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Centralia Iowa

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A. W. Furgel,
Mayville, N.Y.

Dear Sir,

I recd. a letter from you today, and you wanted to know if Nolan was here yet and if I could give you any information about him.

The man you refer to is dead now his name was Hardie Nolan, but he has a son by the name of Jim living in ~~some~~ Dubuque, Iowa, Ten miles from ~~here~~ his father was Surveyor here in 1865. I think. ~~your truly~~

I used to know the old
gentleman when he was living
here. he was a very nice man
as far as I knowed him,
but I guess his son Jim
aint very much as far as
I know.

Thats about as much
information as I could give
you. Nick Meyer. P. M.
Centralia
Lumber Co. Iowa.