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DWIGHT LOCAL NEWS.

Milk four cents a quart. Ain't they all good looking? Eyes tested free at J. C. Lewis. Extra copies of this issue, 5 cts. Send your work to the Dwight Artesian Laundry. A fresh supply of cakes and crackers at Baker Bros. Oysters stewed, fried or in the bulk at E. E. Fenn's. New Orleans and sorghum molasses at Baker Bros. Go to Lewis' for a Domestic sewing machine. New music at half the printed price at J. C. Lewis' Luther & Son sell the famous Pearl of Cuba 5c cigar. Pure cider vinegar 15c a gallon at J. D. Luther & Son's. Pure maple syrup and buckwheat flour at Baker Bros. Buy a nice Sunday roast of Austin, the east side butcher. A few tubular lanterns at 25 cents each, at Baker Bros. Guadenier's is the place to buy your jewelry for the holidays. A large fire-proof safe at less than cost at Luther & Son's. Go to Gregg & Starrett for New York granulated buckwheat flour. Xmas candies and nuts at E. E. Fenn's, next to Lewis' store. We are headquarters for sporting goods, J. D. Luther & Son. Go to Guadenier's for your Christmas presents, you always do well there. When in need of anything in the grocery line, give us a call, Baker Bros. Silk umbrellas and gold-headed canes for Christmas presents, at J. C. Lewis'. Farmer's lunch at E. E. Fenn's, ten cents. West street, opposite the depot. Buck has more second-hand stoves and will sell them cheaper than anybody. Wrapped copies of this paper, at this office for 5 cents. Send a copy to your friends. Luther & Son will exchange either groceries or hardware for your butter and eggs. Don't let it escape your memory that Austin sells the finest, tenderest meats in town. The Chicago Weekly Inter Ocean and Dwight Star and Herald for \$1.50 per year. The oil wagon is the handiest and cheapest place to get your supplies in that line. If you want an elegant double or six-gle carriage please call at this office right away. Columbian piano, \$165 cash; organs, \$35, \$50 and \$58 cash. All new. Call at this office. The best place to get your watch repairing done at reasonable prices, is at Guadenier's. Beef, pork, veal, mutton, chickens, turkeys, salt meats, ham, etc., all the best at Austin's. Nice hot coffee and lunch at E. E. Fenn's, night or day, just west of the C. & A. depot. Special sale of decorated chamber sets at factory prices to close out our stock. Baker's Furniture Bazar. If you are going to buy a stove or any kind you will find the largest and best assortment at Buck's. If you want to buy your little daisy watch and chain for a Christmas present, go to Guadenier's. Go to Lewis' book and stationery store for a fine book for a Christmas present at your own price. When you want a bargain look over the STAR and HERALD columns and then come to Dwight and get it. Special sale of hand, stand, hall, banquet, piano and hanging lamps, at hard-times prices. Baker's Furniture Bazar. Anyone wanting a first-class international dictionary—no cheap edition—will do well to call upon us before purchasing. Pay your money and take your choice of 150 different styles of Rockers, in price from one to \$25. Baker's Furniture Bazar. Prices on flour have advanced, but we are selling standard brands at hard times prices. Give us a trial, Baker Bros. A cordial invitation is extended to everybody to call and examine our line of useful holiday goods. Baker's Furniture Bazar. Get your sale bills printed at this office and we will publish them in the STAR and HERALD, and you get a double benefit.

