that arrangements were already made with a bonding company to furnish what money is needed to build the road in addition to the \$600,000 to be raised locally.

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SIGOURNEY.

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Manchester, March 26.—County Superintendent Joseph has sent out this week to eighty lads, each one-half bushel of choice Swedish selected white and black oats, which is known to make enormous yields with but the ordinary methods of cultivation, and will scientific treatment to go beyond all expectations. A report is to be made once a month to Mr. Joseph of the progress being made by each entry, and a suitable prize will be awarded at the end of the contest for the greatest yield from the one-half bushel, which is supposed to be planted on a plot of one-eighth acre.

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Counting every number by pawing with front feet, picking up the rider's handkerchief, kneeling down to permit rider to mount and dismount, lying down, sitting up and jangling. In dancing they execute a drill of fifty-seven changes.

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her home in Ottumwa Sunday evening after a few days' visit with relatives south of town.

Mrs. Frans Peterson went to Ottumwa Monday, being called there by the death of her brother.

Miss Esther Polson returned to Ottumwa Sunday evening after a two days' visit at the Frans Peterson home.

Mr. Albert T. Johnson visited at the John Swanson home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Peterson were guests at the Chas. A. Carlson home near Willard Sunday.

Andrew Carlson and son Arthur were Chillicothe callers Saturday.

Harry Swanson was a visitor at the John Knubla home near Munterville Sunday.

Miss Alice Peterson accompanied by Miss Minnie Torsion, of Ottumwa, spent Saturday and Sunday at the John Peterson home south of town.

Mrs. Charles L. Swanson called at the Andrew French home West of Munterville Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stevens were passengers for Ottumwa Monday.

LIBERTYVILLE.

S. H. Watkins attended the horse sale in Fairfield Thursday.

Mrs. Dan Garber is reported on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Webb were shopping in Fairfield Wednesday.

Will Morrison spent Sunday with friends in Douds-Leandro.

Mr. and Mrs. Emery Pierson and children returned this week from several weeks' visit through California. They expect to reside in Libertyville.

Will Moore and son of Fairfield were in Libertyville Tuesday working on the bank.

William Yost and son were in Fairfield Thursday attending the horse sale.

The stallion owners in and near Libertyville will give a stallion show Saturday afternoon April 2, in Libertyville. The Libertyville band will furnish an hour's entertainment before the parade.

Allen Pierson and family have returned from a two months' visit in California. They expect to reside in Libertyville.

Mr. and Mrs. George Peebler of near Batavia spent Sunday at the Jim Peebler home in Libertyville.

EDDYVILLE.

The baby of Scott Williams is suffering with an abscess of the throat.

Frank DeLong has been appointed census enumerator for Columbia township.

Rev. Lucy Carter was an Oskaloosa passenger yesterday.

Mrs. Grace of Cameron, Illinois, and Mrs. Matler of Albia, have been visiting their sister, Mrs. Thomas Ewing.

Miss Bessie Funk who has been visiting for some time with her sister at La Pulpa, Okla., returned to her home in Eddyville this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Grimes and baby of Oskaloosa are visiting this week at the parental Kussart home.

John Miller of Cedar Falls, arrived last night in Eddyville to visit with his son, Harry and look after business interests.

Grover Hubbell of Des Moines, is here this week in the interest of the sand plant.

Gid Dotts and son George went to Oskaloosa today and purchased a Hayes 30 horse power automobile and drove home.

Frank Rice while at work today at the sand plant had the misfortune to receive a painful injury to his eye. The injury was so serious it was necessary to take him to Ottumwa to consult an eye specialist.

Lincoln Lee bought a fine team this week and paid \$500 for same.

Rev. Seede purchased a horse this week.

The Geo. DeTar farm of between three and four hundred acres, located five miles west of Eddyville, was sold at auction today. It was purchased by John Lanning, Joe Barber, L. J. Oldham and Chas. Stuber. The average price per acre was about \$55.00.

BIRMINGHAM.

Miss Blythe Bonnett has returned to Cedar Falls after a weeks vacation with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Shott were Ottumwa shoppers Thursday.

The Ladies' Aid society of the M. E. church gave an Easter social at the Commercial hotel Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. D. K. Bonar expect to go to Brighton Saturday and spend the summer with their daughter, Mrs. Martha Wood.

Misses Blythe Bonnett and Carrie Winslow visited over Sunday in Fairfield with their friend, Miss Carrie Israel.

Miss Jacob Reylor of Kendallville, Ind., spent several days of last week in town with her cousin, Miss Eula Glaugue.

Rev. Fenwick who was taken suddenly ill Sunday morning by being poisoned on canned salmon, is better now.

DUDLEY.

