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LOCAL EVENTS.

Show Monday night. The best fruit at west side market. Miss Harris spent Sunday in Chicago. The Gold Medal flour at west side market. Buy your groceries at west side market. Will Lower spent Sunday in the lake city. All kinds of fine salt meats at Hahn Bros. Beef, pork, veal and mutton at Hahn Bros. Keep cool by buying your ice of Walter Scott. Go to Walter Scott's for coal of all grades. Will Hagerty was in Chicago visiting Sunday. J. W. Payne is in La Salle on insurance business. Junior League meets Tuesday evening. Buy Gold Medal flour. Every sack warranted. Maymie Brown returned to Chicago Wednesday. Read the new bargains in Romberger's ad this week. Contract your hard and soft coal with G. Z. Flagler. Ame Orr has commenced work on his new residence. Amos L. Orr sold his house to W. T. Scott, Monday. The monthly inspection car passed Dwight, Tuesday. City Clerk Doherty left business in Chicago yesterday. Miss Jennie Keohlein visited friends in Chicago Sunday. Miss Addie Barr is now an employe of the Keely company. Fall and winter samples just received at Schott's, the tailor. Hahn Bros. always have a nice supply of fresh meat for sale. Mr. Chas. Crandall, and daughter are visiting in Wisconsin. Mrs. Chas. Palmer, of Chicago, visited friends here this week. Ketcham & Smith can sell you land in Kansas and Arkansas. Hon. O. W. Pollard's health is improving, we are glad to state. The finest line of samples to pick out clothes from, at Schott's. Misses Minnie Lower and Edie Baker spent Sunday in Chicago. Go to Baker's for school stationery, school books and supplies. The accommodation was forty-five minutes late Thursday evening. Will Stafford, of Campus, is the happy father of a brand new boy. Morgan Bros. have a second hand sewing machine for sale cheap. FOR SALE—Two Jersey cows, one cider mill. Apply to C. M. Baker. James Goodman's new residence will be ready for occupancy soon. Ketcham & Smith have plenty of good bargains. Call and see them. A great big bunch of first-class starch for 5 cents at Geo. L. Kern's. B. A. Buck has some good gasoline stoves he will sell very cheap. A nice roast for Sunday is a good thing. Get one at Hahn Bros. market. Miss Vernie Koehlein left Saturday for a prolonged visit in Chicago. Mr. Whitlock is adding new improvements to his residence property. Mrs. Irwin, of Chicago, visited her mother, Mrs. Grush, Wednesday. Did you say meat? You will find what you want at the west side market. Bessie Sween, from Hyde Park, is in town visiting with Mildred Rabe. Great reduction in leather fly nets until all are sold, at Leach & Reeb's. Davis' sewing machines at Buck's. Don't buy before seeing his stock. Ed. Baker, of Chicago visited with relatives and friends over Sunday. Rev. F. W. Merrill, attended the camp meeting a couple of days last week. Mrs. Dr. Blaine, of Chicago, was a Dwight visitor the first of the week. Miss Della Pearce visited several days last week with relatives in Pontiac. Leach & Reeb's \$12 hand made single harness are leaders in every respect. Twenty different varieties of embossed interior finish, sold by G. Z. Flagler. Hon. Geo. Patton, of Pontiac, was in Dwight on legal business, Thursday. Fred Liggett visited with his parents and friends, at Normal, Sunday last. The dance at Budd last Saturday night was attended by lots of Dwight boys. The Dwight lodge, Danish Brotherhood organizes a lodge at Lemont tonight. The race track is now a thing of the past and where the fast horses have been

