

# 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

Christopher M. Bates, 51, of Tuscola was issued a civil law citation on April 5 for possession of drug paraphernalia on Main Street at South Central Street in Tuscola. Citation was filed April 9.

Zachery C. Nelson, 24, of Piedmont, Alabama, was issued civil law citations on April 7 for possession of cannabis not more than 10 grams and possession of drug paraphernalia on U.S. 36 at I-57 in Tuscola. Citations were filed April 9.

Eloy Ocampo-Ascencio, 32, of Tuscola was ticketed March 24 for improper lane usage, driving under the influence of alcohol, and operating a motor vehicle with no valid driver's license southbound on U.S. 45 at County Road 1450 North. Tickets were filed April 3.

Maya Casanova, 18, of Lafayette, Indiana, was ticketed March 26 for aggravated speeding 99 mph in a 70-mph construction zone and driving while license is suspended northbound on I-57 at Mile Post 213 in Tuscola Township. Tickets were filed April 3.

Therese A. Miller, 29, of Oakland was ticketed April 3 for speeding 81 mph in a 55-mph zone on County Road 1875 East at U.S. 36 in Murdock Township. Ticket was filed April 3.

Kyle T. Sears, 38, of Frankfort was ticketed April 3 for

speeding 83 mph in a 55-mph zone westbound on County Road 200 North one-half mile west of County Road 700 East in Arcola Township. Ticket was filed April 4.

Samuel Becerra, 23, of Arcola was ticketed April 2 for operating an uninsured motor vehicle northbound in the 300 Block of South Chestnut Street in Arcola. Ticket was filed April 5.

Daniel L. Brennehan, 19, of Arthur was ticketed April 6 for speeding 84 mph in a 55-mph zone at 650 North County Road 000 East in Bourbon Township. Ticket was filed April 8.

James G.T. Matheny, 25, of Mattoon was ticketed April 7 for speeding 85 mph in a 55-mph zone westbound at 200 East Route 133 in Bourbon Township. Ticket was filed April 8.

Sharon K. Roche, 54, of Tuscola was ticketed April 3 for aggravated speeding 63 mph in a 20-mph school zone on County Road 16 north of East 400 North Road in Bourbon Township. Ticket was filed April 8.

Emma Y. Hill, 44, of South Holland was ticketed April 3 for operating a motor vehicle with no valid driver's license or permit (failure to obtain after revocation) on I-57 north of Mile Post 298 in Tuscola Township. Ticket was filed April 9.

Philip L. Meyer, 25, of Tuscola was ticketed April 3 for overweight on gross (first through third offenses) on U.S. 36 in Tuscola Township. Ticket was filed April 9.

Darian P. Craddock, 22, of Newman was ticketed April 5 for operating an uninsured motor vehicle westbound on U.S. 36 at City Line Road in Newman. Ticket was filed April 8.

Harley J. Hubley, 18, of Tuscola was ticketed April 5 for speeding 89 mph in a 55-mph zone eastbound on U.S. 36 at County Road 2360 East in Newman. Ticket was filed April 8.

Carlton J. Michaels, 23, of Newman was ticketed April 6 for operating an uninsured motor vehicle northbound on North Stalling at West Vanderen Street in Newman. Ticket was filed April

8. Cynthia A. Anderson, 53, of Crysler was ticketed April 3 for speeding 80 mph in a 55-mph zone on County Road 2230 East at U.S. 36 in Murdock Township. Ticket was filed April 4.

Robert B. Smitley, 23, of Marshall was ticketed April 3 for speeding 80 mph in a 55-mph zone on County Road 2220 East at U.S. 36 in Murdock Township. Ticket was filed April 4.

Lisa A. Bender, 54, of Urbana was ticketed April 8 for speeding 88 mph in a 70-mph zone southbound on I-57 at Mile Post 213 in Tuscola Township. Ticket was filed April 9.

Joshua H. Culbertson, 31, of Wiliston, North Dakota, was ticketed April 3 for failure to wear seatbelt (passenger) southbound on I-57 at Mile Post 215. Ticket was filed April 9.

Amy L. Johnson, 40, of Oakland was ticketed April 1 for speeding 75 mph in a 55-mph zone on U.S. 36 at Route 130 in Camargo Township. Ticket was filed April 9.

Vahid Khashtkhoda Ardekani, 29, of Mattoon was ticketed April 8 for speeding 88 mph in a 70-mph zone southbound on I-57 at Mile Post 213. Ticket was filed April 9.

