

LIVINGSTON COUNTY

FROM PONTIAC

EX-JUDGE FRED WHITE INDICTED FOR FORGERY—J. C. GREENBAUM TO MARRY—GOV. AND MRS. DUNNE VISIT REFORMATORY—TAX COLLECTORS FILE THEIR BONDS.

Mrs. Rudolph Fox and son visited friends in Joliet this week.

John P. Bradford has purchased the Stratford Hotel in Los Angeles, Cal.

Frank J. Butler attended his first meeting of the state board of pharmacy this week.

W. W. Gray and family were in Saunemin Sunday attending the funeral of Mr. Gray's father.

Miss Verna Fellingham got a scholarship in the University of Illinois as a prize for writing the best essay on "Setting the Table."

Mrs. M. J. McGreeby has received the sad intelligence that her nephew, Jas. L. Hobbs, was killed in a gold mine at Elkton, Col.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Clark entertained their son, Bruce and wife, of Washington, D. C., this week. L. A. Clark also visited over Sunday.

The Pontiac County Farmers' Insurance Co. elected the following officers: President, W. H. Bentley; secretary, Erastus Hoobler; treasurer, Joe Harding.

J. M. Lyon, of the Livingston County National Bank and M. H. Greenebaum, of the Illinois State Savings Bank, were in Chicago the first of the week in attendance at a meeting of the Bankers' Club of Illinois.

The approaching marriage of Miss Helen F. Strauss, of Pittsfield, to Jacob C. Greenbaum, of this city, will take place tomorrow at the Hotel Metropole, Chicago. Quite a number from here will attend. They will reside here.

The Pontiac Loan and Trust Co. held an annual meeting Monday morning and elected the following officers: President, O. P. Bourland; first vice president, C. R. Tombaugh; second vice president, S. A. Rathbun; cashier, C. A. Rollins; assistant cashier, E. G. Scanlan.

E. O. Reed, Fred Snyder, M. A. Freehill, Conrad Masching, L. J. Trunnell and J. J. Wink, a committee from the grand jury, visited the jail and found things in excellent condition, and they thanked Sheriff Patterson, Deputy Ives and State's Attorney Ortman for kindness and courteous treatment.

The following is clipped from the proceedings in the circuit court: C. M. Barickman vs. Fred G. White, trover. Motion for a new trial overruled. Judgment on the verdict for amount of the same and interest at 5 per cent from October 30, 1913, to the present, aggregating \$4,116.64, against defendant White and in favor of the plaintiff, Barickman, and costs of suit. Motion for immediate execution supported by affidavit. Motion allowed. Immediate execution awarded.

The tax collectors have filed their bonds and following are some of them: Pontiac, William M. Collins, \$268,156.72; sureties, David S. Myers, A. M. Legg, C. E. Legg, John S. Murphy, Esmer, Ira Hamilton, \$30,579.14; sureties, R. S. Carr, T. E. Miner, J. E. Garretson, Frank Johnson, Sunbury, John H. Weber, \$31,179.46; sureties, Charles Brooker, M. J. Ruddy,

Robert Dempsey, Saunemin, Simon Elbert, \$48,113.18; sureties, George McGuire, E. P. Greenough, Albert Post, Phillip Adam, P. H. Lannon, Union, H. J. Puffer, \$23,049.98; sureties, Jacob Stahler, David Eggenberger, Dwight, Clarence E. Welch, \$85,078.24; sureties, Frank L. Smith, Joe Miller, George N. Flagger, Avoca, Willy Sparks, \$27,796.34; sureties, Grant Y. McDowell, John W. McDowell, Odell, Stephen Ahern, \$59,359.20; sureties, Peter N. Hyrup, Alfred Gutel, J. C. Tobey, James Murphy, Nevada, L. J. Metille, \$25,795.04; sureties, P. E. Ready, J. P. Larsen, L. Cleary, J. P. Metille, P. E. Kane, Broughton, Robert Kain, Sr., \$30,409.02; sureties, Robert Kain, Jr., F. L. Taylor, Round Grove, Mike O'Keefe, \$35,246.16; sureties, Michael Muldoon, Lawrence F. Walsh.

