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SOCIETY DIRECTORY.

A. F. and A. M.—1st and 3d Monday evenings, K. of P.—Every Wednesday evening.
Encampment—1st and 3d Fridays.
G. A. R.—3d Tuesday.
S. of V.—1st and 3d Tuesdays.
W. C. T. U.—1st and 3d Tuesdays.
A. O. U. W.—2d and 4th Tuesdays.
Eastern Star—2d Friday.
Danish Brotherhood—2d and 4th Thursdays.
Keeley League—Every morning at 9 o'clock, some service at 9:30 Sundays.
M. W. A.—2d and 4th Tuesdays.
Dwight Lodge No. 513, I. O. F., meets every Thursday evening at 8 o'clock, in Odd Fellows' Hall. Visiting brothers are cordially invited to be present.
M. C. STARKER, M. G.
F. HATHISON, Sec'y. A. GOMBERG, V. G.
Visitors are cordially received by all the above societies.

DWIGHT

C. & A. Time Table

Express, daily..... 5:10 a. m.
Accommodation except Sunday, leaves..... 6:00 a. m.
Hummer, daily, arrives..... 7:27 a. m.
Express except Sunday..... 10:34 a. m.
Mail daily..... 4:09 p. m.
Sunday Accommodation, leaves..... 8:15 a. m.
Way Freight except Sunday..... 11:30 a. m.

SOUTH.
Mail, daily..... 11:40 a. m.
Kansas City Exp., except Sunday..... 4:30 p. m.
Accommodation, arrives..... 7:45 p. m.
St. Louis Express daily..... 11:15 p. m.
St. Louis & Kansas City Ex., daily..... 2:05 a. m.
Way Freight except Sunday..... 10:00 a. m.

BRANCH TRAINS.
WEST.
Accommodation Freight except Sunday..... 6:30 a. m.
Mail Leaves except Sunday..... 4:42 p. m.
EAST.
Mail Arrives except Sunday..... 10:27 a. m.
Accommodation Freight except Sunday..... 9:12 p. m.

J. CHARLTON, Agent.
G. P. & T. A.

Illinois Central Time Table

PONTIAC, ILL.
GOING SOUTH AND WEST.
Freight..... 6:50 a. m.
Passenger..... 12:55 p. m.
GOING NORTH AND EAST.
Passenger..... 3:55 p. m.
Freight..... 12:55 p. m.
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Big Four Route Time Card

Commencing Sunday, Dec. 10th, 1893, trains pass Gardner as follows:
GOING WEST.
No. 71 Mixed..... 9:18 a. m.
No. 73..... 6:35 p. m.

GOING EAST.
No. 47 Mixed..... 8:15 a. m.
No. 49..... 4:00 p. m.

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I. I. I. Time Table.

On and after Sunday, December 21, 1890, train will leave Dwight as follows:
TRAINS WEST.
No. 1, mail..... 2:40 p. m.
No. 3, express freight..... 10:25 a. m.
No. 5, express freight..... 5:20 p. m.

TRAINS EAST.
No. 2, mail..... 1:30 p. m.
No. 4, express freight..... 7:50 a. m.
No. 6, express freight..... 10:25 a. m.

All trains daily except Nos. 1 and 4 Sunday.
Nos. 3 and 4 stop at all stations.
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T. M. BATES, Supt.

J. B. FRANCE, Agent.

Executor's Notice.

Estate of THEODORE S. INGRAHAM, Deceased. The undersigned, having been appointed Executor of the estate of Theodore S. Ingraham, late of Nevada in the County of Livingston and State of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the County Court of Livingston County, at the Court House in Pontiac, at the February Term, on the first Monday in February next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said Estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.
Dated this Twentieth day of December, A. D. 1892.
Dec. 23-4w CHARLES T. INGRAHAM, Executor.

