

**J. W. Doxsee**

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JAMES M. HEALD, farmer and former state legislator, died in Nashua, Iowa, on November 12, 1939. He was born at Bradford, Iowa, January 26, 1861, and received his education in the Bradford Academy and at Iowa State Teachers College. Mr. Heald was engaged in farming most of his life. He was elected to represent Chickasaw County in the 42nd, 42nd Extra, and the 43rd General Assemblies.

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J. W. DOXSEE, lawyer and newspaper publisher, died in Monticello, Iowa, November 7, 1939. The son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred R. Doxsee, he was born in Western Star, Ohio. In 1863 he removed with his parents to Bowen's Prairie Iowa. Educated in the Monticello High School, Lenox College, at Hopkinton, Iowa, and at Iowa State College, Ames, he began the reading of law soon after his graduation from the latter institution in 1877. Admitted to the bar in 1879, four years later he bought the *Monticello Express* with his law partner, Marshall W. Herrick. Upon the dissolution of the firm in 1888, Mr. Doxsee continued to publish the paper and continue his law practice at the same time. The paper still continues to be conducted by the family. Mr. Doxsee was a member of the Monticello School Board for ten years, and was a director in the Monticello State Bank.

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FRANK A. HUDDLESTUN, farmer and stock breeder, died in Webster City, November 10, 1939. Born in De Witt County, Illinois, September 7, 1862, he was educated in the public schools of Illinois, and began his farming career in that state. Removing to Hamilton County, Iowa, in 1892, and moving fourteen years later to Webster City, he continued his main passion, the raising of purebred Shire horses. He was recognized throughout the country as one of the outstanding breeders of horses and participated in numerous exhibitions and shows.

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