

Harrison County Children's Home



Cottage, Harrison County Children's Home

EMMET E. WEBB AND JENNIE WEBB

Superintendent and Matron of Children's Home

The present efficient and popular Superintendent of the Children's Home, Mr. Emmet E. Webb, is a native of Harrison County, son of Jacob W. and Sarah Webb, and was born on a farm in Athens township, March 10, 1863, was educated in the common schools; in Franklin College and the Buchanan Business Institute, Hopedale, graduating in April, 1887.

He went to Colorado, and in 1889 taught school on the plains in a sod school house, returned to Harrison County, and taught several years.



EMMET E. WEBB, Supt.

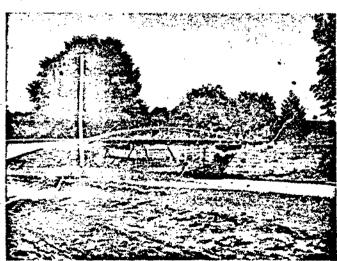
JENNIE WEBB, Matron.

Was in the grocery business for a short time and in 1896, was appointed Superintendent of the Home, filling the position so acceptably that he has ever since held the place.

In 1901 Governor Nash appointed him a delegate to the National Convention of Charities and Correction held in Washington, D. C., Max. of that year.

In 1890 Mr. Webb married Miss Jennie Harrah, daughter of G. M. and Nancy Harrah, of Smithfield, O.

Mrs. Webb was appointed matron of the Home at the same time her husband was made superintendent. Both Mr. and Mrs. Webb have demonstrated their thorough adaptability to the work in hand, enjoying to the fullest degree the love and esteem of the children, and the confidence of the trustees and the public.



Warfel Bridge, near Children's Home



Dickenson M. E. Church, Og. 18 Church in the State. Organised 1804