

Alena, the wife of Gust G. Haugen, proprietor of a restaurant in Decorah. After a long illness the wife and mother departed this life in May, 1891, and Mr. Anderson was again married in the fall of 1897 to Sylvia Hopperstad, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Hopperstad, who were likewise natives of Norway and were farming people of Lincoln township, this county. Five children have been born of Mr. Anderson's second marriage, Ernest, Stella, Angeline, Leon and John.

Mr. Anderson is a stockholder in the Farmers Creamery Company of Ridge-way. His political allegiance is given to the republican party, while his religious faith is that of the Lutheran church. He has spent practically his entire life in Winneshiek county and is therefore well known in this section of the state. He is a successful farmer who is held in high esteem by his neighbors and friends.

HENRY F. KORNMEYER.

Among the foremost horsemen of Decorah and Winneshiek county is Henry F. Kornmeyer, who conducts one of the leading liveryies in that city. He was born October 8, 1869, a son of Bernard and Mary (Dannelfelser) Kornmeyer, the father a native of Germany and a descendant of an old and substantial family of that country. He was a brickmaker by trade and when a young man came to America, about fifty years ago, locating in Decorah in pursuance of his occupation. The father started his first brickyard on the site where the Luther College stands today and manufactured in his yard the brick for the first buildings of that institution. He also engaged for some years in freighting from Decorah to McGregor, taking grain to McGregor, and bringing back provisions before the era of the railroad. He became the owner of a valuable farm southwest of the city and adjoining the same and was cultivating the soil there when he passed away in 1900. His wife was also a native of Germany and their marriage occurred in Pennsylvania, they coming west shortly after that event to Decorah. She is still residing on the home farm, having passed the seventy-fifth milestone on life's journey in March, 1913. In their family were seven children: Charles, a brick manufacturer of Decorah; Louisa, the wife of Charles Linkenheil, of Le Mars, Iowa; Henry F., of this review; Emma, the wife of Frank Hess, of Decorah; Bernard, a brickmaker of Decorah; Mamie, the wife of Harry McCusker, a real-estate dealer of Wahpeton, North Dakota; and Rosa, the wife of Al Callander, of Ocheyedon, Iowa.

Henry F. Kornmeyer attended the Decorah public schools and while growing to manhood developed a great love for horses. For years he followed racing, driving and training these noble animals, and breaking and conditioning them for a period of sixteen years. During that time he was connected with such well known people as M. E. McKendrie, J. Scott McCoy, Fred Robar and Colonel Robert Neales among other noted horsemen. In October, 1911, Mr. Kornmeyer purchased the Reed stables in Decorah and has since been engaged in the livery business with steadily increasing success. His are among the best stables in the city and enjoy a large and representative patronage. He conducts