

LIVINGSTON COUNTY

FROM PONTIAC

COUNTY TREASURER RECEIVES TWO LARGE SAFES—LIVINGSTON CO. POULTRY ASSO. ENGAGE JUDGE JOHNSTON—FRED WHITE ASKS FOR CHANGE OF VENUE—OTHER NEWS.

The board of supervisors will meet next Monday afternoon.

H. B. McGregor left Monday for Butler, Mo., to look after some business matters which he has in that vicinity.

R. F. Bradford returned from Springfield Monday afternoon, where he attended the funeral of the late Ex-Senator Cullom.

William Beck and wife left Wednesday morning for Jacksonville, Fla., where they will spend the remainder of the winter months.

Walter Wouff has returned to his home in the southern part of the state after a short visit with his brother, Henry D. Wouff.

Miss Ila Cover left Monday for Lockport, La., where she will spend some time as the guest of Mrs. Ernest Mallary, formerly of this city.

Miss Lottie M. Thompson, Mrs. D. M. Baker, Mr. and Mrs. Bert C. Haines and Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Haines were in Dwight Wednesday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Eliza A. Dunlop.

Tuesday before Judge G. W. Patton, in the circuit court, Robert W. Christian, of Odell, was granted a divorce from his wife, Mrs. Nellie L. Christian. He was also granted the custody of the five children, who have been making their home with him for the past two years.

The Pontiac Shoe Manufacturing Co. and the A. M. Legg Shoe Co. have perfected plans whereby they expect to reduce operating expenses considerably. Much of the cutting and stitching for both factories is to be done at one place, thereby saving in machinery and operatives.

Mrs. Minnie Joerndt died Tuesday after about a week's illness. She had been a resident of Pontiac for many years, her husband having been in the tailoring business here. Eight children survive her, Mr. Joerndt having died in 1892. Funeral services were held Thursday afternoon and the interment was in Pontiac cemetery.

Notice was received in Pontiac Thursday from Congressman Fitzhenry that he had recommended the appointment of D. C. Eylar as postmaster for this city. Mr. Eylar has been a Democrat all his life, has spent his life in this vicinity, has been prominent in the business affairs of the city, and his many friends in and outside of the Democratic party predict a successful administration.

S. A. Rathbun has joined a large party of the Illinois Manufacturers Association who will sail Saturday from Brooklyn for a three months' tour of the principal South American cities. One of the features of the trip, which has for its main object the creating of closer trade relations with those countries visited, will be the taking of moving pictures of everything of interest on the journey.

County Treasurer Lewis S. Henderson Monday received two large Mossler safes to be installed in his office in the court house. For years the current tax books after they have been turned over to him by the township

collectors and before all of the taxes have been collected, have been kept in racks in his office. Should fire have occurred and these books been destroyed there would have been no record of unpaid taxes. Hereafter these books will be kept in these fire-proof safes.

The fourth regular meeting of the Livingston County Bankers Federation will be held at the Elks club rooms here on Thursday, February 12. The meeting will consist of two sessions, the first one commencing at 11 o'clock, at which time general discussion of pertinent topics will be taken up. At 1:30 a banquet will be held in the Masonic hall. Col. Frank L. Smith, of Dwight; W. F. VanBuskirk, of Chicago, and Herbert Powell, of Fairbury, will be among the speakers at the banquet. The afternoon will be devoted to the discussion of timely topics.

The Livingston County Poultry Association has engaged J. C. Johnston, of Petersburg, Ill., as judge for the next annual exhibition which is to be held in this city from December 15 to 19, inclusive. Mr. Johnston is one of the leading judges of the country. He judged last year at Quincy, Springfield state show, Waukesha, Wis., and other important exhibitions, and is considered among the leaders in his particular line. The annual meeting of the Livingston County Poultry Association is to be held in the Y. M. C. A. in this city February 16, to which meeting all persons interested in poultry are invited to be present.

B. H. Piepemeier, of Springfield, state road engineer, working under the Illinois highway commission, was in Pontiac recently and in company with County Superintendent of Roads Ralph W. Osborn, went out over the proposed four miles of hard roads, took notes, measurements and photographs of them preparatory to having the roads surveyed by the state engineers. This road is to begin two miles south of the reformatory at the end of the gravelled road, and will go west one mile, thence southwest past the county farm, thence west to the road going south to Chenoa. This is the four miles of road settled on by the board of supervisors at its recent meeting and which is to be built this year.