put on their mettle will, in a short time, be occupied by substantial residences. The Misses Ferguson, of Campus, visited in Dwight several days this week. J. P. McWilliams and City Clerk Doherty were Pontiac visitors Wednesday. There is magic in the Magic starch. It cost 5 cents a package at George Kern's. Hammocks, shoe brushes and gloves of the very best makes at Leach & Reeb's. Will Ketcham is pushing the work on his new residence in the Renfrew Addition. The Duncan Clark theatrical company will be at Kepplinger's hall next Monday night. Miss Jennie Cadwalladar is visiting among her many friends in Dwight this week. Susie and David Leach left Wednesday for a few days visit with friends in Seneca. Flagler will sell Wilmington and Braidwood coal cheaper than anyone through August. Frank Smith, of the firm of Ketcham & Smith, spent several days this week in Chicago. Misses Cora Baker and Fanny Connor left for a two weeks' visit in Chicago this morning. Mrs. W. F. Palmer, of Chattanooga, Tenn., is visiting with her mother, Mrs. I. Donlop. Messrs. A. W. Kern and Bert Tierney, of Ransom, came in to see the ball game yesterday. Miss Gertrude Ketcham has returned from a pleasant visit to relatives and friends in Kankakee. Mr. Samuel Lower moved into his new house Thursday, and will soon be ready for business. The best place to get your watch repaired done at reasonable prices is at Gardener's. Miss Sadie Clarkson returned Monday from a two week's visit with friends in St. Joe, Mich. An addition will be built to the store of James Kelagher soon. Jim is in the boom all right. Miss Mamie Barnum returned home Friday from a visit to friends in Campus and Emington. School begins one week from Monday, Prof. Fisk having returned, much improved in health. Geo. L. Kern has some of that popular starch left. Its name is "Magic" and he sells it for 5 cents. Wm. Rattenbury, of Chicago, arrived in Dwight Saturday night, to visit relatives and friends. Joshua Ketcham sold his farm south of town to John J. Hahn, for \$5,100 through Ketcham & Smith. Contract your coal now and get advantage of the low price through August at Flagler's lumber yard. J. D. Ketcham sold his ice and coal business through Ketcham & Smith, to Walter Schott this week. Prof. Goldman with his unique entertainment will be at Kepplinger's hall Friday evening next. W. H. Mulford, of Streator, returned Monday to resume his labors on the lines on the McWilliams house. Ed. Breen bought the Lizzie Burger building on East street on Tuesday, through Ketcham & Smith. Get Flagler's price on Braidwood soft coal, and Scranton hard coal before you contract your winter stock. Mr. and Mrs. Martin Seabert, of Round Grove, went to Chicago Sunday. The former returned Monday. Mr. Lee Keeder, of O'Leell, brother of J. Reeder, will go into business here soon. That is good business judgement. Opie P. Read, of Chicago, was in town over Sunday. He came down to visit the Bi-Chloride of Gold Club. The steam laundry has had the cistern removed in the rear of their laundry, and in its place have erected a large tank. Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hayes enjoyed a pleasant visit from Mrs. Ridgely and her children of Springfield, last Sunday. Kline Bros., stone and brick masons, also plasterers, first-class work guaranteed. Leave orders at G. Z. Flagler's office. Low rate of fare to see "Sinbad" the summer spectacular drama which is now running at the Chicago Opera House. Samuel H. Boyer will open his new lively stable, south of Flagler's lumber yard, to-day (Saturday). He has the best of rigs and fine horses; every thing first-class. Rates reasonable. ROUND GROVE. Corn shelling is all the rage this week. Elmer Clover and Lynn Clover, each purchased a new bicycle last week. School will commence in Dist 5 next Monday, with Miss Cummins as teacher. W. Y. Ogg says to register him another boy. The farmers are talking of building a dump at Wilson, and ship their own grain in the future. Subscribe for the STAR AND HERALD, only \$1.25 per year.

LAUGH AND GROW FAT.

A HEALTHY TONIC FOR INVALIDS OF ALL KINDS.

