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DWIGHT LOCAL EVENTS.

The men who get great comfort From the Presidential fight Are those who need excuses For remaining out at night. John Dillon. Come to the races. School books at Baker's. School supplies at Baker's. Dwight races next Thursday. Lawn goods cheap at Baker's. Sheet muslin ten cents at Baker's. Try Orange Blossom flour, at Liggett's. Politics is beginning to liven up a little. All quiet on the Potomac—and the sewer. Fruit of all kinds at W. J. Hagerty & Co's. Capt. John McWilliams was in town Tuesday. Frand Bell is home from Chicago this week. Riley Wise spent Sunday at his home in Pontiac. Harry Lawrence was a Chicago visitor Tuesday. Best nickle cigar in town at the Star restaurant. Ice cream at W. J. Hagerty & Co's. new store. Best lemonade in town at the Star Restaurant. Summer beverages of all kinds at Geo. Kern's. Frank Smith was in Pontiac on business Monday. Send your work to the Dwight Artesian Laundry. Sheriff Coe was in town on legal business Tuesday. Geo. Kern is going to open a cash grocery store. There will be two match races at Mazon next Monday. Frank Rozelle conducted a revival at Kangley last week. Twenty boarders can be accommodated at the Star Restaurant. J. A. Webster has just received two car loads of hard coal. Fresh bread and cake received daily at W. J. Hagerty & Co's. For a good suit of clothes call on A. Rhode over Kern's store. Fresh home-made bread, 28 loaves for one dollar, at Geo. Kern's. Best meals in the state, for the money, at the Star Restaurant. Charlie Simmons left Tuesday to attend medical college in Chicago. Dr. Keeley and Judge Arnold were in Chicago on business Wednesday. Finest meals west of Chicago, for the money, at the Star Restaurant. Major C. J. Judd returned Monday evening from a few days vacation. Charlie Vickery is attending the State University at Champaign, this year. Lost—A coral link-cuff button. Please return to Edward McWilliams. Sixty different styles of pocket cutlery to choose from at Flagler & Potter's. Will Morris will deliver soft water \$1 per load and waterworks water for 75 cents. J. A. Webster has on hand a large assortment of sewer and connection pipes. The finest confectionery, cool summer drinks and ice cream, at Geo. L. Kern's. Editor Brydia, of Fairbury, addressed a democratic meeting in Strawn last Tuesday. We sell bran for less money than you can buy it at the mills, 216 East Mazon avenue. Finest line of pocket cutlery and shears to be found in the city at Flagler & Potter's. Come and see our wagons and buggies, almost given away, at 216 East Mazon avenue. Don't forget to leave your order with J. A. Webster for your Braidwood coal and sewer pipe. The proprietors of this paper are indebted to Father Moore for two baskets of nice grapes. Dr. Ubellar, dentist, graduate of the Chicago College of Dental Surgery, in McWilliam's block. Reserved seat tickets on sale at usual place for the John Dillon entertainment next Thursday evening. For meat or groceries Kern Bros. is the place to go. Everything delivered promptly—night or day. There will be a couple of very nice young people united in marriage next Wednesday. Now guess. J. A. Webster has constantly on hand the best grades of Pennsylvania coal, well screened. Try it. A large line of elegant pocket knives, your choice for 25 cents, at Flagler & Potter's. To see is to invest.

