

# Douglas County Courthouse News

## Douglas

(Editor's note: The following is a report of the traffic tickets, criminal charges, and law and divorce cases filed within the past week at the office of the Douglas County Circuit Clerk in the Courthouse, Tuscola.

Tickets and cases covered were issued to or filed against residents of Douglas, Moultrie, and Piatt counties and towns within the circulation area of this newspaper.

Real estate transactions listed below were filed in the office of the Douglas County Clerk during the same weekly period.)

### Traffic Tickets

Corey L. Davis, 28, of Villa Grove was ticketed January 26 for driving while license is suspended on Front Street at Sycamore Street in Villa Grove. Ticket was filed January 29.

Christine J. Rivesmith, 46, of Paris was ticketed January 19 for speeding 65 mph in a 55-mph zone westbound on Route 133 at County Road 1300 East in Arcola Township. Ticket was filed January 30.

Kelsey M. Rogers, 27, of Charleston was ticketed January 29 for speeding 75 mph in a 55-mph zone eastbound on County Road 1240 East at Route 133 in Arcola Township. Ticket was filed January 30.

Lucas R. Brady, 24, of Camargo was ticketed January 31 for driving while license is revoked and operating an uninsured motor vehicle on County Road 210 East at U.S. 36 in Garrett Township. Tickets were filed February 1.

Armando Raymond Delayo, 36, of White Cloud, Michigan, was ticketed January 24 for driving with no valid driver's license or permit northbound on I-57 at Mile Post 211 in Tuscola Township. Ticket was filed

February 1.

Christopher M. Schroth, 36, of Decatur was ticketed January 26 for speeding 81 mph in a 55-mph zone on U.S. 36 in Murdock Township. Ticket was filed February 1.

Michael S. Schelkopf, 65, of Sycamore was ticketed January 23 for driving too fast for conditions or failure to reduce speed to avoid an accident on I-57 south of County Road 6 in Tuscola Township. Ticket was filed January 24.

Darcy M. Edwards, 42, of Tuscola was ticketed January 25 for speeding 74 mph in a 55-mph zone at the intersection of U.S. 45 and County Road 400 East in Arcola Township. Ticket was filed January 28.

Keli P. Egan, 30, of Granville was ticketed January 25 for speeding 70 mph in a 55-mph zone at the intersection of U.S. 45 and County Road 300 East in Arcola Township. Ticket was filed January 28.

Abidrahman Ab Mohd, 35, of Charleston was ticketed January 27 for speeding 90 mph in a 70-mph zone southbound on I-57 north of Mile Post 202 in Arcola Township. Ticket was filed January 28.

Stetson G.H. Ramirez, 20, of Arcola was ticketed January 26 for driving a motor vehicle with expired registration on U.S. 45 at U.S. 36 cloverleaf in Tuscola Township. Ticket was filed January 28.

Carolyn A. Auerswald, 50, of Brazil, Indiana, was ticketed January 26 for speeding 66 mph in a 45-mph zone westbound on U.S. 36 at Broadway in Newman. Ticket was filed January 29.

Stacey L. Butler, 38, of Muscle Shoals, Alabama, was ticketed January 26 for disobeying a traffic control device (stop sign) on N. Broadway turning westbound onto U.S. 36 in Newman. Ticket was filed

January 29.

Donald R. Evans, 65, of Bismarck was ticketed January 26 for speeding 67 mph in a 55-mph zone westbound on U.S. 36 at City Line Road in Newman. Ticket was filed January 29.

Stephen R. Richardson, 46, of Tuscola was ticketed January 26 for speeding 55 mph in a 45-mph zone on U.S. 36 at Broadway in Newman. Ticket was filed January 29.

Luke R. Sexton, 54, of Bloomington, Indiana, was ticketed January 26 for speeding 67 mph in a 55-mph zone on U.S. 36 east of Brushy Fork River in Newman. Ticket was filed January 29.

Brittany A. Weymuth, 21, of Westville was ticketed January 26 for speeding 70 mph in a 45-mph zone on U.S. 36 at Broadway in Newman. Ticket was filed January 29.

Robert Lee Harnish, 47, of Beaumont, Texas, was ticketed January 23 for operating a motor vehicle with no valid license or permit (expired more than one year) southbound on I-57 at Mile Post 212 in Tuscola Township. Ticket was filed January 24.

William R. Jordan Jr., 23, of Decatur was ticketed January 26 for driving while license is suspended and operating an uninsured motor vehicle on County Road 255 East at U.S. 36 in Garrett Township. Tickets were filed January 28.

Ronald L. Passon, 75, of Tuscola was ticketed January 27 for operating an uninsured motor vehicle on Barker Street at Carico Street in Tuscola. Ticket was filed January 28.

**Criminal Judgments**  
Emma J. Skinner, 21, of Oakland on January 10 entered a plea of guilty to unlawful possession of cannabis. Skinner was ordered to pay costs, \$200

statutory drug assessment, \$100 crime lab fee, and all penalties provided by statute are imposed. Judgment was entered January 10.