Humorous Anecdotes Gleaned from Various Sources—Something to Read Which Will Make Anybody Sleep Well—Better Than Medicine When Taken Before Bedding. "Will'um." She was leaning against an old stake-and-ride fence as I was passing. I couldn't see her face—it was bowed in her hand—and a long-drawn, rasping sob would now and then slip out around the edges of her gingham sunbonnet, being more or less acquainted with distress myself, the reader will understand why I drew my horse to a standstill beside this distressed maiden. (I knew she was youthful because she wore short dresses.) "My dear young lady," I said, compassionately, "what is the matter?" "Will'um," she answered, shoving her hand further up under her sunbonnet and breaking forth into a perfect spasm of grief. "William?" I asked gently, "William who?" "Jest Will'um," she sobbed, but never looked up. "Oh-h," I answered, drawing my sad voice out into a nice sympathetic wail. William must have been her lover, I thought, and they have quarreled. "Aren't there any more Williams you could get hold of if you just looked around?" "None." I twisted the fence rail against which she was leaning, very soothingly, and for some moments her grief was all that could be heard. Then I ventured: "How old was this William?" "Erbout 15." "Love's young dream! I was only 15 when I suffered the greatest calamity of my life and quarreled with the fair creature that always got my gingerbread. If this girl in the gingham sunbonnet felt like I did then; she must have yearned to die; or go to a circus, or do something else to take her mind from her trouble. "Did you love William very, very much?" "Ye-e-up," she said, supplementing her answer with another explosion of feeling. How I longed to console and cheer her! Prompted by this benevolent desire, I said: "There, I wouldn't cry. William will come back to you—see if he doesn't." "Wunt, nuther." "Why?" "Cause he's dead," and I feared she would strangle to death in the violent lamentations that followed. Her bereavement fairly melted me. The intensity of my yearning to alleviate her sorrow became almost unbearable, and I murmured in tender tones: "Tell me, is he buried yet?" "Yep." I could picture to myself that grassy mound with its forget-me-nots and daisies planted by the mourning one before me and I wondered if it would do William any earthly good to look down and see how his memory lived. "Did he die a natural death or was he killed?" "Killed!" Her hands dropped out of her sunbonnet and she gave me a look that sent me staggering back against the fence. "No, he wasn't killed by a long shot. Bob Jenkins has been tellin' 'round how his dog done Will'um up, but it ain't so. Will'um was old an' cotched the 'stempen' in it tuk 'im off. He was the best dawg on Bolivar County, an'—an'—he—never—got—licked!" I immediately got into my buggy and drove off, and, as I turned a distant corner, I saw that gingham sunbonnet bobbing up and down above the rail fence as the maiden continued grieving for her lost "Will'um." FOLLOD. Miss Esmerelda Longooffin has been very much disgusted at the slowness and hesitancy of Gus De Smith in proposing matrimony. He has been paying her marked attention for some time past, and is a fluent talker on every subject except that one. They were eating ice-cream at a popular ice-creamery on Austin avenue, and Gus undertook to ask Miss Esmerelda if he might hope to see her at church on the ensuing Lord's day. He said: "Miss Esmerelda." "Yes, sir," interrupted Esmerelda. "May I—?" "Yes, certainly you may," she again interrupted him, with animation. "May I hope to—?" "You had better speak to pa about it," she said, trembling. "Speak to your pa?" he added, staring his eyes open with astonishment. "Yes, speak to pa." "About what shall I speak to him?" asked Gus, innocently. "There was a painful pause, and Miss Esmerelda went to work on her ice-cream with vindictiveness and energy that was truly phenomenal.—Texas Siftings. Business vs. Society. Magnus Scott—I wish you would wear all your diamonds at the Bobs-Jones to-night. Mrs. M. Scott—But, my dear, the occasion does not warrant that. Magnus Scott—The denuce with the occasion, Bobs-Jones knows that De Puyster drew on me to-day.—The Jewelers' Circular. No Comparison. "What's the war now?" called a Newark mother as her 8-year-old came to the gate howling. "Bin grabbed by a bull-dog!" he shouted between his sobs. "Lor', what a start you gave me. I didn't know but what you'd been overtaken by a mosquito! Don't make such a fuss as that about a nip from a bull dog!"—N. Y. World. EXHORTER—Brother, do you want to be saved? Young Broker (absent-mindedly)—Anything in it?

A Dreadful Threat. A German poet having loaned a small amount to a friend found it very difficult to collect the same, as his friend failed to recollect the incident. Meeting his friend in need the poet said: "If you don't pay me that seventeen pfeennigs which you owe me I shall have to resort to extreme measures." "And what may they be?" "I'll dedicate my next poem in your honor." The friend turned pale and shelled out abruptly.—Texas Siftings. Quite Useless. Lady—Well, good-by, Bridget. As you are cavide me so much inconvenience by leaving me without notice you cannot expect me to give you a reference. Bridget—Rife ince, is it? Howly mither o' Moses! That god wud a rifeince from yez do me at all? Sure I've tow'd ivery van in the place there's not a word o' truth in annythin' va sav.

CHAPTER 68. An Ordinance of the Village of Dwight to Provide a Revenue, for the years 1891 and 1892, and for the Appropriation Thereof.

SECTION 1. Be it ordained by the President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Dwight, that a tax be, and the same is hereby levied upon all property subject to taxation within the Village of Dwight, as the same is assessed and equalized for State and County purposes for the current fiscal year, sufficient in amount to create a revenue for said village of Thirty-Nine Hundred Dollars. SEC. 2. Said tax so levied is hereby appropriated to the following purposes and uses, to-wit: Street and Alley Department... \$1,130 00 Judicial Department... 300 00 Police " " " 440 00 Fire " " " 50 00 Miscellaneous " " " 50 00 Clerk's Salary... 50 00 Compensation of Trustees... 340 00 Street Electric Light System... 850 00 Interest on Water Stock Bonds, 510 00 Water Supply... 180 00 \$3,900 00

Attest. JOHN THOMPSON, President Board of Trustees. A. T. DOHERTY, Clerk. Passed and approved August 25th, 1891. Published in the "Dwight Star and Herald," August 29th, 1891.



