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LIVINGSTON COUNTY

NEWS FROM OUR EXCHANGES THROUGHOUT THE COUNTY.

The newly organized automobile firm of Lishness & McVay at Cornell has let the contract for the erection of a new concrete garage.

The new clock which Walton Bros. has given to the village of Fairbury has arrived and will be placed in the tower of the city hall at once.

The T., P. and W. Railroad company has just unloaded seventeen tons of sand at Forrest as its contribution towards the new concrete sidewalk to be constructed around the proposed park.

Wm. Sutter found an interesting relic in Forrest creek last week. He was hauling gravel from the creek and unearthed an ancient Indian battle ax. It looks like it had seen plenty of service.

The total number of inmates at the Reformatory last Saturday was 617. During the week 17 boys were received, 9 were paroled and 3 received their complete discharge. Of the total number 513 are white and 104 colored.

Announcements have been made of the approaching marriage of Miss May Buckley and Clarence Myers, both of Forrest, which is to occur on New Year's Day. The announcement was made at a Halloween party given by Mesdames Cort Vercler, Fred Wendel and Don Buckley in Forrest last Wednesday evening.

Rev. A. W. Lowther gave his popular lecture, "The Mission of the Pulpit," before the Livingston County Ministerial Association at the Young Men's Christian Association building in Pontiac Monday morning. Those present from out of town were Revs. George H. McClung, C. Honigh and G. M. Boswell.

The will of the late Mrs. Sidnah R. Whitmore, of Forrest, was admitted for probate by Judge W. C. Graves. The will disposes of the family residence in Forrest and a farm in Marshall county to Mrs. Fairchild, of Forrest, daughter of Mrs. Whitmore. Albert R. Rich, of Washington, Ill., was appointed executor without bond.

Scott Gibson, whose parents reside in Des Moines, Ia., died at the hospital at the Illinois state reformatory in Pontiac last Saturday evening of typhoid fever, being the fourth death from that disease since the epidemic has been among the inmates of that institution. The remains were shipped to Des Moines Monday morning for burial.

Convincing evidence that Livingston county farmers are keeping step with the progress of the times is shown in the large number of silos which are being erected over the country. A few years ago a silo was regarded almost as a curiosity in this section, and now there is hardly an up-to-date farmer in the county who has not one, or who is not preparing to have one built.

Tuesday evening, November 5, 1912, at 4:30 o'clock, at the residence of the officiating clergyman, Rev. John Henry Boose, in Pontiac, occurred the marriage of Ralph Devore, of Chenoa, and Miss Mayme Travis, of Lexington. The groom is a brother of Newton Devore, of Pontiac, and is well and favorably known to a number of people there. His bride is a popular young lady of Lexington. They will make their home in Chenoa.

James Mulligan, a resident of Campus, was brought to the county jail by a deputy sheriff from that place. Mulligan was arrested on a state warrant, his wife being the complainant, she charging him with having threatened to beat her and do her bodily injury. It is said that the man is suffering from an attack of whisky insanity. He was given a hearing Tuesday before Justice James H. Gaff and was assessed a fine of \$50. He was not able to pay the fine and went back to jail.

Lee Wadleigh, who lives a few miles east of Cabery, has ninety-two head of horses at the present time, valued at around \$20,000. They are all high bred and good ones. One brood mare weighs over a ton and has a colt which weighed 600 pounds when three months old. Mr. Wadleigh has one of the largest and best barns in central Illinois. Besides housing a hundred horses and other live stock, the barn at present contains 100 tons of hay and a lot of grain. Mr. Wadleigh owns and farms nearly 1,000 acres of land.—Cabery Enquirer.

Shall the Grundy County Court House Be Moved to Mazon.

Shall the court house be moved from Morris to Mazon is the issue to be voted on next Tuesday. By all means, yes. For one hundred and one different reasons. Mazon is the geographical center. And it is an undisputed fact that the court house should be located as near the center of every county as possible.

Mazon has the railroad facilities to accommodate the majority of the county's people. For this reason only, every man ought to cast his vote for Mazon. When we remember the past and think how the people of the southern part of the county have had to start in the mud before daylight in order to respond to a court summons on time, then we should ask ourselves the question, isn't it time that the people of the southern part of the county should be considered, that their children should be considered, on a question that is only fair and nothing more?

You should by all means cast your vote next Tuesday to remove the court house of Grundy county from a political hotbed of hatred and animosity, to move it from a place where actually men are afraid to try a case if either of the political factions are against him.

It's a shame and disgrace to the county the constant quarreling and wrangling that has been going on in the present county seat now for nearly twenty years. People are thoroughly disgusted with it and now they are going to avail themselves of the first opportunity to rid themselves of it forever. Remember, Mr. Voter, that opportunity only knocks at your door once.

The people are tired of seeing innocent men dragged into the courts for political reasons and criminals allowed to run free and the county foot the bills. Lincoln, said, You can fool part of the people all the time, and all people part of the time, but you can't fool all the people all the time.

You have rights, Mr. Voter, that should be considered and respected. You know they are building a new court house under the disguise of repairing. This they have no right to do without your consent. It is just a few years ago that they repaired the court house to the extent of several thousand dollars, and it was a building to be proud of, substantial on the outside and beautifully finished on the inside. If Morris is entitled to the court house why didn't they keep it and be satisfied? If they expected to build a new one why didn't they say so and proceed according to the law in such matters. Simply because, Mr. Voter, they think you are easy and they took what they thought the shortest way out of it. There was a start to this thing and the shrewd voter can study back and solve the whole matter as easy as a boy can back-track a rabbit in a fresh snow.

Mr. Voter, isn't it time for you to put a stop to a certain element running the county? You are always complaining about it. Now is your chance or forever after keep still.

Is it not time to put a stop to a certain crowd trampling your rights unmercifully in the dust? Has not your petition sent in a few weeks ago been scoffed at and disregarded? Didn't they try to show in the court that it was illegally gotten up? Don't that appeal to you, Mr. Voter? They doubt your sanity on these questions that so greatly concern you and your family.

Haven't they kept right on tearing down your property, Mr. Voter, after you have told them in black and white that it either must be stopped or place it where it rightfully belongs? Now that your petition has been tried and not found wanting, they come to you with the gracious warning of high taxes. Why didn't they shout high taxes to you about the political law suits, about cases that have been taken to other counties, and a hundred other things that were unnecessary? You've got brains. You know that they can't build but one court house in Grundy county and you are to say by your vote, November 12, where it shall be located. You should vote for the location that will benefit you and the majority of the people of Grundy county. You know as well as you are living that Mazon is the place. Even the people of Morris if they would come right down honestly, and vote where the court house ought to be, would vote Mazon and a number of the people north of Morris who are anxious to see the new court house start in surrounded by an atmosphere of purity and justice will vote Mazon.

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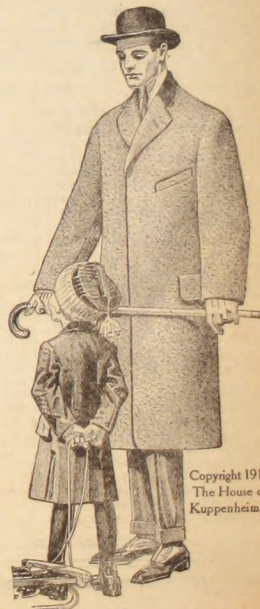
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