Fred G. White, through his attorneys, Strawn & Strawn, served notice Monday on State's Attorney Ortman that a petition would be asked of the circuit court for a change of venue on account of the prejudices of the two judges, Hon. Colastin D. Myers and Hon. G. W. Patton, towards their client. An affidavit was filed in support of the petition signed by W. G. McCauley, editor of the Livingston County Democrat, and J. W. Sneath, janitor of the Sterry Block, two reputable citizens, in which they set forth that they believe that Judge G. W. Patton and Judge C. D. Myers are each prejudiced against Fred G. White and that he can not have a fair and impartial trial. Judge Patton

will give his decision in the matter next Monday morning.

Saturday afternoon at the south door of the court house in Pontiac, Master in Chancery Stevens R. Baker offered for sale three tracts of land, all located in Nevada township, pursuant to an order of court in the case of Joseph Grundler et al vs. Amos Grundler, et al. The first tract consisted of the west half of the southwest quarter of section 9, township 20, located in Nevada township, was purchased by Frank L. Smith, of Dwight, for \$225 per acre. The second tract consisting of the east half of the northwest quarter of section 16, Nevada township, was also purchased by Mr. Smith at \$237 per acre. The third tract consisting of the east twenty-five and one-third acres of the northwest quarter of the northwest quarter section 16 of Nevada township. Col. Smith likewise purchased this at \$201 per acre.

FROM THE COUNTY.

The Chatsworth Business Men's Association has decided to hold a chaquetaqua there this summer and has authorized its president and secretary to sign up contracts to secure talent.

The Strawn village board is enforcing the ordinance that no horse or team shall be left at the hitchrack in Strawn over six hours. Last week six teams were put in the livery barn and fed and the owners were fined \$1 and cost of feed.

Twenty business men of Cullom met last week and formed a new organization which will be known as The Cullom Booster Club. The prime object of the organization will be to promote and encourage any enterprise that will apparently benefit the town or community.

The Fairbury Hospital Association has perfected its final organization by electing the following officers: President, Dr. J. R. Rayburn; vice president, A. B. Claudon, secretary; Mrs. Jesse Stevens; treasurer, J. W. Walton. Sr.; executive committee, J. R. Rayburn, Mrs. J. W. Walton and Mrs. Herbert Powell; superintendent, Miss Rachel Olson.

The annual meeting of the Saunemin Farmers' Elevator Company was held last Monday at the town hall there. The annual report showed: Total gross profits were \$10,869.26; operating expenses, \$6697.42; making a net profit of \$4,169.84. The total bushels of grain handled was 810,191 at the three stations, Saunemin, Eylar and Scovel. The stockholders received a dividend of 6 per cent.

Colonel Charles H. Carmon has written Grant C. Armstrong, county chairman of the Progressive party of Livingston county, in which he announces his candidacy to succeed himself as representative from this district on the Progressive ticket. Colonel Carmon resides at Forrest. He has been very active in the interests of his party since being elected to the position which he is again seeking.

The Knights of Columbus have redistricted the councils throughout the state, reducing the number of deputies and increasing the number of councils under each deputy to four upwards, instead of three as in the past. E. A. Simmons, who has held a position as deputy for several years, has been placed over the councils at Odell, Dwight, Braidwood, Kankakee, Joliet and Pontiac. M. F. Linskey, of Streator, has been placed over Morris, Seneca, Ottawa and Streator.

Real Estate Transfers.

Edward Breen and wife to John Dawson, warranty deed, October 27, 1913, part of lot 6, block 1, Dwight; \$1,125.

Marriage Licenses.

Frank G. McConnell, Dwight, 28; Beatrice Kilreim, Dwight, 28.
Anton H. Weller, Round Grove, 28; Ethel Mae Bunting, Dwight, 21.
Earl E. Bunting, Dwight, 24; Mildred Prickett, Dwight, 20.

ODELL

Earl Gutel, who attends school in Champaign, is home on a vacation.
Mr. and Mrs. Poofenfler, of Pontiac, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Cypher.

Patrick Riordan, who has been visiting in Chicago for several weeks, has returned to his home.

Mrs. Mae Myrholm left for Chicago Wednesday morning. She will visit there several days with friends.