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KETCHAM & SMITH, Law, Loans, Collections, REAL ESTATE AND INSURANCE.

Town Property for Sale. Good 1 1/2 story house and two lots; south front, fine trees and fruit, on Seminole street for \$1,800. Two fine lots on South st, fine fruit and shade, a splendid building spot, \$750. Three lots on Waupanse st, 174 feet frontage, for \$600. Two lots on Seminole st, south front for \$100 each. Small cottage and two lots close to the Congregational church on Delaware st, \$1,050. House and lot on Waupanse st, close to business portion, \$1,100. House and four lots, corner on Seminole st, a bargain. Investigate, \$1,250. Five lots in the west part of town for \$75 each. Worth \$100. 1-1/2 story house, fine lawn, good new improvements, for \$2,000. Four lots on Mazon ave, near business for \$800. Don't delay on these for they will not be open long. Two fine lots on Mazon ave, 1-2 block from M. E. church, \$1,500. 4 lots on Chippewa street. Fine corner, \$1,000. 2 lots on Delaware street, \$300. 1 lot on Delaware street close to Franklin; good business location, \$300. 3 lots on south side south front, a bargain at \$250 each. 2 fine lots, south front, in the west part of the city, \$500. 1 fine lot on Chippewa street, located in fine neighborhood, \$600. 5 lots in the west part of town cheap, \$350. 3 fine corner lots only one block from main street, facing the Hahn farm, with two good houses and other improvements, \$5,000. House and 2 lots, corner house new, close to business, \$1050. 204 feet frontage on Chippewa street right in the business portion. Good 2-story house and other improvements. For a few days only, \$4,500.

\$3.50. \$3.00. - - LOOK. - - For a short time will make ONE DOZEN CABINET PHOTOGRAPHS and a large CRAYON PORTRAIT for only \$3.50. This offer will hold good for only a short time, so come quick and take advantage of it.

DWIGHT ART CO., PHOTOGRAPHERS, OVER E. T. MILLER'S STORE. \$3.50. \$3.50.

A Social Event

Kepplinger's Opera House, Friday Evening, Sept. 4th.

MIRTH, MAGIC AND MYSTERY. TWO HOURS OF SOLID FUN.

Prof. Goldman has been pronounced by both Press and Public to be Prince of Magicians. No Humbug! No Cheap Snap to Catch a Few Dollars. Direct from Fresh Triumphs at the Casino, Chicago. Secure your Seats in Advance. Admission, - - 35 Cts. Reserved Seats, 50 Cts. Reserved seats for sale at Dr. C. H. Barr's Drug Store, and at Bro. H. H. Cutting's, "The Store."

FRANK L. SMITH, NOTARY PUBLIC.

Look Here! Business property, 150 ft frontage on Franklin st. Can be used as frontage on Mazon ave and Franklin st. Electric light plant and franchise complete. Mill and roller mill process and all buildings belonging to owner of the same located on said property. Call or address us and get full particulars. A good chance for a man with money. Farm Property for Sale. Or will Trade for Dwight Property. FOR SALE.—The finest and largest stock farm in Central Illinois. Space will not permit an outline of it, but look it next week. 80 acres, 2 1/2 miles from Dwight, tiled and fenced and fairly well improved. \$4,450. 160 acres, 4 miles south from Dwight, a well improved farm, needs only to be seen to be convinced that it is a bargain, \$10,000. We have located in the German settlement a fine farm of two hundred acres, four miles from Dwight. Two good houses, one which contains 9 rooms, fine shade, 3 good wells, one 404 ft deep that will never fail. All fenced and middle fenced. Fine shades, milk cooler, new, and a fine barn 92x52, crops never fail. Investigation will prove the above a bargain at \$70 per acre. 340 acres located in Prairie county, Arkansas, with the following improvements: Frame House, 16x24x14. L. 16x24x8. Good Barn, 34x40. Orchard of 3 acres. Timber, 5 acres. Under cultivation, 30 acres. Good well and other outbuildings, \$2,600. Will sell or trade 106 1/2 located in Arkansas, Arkansas county, well improved, \$800. A bargain. Farm land in Livingston county, in 160, 148 and 80 acre lots. FOR SALE.—Good real estate mortgage bearing 8 and 10 per cent interest, guaranteed. We also have some bargains and Chicago real estate.

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We Also Carry A Full Line of Insurance. ABSTRACT TITLES EXAMINED.