Governor and Mrs. Dunne visited Pontiac, and especially the reformatory, Saturday. He announced that he was on a tour of inspection of state institutions. In the course of his address to the boys of the institution he had the following to say: "You know, boys, that you have gone wrong in your conduct outside of this institution. You know that you come here because of the wrong things you have done outside, and that the law says you must be deprived of your liberty. Do not come here with the idea that the law is unjust in this. Laws are necessary for the regulation and protection of society. There must be, and are, such laws in every civilized land. There is not a single nation on the face of the earth called civilized where such laws are not enforced. Unfortunately, you have done something to break these laws. This is true of probably ninety-nine out of every 100 boys here. This I am sure you will admit to be a fact and that the matter of your guilt or innocence so far as you each are concerned was fairly decided in court. Our tribunals are conducted upon the principles and elements of righteousness. In looking over the faces in this place as I went through I can frankly say I would not have felt myself in a reform school did I not know such to be the fact, but that I was visiting a place where free business was being carried on and free labor being employed. I am much impressed with what I have seen here and I feel confident you will so conduct yourselves while here that we may finally send you forth into the world once more to earn an honorable living and to become worthy citizens."

One of the surprises of the season was sprung on the people of Pontiac and the county by the last grand jury when it indicted Ex-Judge Fred White for forgery. It is reported by the Leader that most of those indicted were in jail and easy to find, but that the Judge left town the day of the indictment on an early morning train. Of course, all this caused a lot of excitement and a lot of people who held Fred's notes and who had accounts

felt a little anxious and the county seat was all torn up for fair. The indictment was made for forgery of a note for over two thousand dollars on the McDowell bank of Fairbury. There was filed in the office of the circuit clerk Friday an assignment and power of attorney from Fred G. White to L. W. Tuesburg which was dated January 19, 1912. The assignment conveys to the management of Mr. Tuesburg the following, giving him power to sell or otherwise dispose of, as in his judgment is advisable. One hundred and sixty shares of stock in the LaCrosse Land Company. Two hundred and ninety-seven shares of preferred stock and 387 shares of common stock in the Automatic Home Telephone Company. Eight notes of \$1,000 each executed by Charles H. Tuesburg. A vendor's lien notes executed by Clement L. Shover for \$116,820 on 1,298 acres of coal land near Mannington, W. Va. Personal notes to the amount of \$41,920 executed by Clement L. Shover. One note for \$2,774.52 executed by H. H. Brown, due December 15, 1912, secured by a trust deed on lots 5 and 6, in block 50, of the original town of Pontiac. Twenty-six shares of stock in the Spartan Manufacturing Company at \$100 per share. Mr. Tuesburg is given the power of attorney to represent Mr. White in any matter that may come up and his fees are fixed at \$6,000. The bond of White has been fixed at \$3,000.

[Since receiving the above Sheriff Will Patterson has located Judge White in Spokane, Wash., and left for there Wednesday night with extradition papers, and by this time is probably on his way back—Editor.]

William Kilgore, one of Saunemin's most beloved residents, died at his home Friday after a prolonged illness. Mrs. John Beckley passed away at her home in Fairbury Monday following a long illness of a complication of diseases.

James Reilly, of Reddick, who has been appointed postmaster, received his commission the first of the week and took charge of the office on Saturday.

Mrs. Margaret Smith, of Reddick, had three cats on exhibition at the Aurora Cat Show and they won five special prizes and two dollars in cash. Mrs. Smith expects to exhibit several at the cat show in Chicago, Feb. 10, 11 and 12.

Word has been received at Emington from New York stating that an unidentified young man was found crushed to death by a train. This young man proved to be Raymond Woods, son of Frank C. Wood, who moved from Emington to New York State. Mr. Woods was well known in this vicinity.

Mrs. Mark Bowes visited in Dwight Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Brumbach, of Dwight, visited relatives here Sunday.

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Stephen G. Lyons died at his home in Pontiac at 7:30 o'clock Friday evening, January 16, after an illness of only two days, death being due to heart trouble. The funeral was held from St. Mary's Catholic Church at 9:30 o'clock Monday morning. The burial was at Odell. A special car left Pontiac for Odell immediately after the services at the church bearing the remains and the funeral party. Stephen G. Lyons was born in County Langford, Ireland, in 1834. He came to this country about forty years ago, coming direct to the vicinity of Odell, where he settled on a farm and followed that occupation until about ten years ago, when he retired and moved to Pontiac. Prior to coming to this country he was united in marriage to Miss Margaret Nulty, who preceded him to the other world in July, 1891. Mr. and Mrs. Lyons were the parents of nine children, seven of whom survive, being: John, of Odell; Charles,