If you want to see some fun, see the trotting race for home horses next week. Mr. J. A. Webster will receive a car load of apples and potatoes next week, which he will sell reasonably. Kern Bros' grocery department is always supplied with all descriptions of fresh goods. Give them a call. The democratic marching club, of Pontiac, was presented with a handsome banner by the ladies recently. Hon. Geo. W. Patton addressed a large audience in the school house six miles south, last Thursday evening. J. A. Webster has just received a car load of the celebrated camel coal. It is very fine for grate use, kindling fires etc. John Dillon at the opera house next Thursday evening. The opera house is sure to be packed to see this popular actor. All K. of Ps. are urged to be present at next Wednesday night's convention. Business of importance and you should attend. Hons. H. H. McDowell and Chris Strawn, spoke to a good audience in the six mile school house, east, last Thursday evening. Hon. Dick Yates and Ex-Congressman Rowell, of Bloomington, addressed large republican meetings in Pontiac last Saturday. A prompt paying tenant wishes to rent a house by the month. West side preferred. Address box 575, stating price and location. Kern Bros' meat market always has the best of meats of all kinds. Choice cuts for Sunday. Goods delivered at all times promptly. John Dillon, one of the finest comedians in this or any other country, will be in the opera house Oct. 6, next Thursday evening. There was a very pleasant afternoon spent at the Danish picnic on Peterson's farm, in the old Geiger grove, Tuesday afternoon. Excursion trains were run from Dwight on the Branch to the state fair at Peoria, several days this week. Several from Dwight attended. Hon. H. K. Wheeler will speak in Odell next Wednesday evening, and at Long Point Thursday afternoon and at Coalville the same evening. Hon. John C. Black and A. J. Hunter, democratic candidates for congressmen at large, will speak at Pontiac next Tuesday afternoon and evening. Livingston Lodge 371, A. F. & A. M., will meet in regular communication at their hall on first Monday evening in October.—F. W. Ford, Secretary. Mr. and Mrs. John Leach left Tuesday morning for a week or ten days sojourn in Richland county, Wis. Mrs. Leach has two brothers residing in that county. We have knocked the bottom clean out of the flour trade. The best flour sold in Dwight at your own figures, at the Dwight Feed Mills, 216 East Mazon avenue. Boarders wanted near the corner of Waupensee and Washington streets. Furnished rooms and excellent accommodations. Enquire of J. L. Field at residence. Prof. Camp's cholera cure for poultry. Best in the market. Also hog cholera cure and condition powders for horses and cattle. For sale very cheap by Geo. Hart. Col. Ben Robinson, of Fairbury, was in town on business Thursday. Ben says Fairbury will give the largest republican majority she has given for twenty-five years. Mr. and Mrs. John Ferguson, of Campus, were in town last week. The many friends of Mr. Ferguson are pleased to see him able to be out again after his painful and severe illness. All are invited to attend the Christian Endeavor at the Congregational church every Sabbath evening at 7 o'clock. Subject for Oct. 2, "The old life and the new." Acts 9:1-22. Gal 1:13-24. Dr. Conway who has been very sick for the past month, is now able to be about again, and will attend to his large practice once more. His many friends will be pleased to learn of his recovery. NOTICE—If the party that took Charlie Adams' bicycle will return it immediately, no questions will be asked. If not returned right away the person will be arrested and prosecuted to the full extent of the law. Letters are coming in from every direction from lovers of good races who will be present next Thursday afternoon. There will be lots of good horses and a large crowd. The grand stand is nearly completed. Mr. and Mrs. John Koehler returned from a few days visit to Chicago, Wednesday evening. While there they placed Johnnie in school at Rush medical college. Johnnie is a good boy and will undoubtedly make a good doctor. Mrs. Cole is making arrangement for a doll drill in the near future, in connection with an organ entertainment. It will be a novelty and consist of quite a number of pretty little girls, dressed in neat costume, carrying dolls, and at the same time executing military movements.

Messrs. Nickerson & Joy the painters and decorators, will remove to Streator the middle of next week, where they rented a large store, and will open a large union painting and decorating house. Union work will be done and union men employed. These gentlemen have made many friends in Dwight by their good work and gentlemanly and honorable dealing, who wish them success in their new enterprise. Fred A. Nash, general agent of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Ry., at Omaha, Neb., was in the city Wednesday, doing business with the Leslie E. Keeley Company. Mr. Nash is one of the proprietors of the Keeley Institute in Kansas. While in Dwight he met his old friend, Willard S. Brown, whom he had not seen for twenty years. In 1872 they were both employed in the general office of the Union Pacific Ry., at Omaha. Rev. Mr. Palmer, editor of the Leader and Review, of Onarga, Ill., spent Sunday and Monday in Dwight, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Baker. We are indebted to him for editorial favors and two very pleasant calls at this office. Mr. Palmer will be recollected as the gentleman who went after the republican nomination for congress in this district last May, and gave his competitors a close call. The passenger train on the Alton branch from Dwight to Washington is now one of the finest that runs through Streator. This morning two new coaches were put on in place of two old cabooses that formerly did service, and the trainmen were as happy as a boy with his first pair of pants. So were the passengers who were going on board the train—that is the male portion of them. The Alton is again in the procession.—Streator Free Press. Last Friday evening, Sept. 25, was a scene of much pleasure and enjoyment at the home of Mrs. Robert Horton, two and one half miles north of town, it being the 21st birthday of Mr. Wm. Horton. During the evening he was presented with a watch and chain from his mother, and other useful presents from his many friends. An elegant supper was served, after which numerous games were played until a late hour. Then bidding adieu, the company returned to their homes having spent a most enjoyable time. Willard S. Brown has received his credentials as correspondent at Dwight for the Dramatic Journal published by Eugene Hunt at 611 Chicago Opera house building. The Journal is a well edited handsome appearing paper, finely illustrated with most excellent engravings of all the leading male and female stars throughout the country and the Journal is the standard authority for the entire dramatic profession throughout the country. An extended write-up of the new Dwight opera house will appear in the number issued for Saturday October 1st, and Mr. Hunt is to be congratulated upon securing the services of a man so well posted upon dramatic affairs as Mr. Brown. To Whom It May Concern. As there is a large emigration from Central Illinois to Kansas this year, and considerable interest awakened in regard to the state of Kansas, and having made a trip through Iowa, Missouri and the principal part of Kansas, I thought I would give the benefit of my observation to all it may concern gratuitously. We Illinois folks have a wrong impression about Kansas. We all read about the "hot winds" having burned all the crops up in Kansas. There has not been a puff of hot wind in the state this year. The crops are fine, corn, wheat, oats and flax. I saw corn that would make sixty bushels per acre. Stock is looking well. I have heard a great deal about the land the Trice Bros. sold, not being of any account. I must say that I have seen the Fox, James, Ferguson, Spencer, Seymour, Flood and several other farms that they sold, and in my judgment I consider them good pieces of property and good farming land. I made it a part of my business while in El Dorado and vicinity to inquire about Trice Bros., and found that they were all right. I traveled at my own expense and am not booming Mr. Trice or no one else, but I believe in giving people their merit while living, and not wait till they are dead, and then say something fair about them. I believe in encouraging them while living. Men that have good farms in Illinois I would not advise them to sell, because we all know if our land here is properly tilled and with our proximity to Chicago market, our situation is hard to beat. But men that contemplate a change or that their farms are too small or that want to go into stock raising, they would do well to look over Kansas before buying elsewhere. Good farming land can be bought for \$15 per acre, and sometimes less, in Kansas. The state of Kansas is well supplied with schools and churches. The people seem to be very civil and intelligent. Respectfully J. T. CAREY, Campus, Ill. Six Cots for Sale. Six three-fourths English shire colts for sale; two 3-year old past and three 3-year past. Inquire of Chet Gould or at the store of H. C. Rosendall.