Madysen Kay Melton, 19, of Arcola was ticketed April 7 for speeding 73 mph in a 55-mph zone on U.S. 45 at County Road 6 in Tuscola Township. Ticket was filed April 9.

April L. Bailey, 38, of Terre Haute, Indianan, was ticketed April 6 for speeding 69 mph in a 55-mph zone eastbound on U.S. 36 at County Road 2360 East in Newman. Ticket was filed April 8.

Dan K. Drews, 73, of Savoy was ticketed April 6 for improper use of electronic communications device westbound on U.S.

36 at County Road 2250 East in Newman. Ticket was filed April 8.

Joshua A. Fairbanks, 31, of Chicago was ticketed April 5 for speeding 70 mph in a 55-mph zone westbound on U.S. 36 at County Road 2360 East in Newman. Ticket was filed April 8.

Jack D. Limes, 45, of Bloomington was ticketed April 6 for speeding 76 mph in a 55-mph zone westbound on U.S. 36 at Brushy Fork River in Newman. Ticket was filed April 8.

Tatum N. McClamoch, 20, of Chrisman was ticketed April 6 for speeding 76 mph in a 55-mph zone westbound on U.S. 36 west of City Line Road in Newman. Ticket was filed April 8.

Casey M. Sellers, 19, of Fairmont was ticketed April 6 for speeding 70 mph in a 55-mph zone eastbound on U.S. 36 at County Road 2675 East in Newman. Ticket was filed April 8.

Emmanuel N. Villarreal, 22, of Mattoon was ticketed April 6 for speeding 70 mph in a 55-mph zone eastbound on U.S. 36 at Brushy Fork River in Newman. Ticket was filed April 8.

Kylik R. Williams, 21, of Decatur was ticketed April 5 for speeding 70 mph in a 55-mph zone westbound on U.S. 36 at Brushy Fork River in Newman. Ticket was filed April 8.

### Criminal Petitions

Cathy L. Canull, 54, of Tuscola has been charged with aggravated battery (bodily harm), a Class 2 felony carrying three to seven years in prison and fines up to \$25,000. Canull is accused of injuring peace officer Judson Wienke on April 5 by throwing a cup of tea on him and kicking him, while knowing Wienke to be a peace officer engaged in the performance of his official duties. Charge was filed April 8.

Reynaldo R. Vega, 35, of

Arcola has been charged with unlawful possession of controlled substance, a Class 4 felony carrying one to three years in prison and fines up to \$25,000. Vega is accused of possessing on April 6 containing cocaine, a controlled substance. Charge was filed April 8.

### Dissolution of Marriage Petitions

Gigi Henderson, 53, of Tus-

cola filed a petition for dissolution of marriage against David Henderson, 44, of Tuscola. Petition was filed April 5.

### Marriage Licenses

A marriage license was issued April 8 to Jerry Lynn Miller and Mary V. Lambright, both of Arthur.

A marriage license was issued April 9 to Michael Paul

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**Ernie Fleming is turning  
82 years old April 18.  
Please feel free to  
send cards to  
11703 CT Rd. D,  
Bryan, Ohio 43506.  
Any cards will be appreciated.**

### LEGAL NOTICE

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE SIXTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT  
MOULTRIE COUNTY, ILLINOIS  
IN PROBATE

In the Matter of the Estate of  
**ERNEST BONTRAGER, deceased** No. 19-P-14  
**NOTICE OF CLAIM PERIOD**

Notice is given of the death of ERNEST BONTRAGER of the Village of Arthur, Moultrie County, Illinois. Letters of Office as Independent Executor were issued April 2, 2019, to KENNETH BONTRAGER, 1595 CR 1200 E, Sullivan, Illinois 61951, whose attorney is Law Office of Kosic & Stout, P.C., 130 North Locust/P.O. Box 112, Arcola, Illinois.

Claims against the Estate may be filed in the Office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court at the Moultrie County Courthouse, Sullivan, Illinois, 61951, or with the representative, or both, on or before October 17, 2019. Any claim not

filed within that period is barred. Copies of a claim filed with the Clerk must be mailed or delivered to the representative and to the attorney within 10 days after it has been filed.

KENNETH BONTRAGER  
Executor of the Estate of  
ERNEST BONTRAGER,  
deceased

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## Area Deaths

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serving one term as president. He was a member of the local township board where he served as treasurer and township supervisor.