David L. McGuire, 51, of Charleston, on January 3 entered a plea of guilty to resisting a peace officer, a Class A misdemeanor. McGuire was sentenced to 24 months' probation and was ordered to pay all statutory fines, fees, and costs including a \$25 monthly probation services fee; to serve two days in Douglas County Jail; and to neither possess nor consume alcoholic beverages, cannabis, or controlled substances other than as authorized by the defendant's medical marijuana card. McGuire had been accused of resisting Arthur peace officer Judd Wienke on May 4 by running back toward a residence after having been told to remain outside. Judgment was entered January 3.

Dustin A. Watson, 34, of Brocton on January 10 entered a plea of guilty to theft more than \$500 but not more than \$10,000, a Class 3 felony. Watson was sentenced to conditional discharge and was ordered to spend 90 days in Douglas County Jail and to pay restitution of \$2,100 payable to the victim of the theft. Watson had been accused of stealing cash from a person in Tuscola. Judgment was entered January 10.

**Marriage Licenses**  
A marriage license was issued January 24 to Lucas Alan Shonkwiler and Emma Lynn Comerford, both of Arcola.

A marriage license was issued January 25 to Jedidiah James Veach and Tabatha Sue Benningfield, both of Tuscola.

**Real Estate**  
Bernardi Construction and Specialty Coatings Incorporated granted Miller Rentals of Illinois LLC a corporate deed for a parcel in NW 31-15-7 (705 East Columbia, Arthur).

Miller Rentals of Illinois LLC granted First State Bank a mortgage for a parcel in NW 31-15-7 (705 East Columbia, Arthur).

Miller Rentals of Illinois LLC granted First State Bank assignment of rents for a parcel in NW 31-15-7 (705 East Columbia, Arthur).

First State Bank granted Doyle K. Johnson and Monica L. Johnson a release for a parcel in NE 17-16-7 (245 East County Road 1350 North, Atwood).

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First State Bank a mortgage for a parcel in NE NE 17-16-7 (245 East County Road 1350 North, Atwood).

Illinois Department of Natural Resources granted Jones Farms Incorporated a quitclaim deed for a parcel in NE NE 4-14-9 (Part of Prairie Wind Trail).

Farm Credit Services granted Charles Taylor, Charles R. Taylor, and Sue Ellen Taylor a release for a parcel in 17-16-9.

Villa Grove State Bank granted Michelle L. Osborne satisfaction of mortgage for Lot 2 in Block 9 of Johnston's First Addition, Villa Grove (110 N. Oak, Villa Grove).

City of Villa Grove granted Michelle

Montgomery a release for Lots 1 and 2 in Block 2 of Hessler and Erwin's First Addition, Villa Grove (301 W. Wilson, Villa Grove).

John E. Pflum, executor of the Estate of Betty L. Pflum, and Betty L. Pflum (deceased) granted Kyle T. Pflum, Amanda S. Pflum, Brian M. Pflum, Toni M. Pflum, Jonathan A. Henningsen, and Elizabeth A. Henningsen an executor's deed for a parcel in NE 11-15-7.

Kyle T. Pflum, Amanda S. Pflum, Brian M. Pflum, Toni Mae Pflum, Jonathan A. Henningsen, and Elizabeth A. Henningsen granted Farm Credit Illinois a mortgage for a parcel in NE 11-15-7.



**SHELTER PET OF THE WEEK.** Midnight is a female Domestic Long Hair cat. She is friendly and likes to be around people. He and several other cats are available for adoption at the Douglas County Animal Shelter. Call 253-4921 for more information or to adopt Midnight.

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Saturday, Feb. 23 - 9:00-11:00 a.m.  
at the Arthur Fire House

Open to all boys and girls in Kindergarten through 8th grade who reside within the ALAH School District.

Fees: In Arthur Park District \$35;  
Outside Arthur Park District \$45  
\*Please note: these fees follow the Arthur Park District, not the school district.

Contact Teri Stutzman at 217-202-8325 with any questions

**Atwood Peace Meal Menu**  
For reservations, call 508-6464

**Monday, Feb 11**—Chili Mac, tossed salad w/dressing, dinner roll, warm cinnamon peaches and milk  
**Tuesday, Feb 12**—Turkey Pot Roast w/baby carrots and celery, broccoli cauliflower bake, dinner roll, tropical fruit and milk  
**Wednesday, Feb 13**—Chicken casserole, peas and carrots, seasoned green beans w/pimentos, whole grain wheat, chunky apple sauce and milk  
**Thursday, Feb 14**—Roast beef in gravy, mashed potatoes, cabbage, tomato au gratin, dinner roll, overnight fruit salad and milk  
**Friday, Feb 15**—Ham loaf, frosted sweet potatoes, midori blend veggies, whole grain wheat, fresh fruit and milk

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**KSC Customer Meeting**  
WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 13, 2018

Don't Miss Our  
**KSC Forage Seed and Farming Practices Meeting**

10:00 a.m. Yoder's Restaurant  
Highway 133, Arthur, Illinois

Speaker:  
**Mr. Andy Branter**, with the Illinois NRCS office in Tuscola, IL will be speaking on "Soil Health and Cover Crops".  
**Mr. Frank Ireland**, Research Animal Scientist with the University of Illinois, will be speaking on "Improving Forage Quality Through Pasture Management Practices".

\*LUNCH IS SERVED\*

Don't miss the opportunity to learn about these important topics and enjoy a free lunch!

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