AN INVITATION.

Grand Fall Opening. AT Heenan's "Big Store," Streator Our "Big Opening" takes place on Thursday and Friday, October 6th and 7th. You and your friends, and all your friends, are invited to attend. It will be well worth your while to come, for we shall have some beautiful displays and many new features to interest visitors and buyers. But ten dollars worth and we will pay your fare home; buy twenty dollars worth and we will pay fare both ways. Our stock this fall is magnificent—never had the like of it—and the prices in every department more favorable to you. We have been preparing for weeks for this event, and it's going to be a big one. Make arrangements to come else you may regret it. We will expect you, D. HEENAN & Co., Streator, Illinois. For Sale. The following articles of furniture at most new for sale cheap. Two spring cots with mattress. One fine center table. Two looking glasses, also one heating stove almost new and several other articles. Inquire at this office. A \$3 Magazine for \$1. The Postmaster-General writes to the editor of Arthur's New Home Magazine of Philadelphia: "As your magazine gets thicker it gets brighter. I congratulate you on doing what no one else has done in putting out two copies at the price others charge for one—it is half the price of other no better magazines." This was written when the price was \$1.50, but the circulation has grown so large that we can afford to make it \$1.00, and have made it larger and better at the same time. It has long been said that it was "the best magazine in the English language for the money," and it is better to-day than ever. Every subscriber gets \$3.00 worth of McCall's Glove Fitting Patterns Free. Full particulars and sample copy (including a pattern order worth 25 cents) sent free for five two-cent stamps. The Arthur Publishing Company, (Lock Box 913.) Walnut and Sixth Sts., Philadelphia, Pa. The above Magazine and this Journal post-paid one year for \$2.00. Excursion Rates on the Alton. Tickets for sale for one fare \$5.45 for round trip to St. Louis fair and exposition, October 3 to 8. Tickets on sale Oct. 1 to 8, good returning to Oct. 10, 1892. Fair for round trip \$2.30 to Peoria to the state fair. Tickets on sale Sept 24 to Oct. 1, 1892. Very cheap. N. H. COOLE, Agent. Opera House Program. The STAR and HERALD will issue a regular opera house program commencing with the John Dillon show October 6. The program will have a neatly engraved head, four pages, and 500 will be issued for every show; that takes place in the opera house, and will be delivered to every one entering. There will be room for a few advertisements on each page on the side of the program, and this will be an excellent medium, our merchants should take advantage of it. The cost will be slight. The STAR and HERALD has the exclusive right to publish this program for free distribution in the opera house, and we feel sure we can benefit our merchants. There are no advertisements in the new opera house, and before the shows commence and between acts the program will be read. Did You Examine It? The Excelsior Slate Paint, for shingles, iron and tin roofs. A sample of the same can be seen on the roof of the water works reservoir. All orders promptly filled and work guaranteed, by B. S. REARICK, Special Agt., Dwight, Ill. Notice. Having sold my grocery business, all book accounts due me can be paid to E. E. Fenn at his new grocery store in Kepplinger's block, who will receipt for same. Parties having accounts please call and settle same, and oblige. E. P. HARRISON. Hose and Packing. Eyer Bros. have a fine lot of suction hose, all sizes, for tanks, pumps etc. Also all kinds of packing for engines and pumps and all kinds of engine trimmings. Owners of engines and those having pumps to be repaired should bear this in mind. Notice. D. B. Stevens wants to buy good horses for the market. Barn corner Washington and Waupansie street. 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