Today is a day of celebration. We should all carry on his legacy and be the best at trying to build and repair relationships, and greet the world with a smile and a robust laugh. He has found peace and now dwells with his maker.

### Mary E. Kolb

Mary E. Kolb, 90, of Arthur passed away at 1:10 p.m. on Tuesday, April 9, 2019, at The Arthur Home.

Funeral services were held Saturday morning, April 13, at Zion United Church of Christ in rural Arthur with Rev. Leroy Allison officiating. Burial was in Zion Cemetery. Visitation was

held one hour prior to the funeral at the church.

Edwards Funeral Home assisted with arrangements.

Mary was born on May 1, 1928, in Ficklin. She was a daughter of Oscar E. and Stella (Jacobs) Kingery. She married August C. Kolb on January 27, 1946. He passed away in 1988.

Survivors include several nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her husband; four brothers, James, Chet, Billy, and Roy Kingery; and one sister, Liz Livesay.

Mary was a member of the Zion United Church of Christ.

Mary really enjoyed living in the Zion community, and she always looked forward to spending time with family and friends, especially her nieces and nephews.

Memorials may be made to the church.

### PUBLIC NOTICE

#### Vegetation Management Activities in

**Adams, Bond, Bureau, Champaign, Clinton, Coles, Crawford, Cumberland, DeWitt, Douglas, Edgar, Effingham, Fayette, Ford, Franklin, Henry, Jackson, Jasper, Jefferson, Lawrence, Macon, Madison, Marion, McLean, Monroe, Montgomery, Morgan, Piatt, Pike, Putnam, Randolph, Richland, Saline, Shelby, St. Clair, Tazewell, Washington, Williamson, Woodford Counties**

Please be advised that Ameren Illinois will perform vegetation management in your area in the near future. Our professional vegetation management specialists will be managing vegetation on transmission rights-of-way that could affect our electric lines. This vegetation management work is necessary to protect the integrity of the electric system and to prevent potential safety hazards.

This work might include: aerial or manual trimming, removal of vegetation, mowing, application of environmentally-safe herbicides, and inspections. Interested persons may call the Ameren toll free number 1-800-232-2477 or visit our website at [www.ameren.com/transmission](http://www.ameren.com/transmission) to understand any potential dispute reso-

lution opportunities, processes, rights and/or remedies. Customers and property owners may appeal the particular vegetation work planned on their property by 1) calling the Ameren toll free number mentioned above referencing CODE TMT or 2) accessing the website mentioned above referencing CODE TMT or 3) contacting the Illinois Commerce Commission Consumer Services Division at 1-800-524-0795. Common addresses of properties affected by the planned vegetation management have been provided to the office of the mayor of any affected municipality and the office of the county board chairman of any affected county.

Sincerely,  
Ameren Illinois  
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# Village of Arthur Annual Clean-Up Day Saturday, May 25

## The Village of Arthur & Advanced Disposal

will be providing residential  
curbside refuse service  
w/packer trucks!



**Service:** Curbside pick up will be provided with a packer truck for all waste except appliances and electronics.

**There will be NO appliance and NO electronics picked up this year.**

We will begin the clean up at 7:00 a.m. and end when everything in the village is picked up. Residents must have all items they want picked up at the curb by 7:00 a.m. Please do NOT put anything any earlier than the evening before.

### NO ALLEY PICKUPS

#### Items not accepted in City Wide Clean Up include but are not limited to:

- Tires of any kind or size
- Car parts or components of any kind
- Solvents such as paints, oils, fuels, and thinners
- Yard waste such as clippings, trimmings, leaves, limbs, and branches
- Batteries
- Florescent light tubes
- Concrete, bricks, and rocks
- Burnt material/ashes of any kind
- Appliances (stoves, refrigerators, dishwashers, water heaters, dryers, freezers, and air conditioning units)
- E-Waste Electronic equipment such as Computers, Monitors, and Televisions
- Asbestos materials/Hazardous Waste
- Petroleum-contaminated soil
- Industrial Waste
- Chemicals
- Herbicides and Pesticides
- Radioactive Materials
- Flammable Liquids
- Propane tanks or equipment
- Motor Oil
- Transmission Oil
- Lubricants/Hydraulic oil/oil filters/contaminated oils (mixed with solvents &/or gasoline)
- Antifreeze
- Lead Paint Chips
- Railroad Ties
- Medical Waste
- Animals
- Liquids

**Questions: Contact the Village Hall at (217) 543-2927**