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"Doing Good."

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STILL "doing good" through lengthening years
Till comes the Master's call;
"An honored life, a peaceful death,
And heaven to crown it all."

From a poem by Miss PHOENIX A. HOLDEN, suggested by the life-motto—
"Doing Good"—of W. H. WELLS.

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1. The first part of the document discusses the importance of maintaining accurate records of all transactions and activities. It emphasizes that proper record-keeping is essential for transparency and accountability, particularly in the context of public administration and financial management. The text notes that without reliable data, it is difficult to assess performance, identify trends, and make informed decisions.

2. The second section focuses on the challenges associated with data collection and analysis. It highlights that while digital tools have improved the efficiency of data gathering, they also introduce new risks, such as data security and privacy concerns. The document suggests that organizations should implement robust security protocols and ensure that data is stored and processed in a secure and compliant manner.

3. The third part of the document addresses the need for standardized reporting formats and procedures. It argues that consistency in data presentation is crucial for facilitating comparison and benchmarking across different departments and time periods. The text recommends the adoption of common templates and guidelines to ensure that all reports are clear, concise, and easy to interpret.

4. The final section discusses the role of technology in enhancing data management and reporting. It mentions that cloud-based solutions and data visualization tools can significantly improve the accessibility and usability of information. However, it also cautions against over-reliance on technology, emphasizing that human oversight and expertise remain vital for ensuring the accuracy and integrity of the data.

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WILLIAM HARVEY WELLS,

OLDEST SON OF HARVEY AND RHODA (CHAPMAN) WELLS,
BORN, TOLLAND, CT., FEB. 27, 1812,
LIVED ON THE HOME-FARM UNTIL 17; IN 1829-30, ATTENDED
AN ACADEMY, AND IN 1831-2, TAUGHT A DISTRICT-SCHOOL.
AT VERNON, CONN.; AT ANDOVER, MASS., ATTENDED
FOR EIGHT MONTHS THE TEACHERS' SEMINARY,
WHERE HE TAUGHT FROM 1836-47; IN 1845,
RECEIVED HONORARY DEGREE OF M.A.
FROM DARTMOUTH COLLEGE;
IN 1846, ISSUED HIS "SCHOOL GRAMMAR"; PRINCIPAL OF THE
PUTNAM FREE-SCHOOL, AT NEWBURYPORT, MASS., FROM
APRIL, 1848-54; PRINCIPAL OF THE STATE NORMAL
SCHOOL, AT WESTFIELD, MASS., FROM 1854-6;
SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC SCHOOLS AT
CHICAGO, FROM JUNE 1, 1856-64;
ONE OF THE ORGANIZERS OF THE MASSACHUSETTS STATE
TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION; ONE OF THE FIRST EDITORS OF
THE "MASSACHUSETTS TEACHER"; AT DIFFERENT
TIMES WAS PRESIDENT OF THE ESSEX-COUNTY
(MASS.) TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION, THE MAS-
SACHUSETTS STATE TEACHERS' ASSOCIA-
TION, THE NATIONAL TEACHERS'
ASSOCIATION, CHICAGO BOARD OF EDUCATION, AND BOARD OF
LIFE-UNDERWRITERS; ONE OF THE ORGANIZERS AND VICE-
PRESIDENT OF THE CHICAGO ASTRONOMICAL SOCIETY;
MEMBER OF BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF CHICAGO
PUBLIC LIBRARY; TRUSTEE OF THE CHICAGO
HOSPITAL FOR WOMEN AND CHILDREN;
MEMBER CHICAGO HISTORICAL SOCIETY, CHICAGO ACADEMY OF
SCIENCES, ILLINOIS STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION, YOUNG
MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION, ENGLISH PHILOLOGI-
CAL SOCIETY; AUTHOR OF THE GRADED COURSE
OF INSTRUCTION; ASSISTED IN THE REVISION
OF WEBSTER'S UNABRIDGED DICTIONARY;
ETC., ETC.;
DIED, CHICAGO, ILL., JANUARY 21, 1885,
INTERRED AT ROSEHILL CEMETERY.

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