Mrs. Andrew Stodghill has returned from a visit with relatives in Ottumwa. L. J. Newquist and daughter Tillie were recent Ottumwa visitors.

Ed Perdue was a business visitor in Chillicothe Saturday.

Mrs. A. E. Gustavison returned to

BLOOMFIELD.

John Eckerd has bought the coal business, sheds and scales of O. E. Harbor, who recently purchased the same from S. A. Durlinger.

The Andrews Furniture Co., have purchased a new horse which arrived yesterday.

The Ottumwa Harp Orchestra passed through here yesterday enroute to Pulaski to give an entertainment.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Taylor returned to their home in Moberly Friday after a few days' visit at the W. M. Yates home southwest of the city, and the Wm. Eakin home in this city. Mrs. Gilbert's sister, Mrs. Anna Tomv and children returned with them for a shot visit.

Mrs. Louisa Sloan of Mark is visiting her granddaughter Mrs. Arch Dooley.

Samuel Darnielle of near Monterey is visiting his daughter Mrs. John Kline.

Mrs. Zetta Bingham and son Harold left Friday to spend Easter with her parents in Exline.

Miss Ethel Rhoades of Ottumwa returned Friday from a brief visit with her parents P. D. Rhodes and wife of near Bloomfield.

Mrs. J. T. Dooley spent Saturday with her sister Mrs. A. P. Christman of West Grove.

Mrs. Stella Teed and son John visited relatives in Ottumwa Friday.

Horace Carlow and family arrived Friday from Weidon, Ia., and expect to live here for the present.

Mrs. C. K. Gleason of West Grove was a city visitor Friday.

Mrs. A. E. Nash of Pulaski visited in Bloomfield Friday on her way to Ottumwa.

Mrs. John Mier left Friday for a few days' visit with her sons Chas. and Fred of Des Moines.

Miss Edna Crisman who attend the Normal spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents of West Grove.

Mrs. Effie Speer returned to Kirksville Friday where she is taking treatment at Dr. Still's hospital.

Mrs. John Pirtle visited the last of the week with her daughter, Mrs. Fred Mier of Des Moines.

PULASKI.

Mrs. Ed Higbee returned from Ottumwa Tuesday where she has been visiting friends since Friday.

E. J. Blume of Mt. Union, Iowa, is visiting his sister, Mrs. O. L. Saunders.

Philip Bletzer, living southeast of town died Wednesday night, after a lingering illness of several months. The remains were taken to Milton Friday for burial.

Mrs. J. M. Hunt visited relatives in Bloomfield from Friday until Monday. John Augspurger is quite sick with the la grip this week.

Swan Olson left Tuesday for Laramie City, Wyo., where he expects to locate if the country suits him.

A. F. Meredith had the misfortune to get injured in a runaway Saturday while coming from his farm. The team became frightened and started to run when the tug came unhooked, letting the tongue down and throwing Mr. Meredith over the dashboard, rendering him unconscious for a short time and bruising him up considerably. His right arm being injured in the elbow so that he has to carry it in a sling. The team was caught by Mr. Watkins and tied to the hitchrack until Mr. Meredith arrived and took them home.

Mrs. S. Brunk was a Bloomfield visitor Tuesday.

County Superintendent C. N. Spicer, visited the schools here Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Presley Marson of Milton, visited at the James Burns home Tuesday.

COLUMBIA.

After a year's sojourn in California Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Nye returned home Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Stodghill returned home Monday after a two weeks' visit with friends in Cedar Rapids, Des Moines, Pella and Ottumwa.

Webb Cramblit and Miss Elsie Sellers were married in Ottumwa, Wednesday March 9, and are now at home to their friends at the parental Cramblit home where they will reside.

Mrs. Elias Canfield who has been quite sick is recovering.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Olney visited at the Elias Canfield home Sunday.

The young people of this place met at the church for choir practice Saturday night.

STOPS LAMENESS

Much of the chronic lameness in horses is due to neglect. See that your horse is not allowed to go lame. Keep Sloan's Liniment on hand and apply at the first sign of stiffness. It's wonderfully penetrating—goes right to the spot—relieves the soreness—limbers up the joints and makes the muscles elastic and pliant.

Here's the Proof.

Mr. G. T. Roberts of Resaca, Ga., R.F.D. No. 1, Box 43, writes:—"I have used your Liniment on a horse for some time and effected a thorough cure. I also removed a spavin on a mule. The spavin was as large as a guinea egg. In my estimation the best remedy for lameness and soreness is

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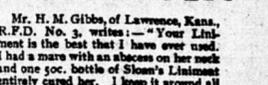
Mr. H. M. Gibbs, of Lawrence, Kans., R.F.D. No. 3, writes:—"Your Liniment is the best that I have ever used. I had a mare with an abscess on her neck and one 50c bottle of Sloan's Liniment entirely cured her. I keep it around all the time for galls and small swellings and for everything about the stock."