Examinations.
Candidates for teachers' certificates will be examined on the following branches in the order given: Friday, beginning at 8:30 A. M., Written Arithmetic, Mental Arithmetic, Geography, Grammar, History and Orthography. On Saturday forenoon, Physiology, Pedagogy, Reading and Penmanship. For the first grade, in addition to the foregoing, Botany, Zoology and Philosophy are given.
The required average for a second grade is 80 per cent, with a minimum of 75. For a first grade, an average of 90 per cent, with a minimum of 75. Persons not personally known to the Superintendent must furnish references as to moral character. According to the provisions of the law, an institute fee of \$1 will be collected from each applicant. The required age is 18 for males and 17 for females.
The following are the dates for 1894: January 19 and 20; February 16 and 17; March 16 and 17; April 20 and 21; May 18 and 19; June 15 and 16; Some in July; August 17 and 18; September 24 and 25; October 19 and 20; November 16 and 17; December 21 and 22.
H. A. FOSTER, County Superintendent.

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Installations.

Several of our popular societies have installed their officers for the new year during the past few days, reports of some of which are given below:

LIVINGSTON LODGE.

Monday evening Livingston Lodge, No. 371, A. F. and A. M., held their installation in their hall. F. J. Vickery was the installing officer, assisted by Charles L. Romberger. The following officers were installed: Chas. L. Romberger, W. M.; J. R. Oughton, S. W.; D. P. Mills, J. W.; J. P. Parsons, treasurer; F. W. Ford, secretary; S. T. K. Prime, S. D.; J. C. Lewis, J. D.; B. A. Buck, S. S.; Ed McWilliams, J. S.; John Leach, chaplain; A. Bovik, organist; F. J. Vickery, M.; O. C. Jensen, T. The lodge starts out in 1894 under very flattering circumstances. The retiring officers were excellent ones and the new ones the same.

Messrs. J. R. Oughton and Chas. L. Romberger had prepared a surprise for the members of the lodge, and after installation all present were invited to a grand banquet at the Livingston hotel, given by the above named gentlemen. The tables were loaded with all the good things that could be procured. After enjoying the courses several after dinner speeches were enjoyed. Among those who favored those present with remarks were Chas. L. Romberger, J. R. Oughton, Jesse Duffenbaugh, Dr. J. E. Blaine, Mr. Wright, W. H. Ketcham, J. C. Lewis. It is unnecessary to state that the evening was enjoyed. They had a glorious time, and all left voting Messrs. Oughton and Romberger as simply all right on all occasions.

EASTERN STAR.

The Eastern Star Lodge, No. 166, of Dwight, held their installation last Friday night at their hall. Mrs. Scott Allison, of Gardner, special deputy grand W. M., was installing officer, and performed her work very nicely and to the satisfaction of all. The following officers were installed: Mrs. Chas. L. Romberger, W. M.; John Leach, W. P.; Mrs. John Leach, A. M.; Chas. L. Romberger, secretary; Mrs. J. B. Parsons, treasurer; Miss Nora Goodman, C.; Mrs. W. H. Doty, A. C.; Mrs. A. Bovik, Ada; Mrs. G. L. Taylor, Ruth; Mrs. Joe Miller, Esther; Mrs. Orville Brown, Martha; Mrs. B. A. Buck, Electa; Miss Tillie Pettet, Warder; George Petersen, S.

After the installation and congratulations a very fine lunch was served in the hall, consisting of cakes, sandwiches, coffee, ice cream, etc., and a general good time was enjoyed by all. The Eastern Star Lodge in Dwight is one of the best in the state.

RELIEF CORPS AND POST.

Tuesday evening the double installation of the Dwight Relief Corps and Dwight Post, No. 26, G. A. R., was held in the Post hall. Early in the evening about twenty ladies of the Gardner corps arrived by carriages and were escorted to Sons of Veterans hall, which had been beautifully decorated for the occasion. After a short meeting of the home corps they adjourned to the Post hall. Mrs. Scott Allison, of Gardner, had been chosen as the installing officer of the corps, and did her work well. The following officers were installed: Miss Pauline Fox acting as conductor and Frank Ford as organist; President, Mrs. Howe; senior vice, Mrs. Dustin; junior vice, Mrs. Wheatley; chaplain, Mrs. Fox; secretary, Mrs. Austin; treasurer, Mrs. Lewis; conductor, Miss Conant; assistant, Miss Wheatley; guard, Miss Brown; assistant guard, Mrs. Bower. Mrs. Fox, the retiring president, has held the office for three terms and has made an excellent official, as have all the retiring officers.