A number of friends of Mrs. Elmer Cypher gave her a pleasant surprise Monday evening in honor of her birthday.

Mrs. William Tique, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. William O'Donnell, has returned to her home in Chicago.

Justin Cosgrove and Clarence Higgins started Wednesday morning for

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The Woman's Christian Temperance Union meeting has been postponed until Feb. 17, the anniversary of Frances Willard's death.

Word has been received that Merton Brumbach died at his home in Clovis, Cal., Saturday afternoon, after a lingering illness. Mr. Brumbach was a former resident of Odell, having spent his boyhood and the greater part of his manhood near here.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Hoensheid, who expect to leave for their new home in Minnesota soon, were taken by surprise Thursday evening when about sixty of their friends and neighbors came in. Every one was made welcome, however, and after a delightful lunch, M. C. Fungler, in a few well chosen words, presented Mr. and Mrs. Hoensheid with a set of silver knives and forks. All departed at a late hour, wishing Mr. and Mrs. Hoensheid much happiness in their new home.

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Mike Tyrrell and sister, Mary, are visiting relatives in Chicago.

Carl Iellar had his son baptized Sunday in Sacred Heart Church.

E. V. Lawless was in Kankakee Monday having dental work done.

John Haak and wife were in Forrest Tuesday having dental work done.

Bert Johnson, of Reddick, was a business caller here Thursday between trains.

Mr. Young, of Pittsville, Ill., is here visiting his daughter and family, Mrs. John Moore.

Rev. Thos. D. Kennedy had a car load of coal put in the convent and church the past week.

Mrs. L. T. Walsh and son, Floyd, went to Cullom Thursday to visit her mother, Mrs. P. Flynn.

R. J. Ahern and wife returned home Friday evening after a week spent with relatives in Chicago.

Mrs. Edward McGowan, of Des Moines, Ia., was here visiting relatives and friends the past week.

Raymond Walsh spent a few days in Symerton visiting his uncle and aunt P. W. Walsh and family.

Mark Johnson and bride returned home Thursday night and were given a warm reception by the youngsters.

T. M. Walsh and family went to Joliet Thursday to attend the twenty-fifth anniversary of Mrs. Walsh's sister.

Miscellaneous Shower.

On Saturday, Jan. 31, at the home of Mrs. T. P. Maguire, of Campus, a shower was given for Miss Bernice Lower, who is soon to be married to Mr. Harry E. Lakin, of Plano, Ill.

A very pleasant afternoon was spent with music and guessing contests appropriate for the occasion.

A most delicious luncheon was served by Mrs. Maguire, who once more demonstrated the reputation she has earned in that line as well as that of a most delightful hostess.

Miss Lower received a great many very beautiful gifts from her friends and in her own graceful and pleasing manner thanked each one and invited them all to visit her in her new home.

NEVADA

Miss Frances Alter was in Dwight on Friday.

Mrs. Jas. Cahill visited in Streator last Friday.

Miss Anna Corrigan, of Odell, spent Sunday at home.

Miss Irene Doherty was a Dwight caller last Saturday.

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returned home from Odell on Friday evening.

Mrs. Henry Brust and daughter visited in Odell on Sunday.

Mrs. Henry Fisher was a Streator passenger Tuesday evening.

Wm. Grundler and wife visited at the Corrigan home this week.

Miss Fannie Gillett visited in Dwight several days last week.

Gordon Johnson visited at the home of Jos. Johnson Friday of last week.

Mrs. Todd, of Dwight, visited her sister, Mrs. Kime, on Friday of last week.

Albert Zachman and sister, Frances, and Wm. Aunselman, of near Kinsman, Sundayed at the home of Jos. Fiedler.

Kate Conroy was a north bound passenger Tuesday afternoon.

George Pefferman, of Nebraska, visited relatives in town Saturday.

T. Fortier, of Piper City, was an Emington business caller Friday.

T. Rohman, of Campus, was a business caller in town Monday afternoon.

The village board purchased a chemical fire extinguisher engine Tuesday.

M. Conroy, of Lee county, called on relatives and friends here Thursday.

Mrs. Ethel Lithgow entertained her father from Iowa a few days this week.

A. Fellers, of Wing, was in town Saturday calling on relatives and friends.

Miss Margaret Wylie, of Bloomington, is visiting relatives and friends in town.

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