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TWO-THIRDS OF CORN WORTHLESS

JAMES EXPERTS DECLARE SEED CORN INTENDED FOR IOWA PLANTING NO GOOD

Chariton, March 26.—(Special).—That fully two-thirds of the seed corn intended for planting in Iowa this spring is absolutely valueless and will not germinate properly is the startling discovery made by the Ames experts on the special seed corn train which the Burlington route is running over its Iowa lines this week. The seed corn germination test made at Glenwood showed 28 per cent of the corn good. At Bedford and Malvern one-half the kernels germinated nicely. At Willisca and Corning only one kernel out of ten was declared good and strong. At Lenox the ratio was one to four. At Greenfield and Massena one in three will produce properly.

The Ames experts are urging on every farmer the importance of testing his seed corn, of grading the shelled corn and of calibrating the planter so that it will drop three uniform sized kernels in each hill. In addition they are urging that each farmer establish a five-acre seed patch in which to plant his best seed for this spring in order to have a sure supply of better seed next year and future years. The plan is meeting with general favor.

The experts with the train are: Prof. P. G. Holden, M. L. Bowman, B. W. Crossley, M. L. Mosbier, A. H. Snyder and J. R. Lauderdale.

The Burlington railroad has furnished the train free of charge to do what it can to increase the crop yield. The following Burlington route officials are accompanying the train: E. R. Puffer of Chicago, general freight agent; W. G. Wagner of Burlington, division freight agent, and E. H. Hunter of Des Moines, special representative.

DES MOINES CLUB GETS GOAL.

Secures the Coveted 200 Members and is Now Ready to Construct Its New Home.

Des Moines, March 26.—The Des Moines club kicked the winning goal in its membership campaign at noon yesterday when they reported a total of twenty new members, bringing the membership of the club up to an even 200. Des Moines club and Greater Des Moines committee men have been working on this campaign all week. The plans for the new building of the Des Moines club will now be carried out without delay and the construction work will begin May 1.

New members added to bring the total up to the 200 mark are: J. B. McGorrick, H. C. Wallace, D. W. Corley, Simon Casady, R. M. Galbraith, Charles L. Powell, I. M. Earle, H. H. Coggeshall, F. A. Baylies, Henry F. Garver, W. C. McArthur, E. J. Davidson, Robert Fullerton, B. N. Moss, Fred L. Wells, J. C. Cummins, M. L. Turner, A. L. Hager, W. B. Southwell, R. A. Crawford and W. P. Darwin.

FOREIGNERS BUY IN APPANOOSE CO.

AUSTRIANS, ITALIANS AND OTHERS BUY FARMS NEAR CENTERVILLE.

Centerville, March 26.—Some one remarked the other day at the increasing number of investments made in Appanoose county lands and property by the foreign born citizens and others who will be citizens in the course of time.

This spring there have been a number of deals in which Austrians, Italians and other nationalities have bought farms. The history of the last few years has shown that they are a frugal class and settle down with the idea of improving their lands and putting them on a paying basis, which they have in a large measure accomplished.

Some have remarked that these people take hold of farm propositions that native Americans pass by and make a good thing out of them. There are numerous instances in the past where Swedes, Germans and others took up lands when land was cheaper in price and now they are nicely situated. They have made the soil produce and can live and enjoy life off the income from the underlying coal alone. It is prophesied that in fifteen to twenty years the foreigners who are now investing their savings in Appanoose county land will be the substantial well to do farmers of this section.

NURSES TAKE FIRM STAND.

Want Certificates Filled With the State Board of Health.

Des Moines, March 26.—The Registered Nurses of Iowa have come out squarely for a strict enforcement of the state law requiring all graduate nurses to file their names and certificates of graduation with the secretary of the state board of health. This decision was reached at a conference held in Des Moines between the state officers and the officers of the local association.

The program for the state meeting was completed at the conference, which was attended by Miss Ida Goodale of Iowa City, president of the state nurses' association and Mrs. Ida Koff of Waterloo, secretary of the organization. The opening session will be given over to a discussion of "Infant Mortality," following a paper by Miss Marienne Zichy of Fairfield. "The History of Visiting Nurses" will be the subject of a paper by Mrs. Jennie Dodge, a visiting nurse of Sioux City. "Red Cross Work" is the subject assigned to Miss Aurilia Perry, superintendent of the Presbyterian hospital at Waterloo. A discussion on medical inspection in the public schools will be led by Miss Emma Wilson, one of the Des Moines inspectors.

Catholic Editor Dies.

Chicago, March 28.—Charles J. O'Malley, editor of the New World, a Catholic publication, is dead, aged 53.