After the installation, remarks were made by Mrs. Allison, Mrs. Eldred, of Gardner, Colonel Fox, Mrs. McFarland, Colonel Parsons and J. C. Lewis.

At the close of the remarks Commander Brown took charge and announced Colonel J. B. Parsons as installing officer, who took charge of the ceremonies and did his work well. The following officers were regularly installed: Commander, Rev. C. W. Ayling; senior vice, H. Spellman; junior vice, Mr. Constantine; chaplain, M. McLane; quartermaster, James Williams; adjutant, Frank Ford; officer of the day, H. Fox; sergeant major, F. Howe; officer of the guard, J. Weller; surgeon, Mr. Rinehart.

The installing officer introduced a unique feature when the flag was presented to the commander, by taking it to him and saying a few appropriate and patriotic words and having the roll of honor sounded on the drum by Herald Hagerty. Commander Ayling then took his post and delivered a splendid patriotic address. After this all adjourned to Sons of Veterans hall and enjoyed a genuine feast given by the ladies of the corps and social converse. The Gardner ladies left for home at

nearly 12 o'clock, having enjoyed a pleasant evening.

After this the young people had not had enough fun and went to the other hall and just made Rome howl for an hour or two with all kinds of games. The installations and trimmings were grand successes.

SONS OF VETERANS.

Dwight Camp, No. 270, Sons of Veterans, held their installation ceremonies in their hall Saturday evening last, every member of the camp being present except two on jury at Pontiac and one absent from sickness, there being nineteen in line. The new and handsome charter of the camp, bearing the same number and rank as heretofore, has been received and draped with bunting and the hall was literally covered with red, white and blue, and presented a handsome appearance. The meeting all around was the most enthusiastic one ever held by the camp. The officers installed by Installing Officer Jos. K. Ruffham were: Captain, Orville Brown; first lieutenant, John Buffham; second lieutenant, Harry Seeley; camp council, Al Boyer, W. G. Dustin, Sam Boyer, Captain Brown then announced and installed the following staff: Chaplain, H. F. Boyer; first sergeant, J. K. Buffham; quartermaster sergeant, James Seabert; color sergeant, John Comerford; principal musician, Roy Wheatley; sergeant of guard, Fred Mowbray; corporal of the guard, Joe Ribordy; picket guard, H. D. Gillespie; camp guard, B. D. Miller.

After installation ceremonies were over Past Captain Dustin thanked all present for the uniform courtesy with which he had been treated and Captain Brown made a few appropriate remarks, and he also had a most agreeable surprise in store for the boys, all of whom were served coffee, cake and sandwiches by the new captain.

The camp starts off the new year with good officers and bright prospects, as already several applications for membership have been made. Success to the boys.

DANISH BROTHERHOOD.

Last week Thursday evening Dwight lodge Danish Brotherhood held their installation in their hall. The names of the officers were published recently. The installation was public and there was a large attendance to witness the ceremonies and enjoy a social hour afterwards. After installation a grand banquet was served, consisting of a regular supper, including everything good imaginable. The Brotherhood is in a very prosperous condition, is well officered, and the prospects for the future are bright.

The Dread Scourge.

Livingston county has a case of small pox. The facts became known last Sunday, and every publicity, instead of suppression, is given to the facts so that while on the one hand none may become panic stricken by some secret underbreath mention of the case; on the other, a stimulus may be given to the general order for vaccination and preparation. Let us all take heed.

On the day above mentioned a doctor was summoned from Campus to attend a young lady, the daughter of Gottlieb Mataski, a farmer living some four miles northeast of Campus, and after calling upon the patient, immediately reported the case to Supervisor Potter as being small-pox. The supervisor and assistants at once began to execute a general quarantine and to give public warning, so that it is believed that there will be no outbreak nor new cases, but that waits to be seen.