of Peoria; Daniel, of Rock Falls; Bernard, of Iroquois, S. D.; Mrs. W. P. Cavanagh, of Mendota, and Misses Marcella and Anna, of Pontiac. Edward died September 3, 1905, and Stephen died in infancy. There are also surviving him two brothers: Frank, living in Ireland, and John J., of Wall Lake, Ia., also two sisters, Mrs. John Daugherty, of Ottawa, and Mrs. Maria McCormick, of Aberdeen, S. D. Mr. Lyons was a member of a family of sixteen and has besides the above named surviving many nieces and nephews living in Ireland and Australia, as well as this country. Mr. Lyons was a staunch member of the Catholic church all his life and died strong in the faith and passed away very peacefully. In his associations in his home township he was highly regarded, as well as by all who knew him, and was many times intrusted with duties and obligations, which he faithfully performed.

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EMINGTON
D. George was a north bound passenger Monday.

L. Alkin was a Hoopston visitor the first of the week.

A. R. Barham was a north bound passenger Friday morning.

E. Reed, of Pontiac, transacted business in town Tuesday afternoon.

M. Smith, of Saunemin, was a business caller here Tuesday forenoon.

G. Tjardes and family entertained relatives of Gibson City a few days.

G. Miller and M. Cahill attended the Hughes sale near Cardiff Monday.

G. Lithgow, of Hoopston, visited his mother and brother several days.

J. Brown, of Forrest, was calling on relatives and friends in town Saturday.

R. Barham shipped a car load of stock to the Chicago market Thursday.

Mrs. Beecher, of Nebraska, visited her mother, Mrs. L. Clark the past week.

Charles Bradley, of Arizona, visited relatives and friends in town a few days the first of the week.

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NEVADA
Pete Doherty was in Dwight Saturday.

Jas. Cahill was in Dwight last Saturday.

Henry Brust was a Dwight caller Tuesday.

Miss Irene Doherty was a Dwight shopper last Saturday.

Giles Thomas and Mrs. H. Thomas were in Odell on Tuesday.

Misses Belle and Fannie Gillett visited in Dwight on Saturday.

Mrs. Jas. Phalen, of West Brooklyn, visited relatives here last week.

Ed Ruddy and family, of Odell, attended the funeral of Mrs. Dunbar.

John Moran was an Odell caller Tuesday and Wednesday of this week.

Mrs. Phalen, of Streator, visited her daughter, Mrs. Jas. Cahill, last week.

Mrs. Corrigan and daughter, Margaret, were Dwight shoppers last Saturday.

Giles Thomas attended the funeral of his brother, Levi Thomas, at Odell on Wednesday.

Miss Gusta Zachman and the Misses Gillett spent last Sunday at the home of Henry Brust.

Mrs. Hiram Thomas and children, of Beatrice, Neb., are here visiting their uncle, Giles Thomas.

Mrs. Ann Dunbar passed away early Friday morning. The funeral was held at Dwight Sunday afternoon, interment being in the Catholic cemetery.

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CARDIFF
Joe Kain was a Reddick passenger Monday.

Mrs. James Singer was a Chicago visitor Sunday.

Dawson Fuller has returned to his home in Pontiac.

Mrs. J. H. Walsh was a Reddick visitor Saturday.

Geo. Chapple was a passenger for Gilberts Saturday.

James Reilly was a Springfield passenger Wednesday.

Thos. Ward was a Bancroft, Iowa, passenger last week.

Andy Singer, of Chicago, visited his parents here Sunday.

C. E. White, of Chicago, called on friends here Thursday.

Quite a number from here attended the dance at Campus Friday night.

Geo. Biskey went to Custer Park Thursday to attend a shooting match.

Dom Secindino, of Universal, Ind., was here Saturday calling on old friends.

C. Isadore and J. Semac, of South Wilmington, were on our streets on Thursday.

Chicago passengers last Wednesday were Mr. and Mrs. Theo. F. Ahern and P. L. Testa.

J. H. Walsh, Angelo Kelly and the Superintendent of the Mines at Rend, were in Chicago one day the past week on a business mission.

O. J. Patchett moved the J. H. Walsh house on Main street Thursday with a traction engine to his farm southeast of town. Going some.

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