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* OBITUARY. *
* 12-23-1913 *
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John Turtle.

John Turtle was born in County Antrim, Ireland, Aug. 26, 1872, and died at his home, northwest of Newburg, Dec. 13, 1913, at the age of 41 years, 3 months and 17 days. He was a sufferer of rheumatism, blood poisoning and at last succumbed to inflammatory rheumatism of the heart.

He was married to Sarah Bell Oct. 30, 1898, coming to Alberta, Canada, in April, 1890, and from there they came to Iowa, Aug. 1, 1910. To this happy union were born nine children. Two boys preceded their father in death. The remaining children are William J., Agnes H., John, Emma, Lillja and twins, Francis and Florence, and these with the mother, brothers and sisters, mourn his loss. The brothers and sisters are, W. J., Adam, Mrs. Hannah Keenan, Anna and Sarah L., all of Glasgow, Scotland, Mesdames Jane Simpson, Mary Lizzie Buick, Emily Carson and Henrietta Allen of County Antrim, Ireland, George of Alberta, Canada, and Frank of Gilman vicinity.

He united with the Presbyterian church in Cullbacky, County Antrim, Ireland. He was a loving husband and father, a kind neighbor and friend, and his untimely death will be sad to all who knew him.

The funeral services were held Monday from the home at 11 o'clock and at 12 o'clock at the Hickory Grove U. B. church in charge of Rev. H. L. Wissler of Chester Center, and burial followed in the cemetery at the church.