The young lady who is suffering from this most dreadful and obnoxious disease has many friends, who sympathize deeply with her in her affliction, but are unable to extend their attentions and services. It is believed that the case was contracted by coming in contact with some influence laden with the germs of the disease while recently visiting friends in Marshall county, or while traveling to or from there, so that the cause is thought not to be of a local nature.

One peculiar feature of the circumstance is the fact that the people of the school district in which Mataski resides had been in open rebellion against the general order of the State Board of Health in its endeavor to enforce general vaccination, which they avowedly and persistently refused to obey. Whether Providence has or has not taken a hand in the matter, the heretofore opponents are now scrambling over each other to insist on the order being enforced, and the local physicians are busy all day long practicing the scientific operation of inoculation by vaccination.

The Chicago Weekly Inter Ocean and Dwight Star and Herald for \$1.50 per year.

Gone to California.

Tuesday, at 1:30 p. m., the first great Grafton California excursion, by the Southern Pacific route, passed through Dwight. The train is composed of three Krabel vestibule sleeping parlor and observation cars, something entirely different from anything yet used. Three of these beautiful cars were coupled together with a section or vestibule between each as wide and high as the other part of the cars and are like one continuous long car. The chairs are about the width of the day coach seats, but the upholstery is much nicer and the seats can be easily turned to face in any direction. At first sight one would think they were elegant day coaches, but they are transformed in a few minutes into comfortable sleepers. Both berths are lower than in common cars and easy of entrance, and are considerably longer than others. Only two people occupy a section, making only twenty people to a car. The cars are heated by steam and lighted by electricity. The windows are of plate glass and much larger than common, thus giving a fine view all the time. A Chicago & Alton dining car was attached and the train runs clear through to Los Angeles, Cal. The train will arrive in Los Angeles Saturday (today), stopping a half day each at San Antonio and El Paso, Texas, where carriages are furnished free. It is an elegant train and the trip cannot help to be a delightful one.

The party consisted of fifty-one people, outside of the train crew. They were from Ohio, New York, Wisconsin, Chicago, Dwight and Bloomington. The Dwight party consists of Hon. O. W. Pollard and daughter, Miss Artie; Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Miller and Hon. D. McWilliams. There were a large number of Dwight people at the depot to bid their townsmen a happy journey, a pleasant visit and safe return. They are all highly respected and honorable citizens. W. G. Dustin, of the STAR AND HERALD, took advantage of an invitation from Mr. McWilliams and accompanied the party as far as Pontiac, and left them full of hope and happiness.

The Dwight party will visit in Pomona, Cal., where there are several Dwight people—the Rutans and Gallups. They will, of course, visit the Mid-winter Fair, and return on the Union Pacific via San Francisco, Salt Lake City, Denver, etc. The tickets are good until June.

The C. & A. contemplate running this train every two weeks. Full information as to rates, routes, etc., can be obtained at ticket office here.

A through second class tourist sleeper is also run through to California every day via same route as this excursion.

Odell in Town.

We don't mean that all of that lively neighbor of ours was in town last Saturday, but she was well represented, dead sure. We noticed on our streets James Hunter, Attorney Wright, John Ferguson, and others with whose names we are not familiar. There was a case brought here for trial, but it was settled before being called before John Thompson. We had a pleasant chat with John Ferguson, formerly a wealthy farmer of Union, but now a resident of Odell. Mr. F. is now about 70 years of age, but is as spry as an arrow and his eyes are as full of fire and his appearance as vigorous as many a man in the 40s, and he bears the appearance of a man who has many years before him. Mr. Ferguson is a Democrat and don't care who knows it, and has been a worker in the party for many years, and never gets behind any one to express his views. No matter what a man's politics or religion, if he "speaks out in meeting," you can always bet on him being a good citizen in his community.

James Hunter, ex-sheriff, is one of the solid business men of Odell; is a Republican on all occasions and a pleasant gentleman. Come again, James.

Attorney Wright propounds the law in the case on all occasions when solicited, and has a good practice and is a very pleasant and able gentleman.

In fact, with what experience we have had with Odell people we have always found them about as good a class of people as they make these days—except in Dwight, of course.

Come up, again.

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