The sewer is reversed. Who said "Ward McAllister" couldn't act—up? Look at the pictures and then read everything. Elmer Fenn was quite sick the first of the week. New furniture at a low price at Mrs. Koehnlein's store. The devil is sick—that is the printers devil, was slightly under the weather this week. Mr. Leonard Howlett has partially recovered from his sickness the first of the week. It is proposed to take the sewer case to the supreme court. It should be flushed first. A few stoves left of the J. W. Sargent stock at cost to close out. J. D. Luther & Son. Try a 50 pound sack of our Daisy flour—only \$1.10. We guarantee it at Luther & Son's. A complete and well selected line of shelf hardware and staple groceries always on hand at Luther's. We wish to return our sincere thanks to those who have paid their subscriptions during the past week. Willie and "Baby," children of Mr. and Mrs. Al Jones, were quite sick this week. They are better. Mrs. Strand, living in the southeast part of town, has been quite sick and has four little children to care for. Mrs. Millie Weld left for Louisville, Ky., recently, to join her husband, who is attending medical college there. We are thinking of getting out a ladies' number of the STAR and HERALD. Wouldn't that be nice? Remember Mickleson makes the best finished picture ever made in Dwight. Gallery over J. C. Lewis' jewelry store. If you want anything in the photographic line be sure to call at Mickleson's gallery, over J. C. Lewis' jewelry store. Cheap—Toilet cases and shaving sets at absolutely cost prices. They must be sold, at Lewis' book and stationery store. Tile ditching, 200 rods per day, one man and four horses, two and a half to three feet deep. Write for circular. H. T. McLane. Major C. J. Judd, who has been a great sufferer for the past two weeks with sciatic rheumatism, is reported much better. Leach & Reeb, the enterprising boot and shoe and harness dealers, have an ad. in this issue which should be read by every one. Special sale of genuine Indian made baskets. Many styles and patterns well made at reasonable prices. Baker's Furniture Bazar. For Mickleson's prices, styles and finish of photographs call and see him. They cannot be beaten. Gallery over J. C. Lewis' store. Weather like this the stove question should be the foremost one, and your every wish can be gratified at the south end hardware store. Louis Schaefer, manager of the Livingston, made a business trip to Chicago Monday. The house will set a very fine spread for Christmas. At J. C. Lewis jewelry and stationery store you will find just what your wife and friends want for a Christmas present, at hard times prices. We have left out considerable local news this week on account of a rush of work, coupled with some backsets and sickness among the office force. Anyone wishing to purchase a brand new organ or piano at a very low figure will do well to call at this office without delay. Nice Christmas present. The entertainment at the opera house last Thursday evening, under the auspices of Keely League, was very good. We hope to publish a report of it next week. Winter tourist rates to points in the south and California are on sale by the C. & A. R. R. at very low round trip rates, apply at the ticket office for information. Miss Vernie Koehnlein is visiting her sister in California. We are informed that she is recovering slowly from the injury she received here, but is still unable to walk without support. W. H. Taylor will accept all kinds of silver money for coal at his 3-1 yards. It makes no difference whether they are 16 to 1, 20 to 1, or any other kind of dollars. They all go for coal at a reasonable price and 2000 pounds to the ton every time. Last Sunday evening, at the M. E. church, Prof. Wilson gave a very interesting account of the second annual state convention of the Epworth League, held last week at Jacksonville. The Prof. was very interesting in his remarks, and from his account we judge that the convention was a very helpful and busy gathering. The Danish Brotherhood will give a grand masquerade the 27th at Lyceum hall. The committee in charge will have a costume cut from Chicago who will supply all with costumes of every design and shape. The Brotherhood always have an excellent time at their dances and this will beat them all. Everyone is invited. Remember the date—the 27th.

Read every line of this paper. Children's knit underwear at Kelagher's. Furnishing goods of all kinds at Kelagher's. Mrs. Frank Bell is visiting relatives in Pontiac. Mr. P. J. Duffy, of Cabery, Ill., made us a call Thursday. Knives and forks at Lewis' for Christmas presents. J. A. Webster was in Chicago last Monday, on business. All goods bought at Lewis' will be engraved free of charge. Will Prime is now in the employ of the Leslie E. Keeley Co. Toilet sets of all descriptions at various prices at Kelagher's. L. H. Martin, the tile man, was in Chicago on business Monday. Gold pins and gold tooth-picks at Lewis' for Christmas presents. Six dozen silk umbrellas at Lewis' to select from for Christmas presents. Frank Bell returned to Chicago Wednesday to remain for the present. Ten dozen solid silver spoons to select from at Lewis' jewelry store. A fine lot of everything kept in a first class jewelry store, will be sold at Lewis' Miss Hattie Clark, of Streator, visited with Miss Myrtle Wheatly last Saturday. Watches at greatly reduced prices, for cash, for the next two weeks, at J. C. Lewis'. J. C. Lewis is the man to make you happy in buying and your friends in receiving. Come to Dwight to do your holiday trading. Our merchants have everything you want. Santa Claus has opened headquarters at Kelagher's, where he has everything for holiday presents. All the latest novelties in toys and trinkets for holiday purposes can be found at Kelagher's. Holly and mistletoe, and green for Christmas decorations can be had of T. J. Brown, at J. C. Lewis' store. A fine line of plush goods in useful and ornamental articles, just the things for nice Christmas presents, at Kelagher's. Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Baker went to Chicago Wednesday to further replenish the stock of holiday goods. His store looks very nice. The fire laddies will give one of their grand balls on New Years night. Everyone that wants to enjoy a splendid evening will attend. Miss Aline Chenoweth is the name of the new teacher who will start in the next term of school. She comes here highly recommended. Take the Big 4 route for points east Indianapolis, Cincinnati, Cleveland, Louisville, etc. For rates apply to O. C. Minor, Gardner, Ill. The M. E. Congregation voted last Sunday to have responsive services hereafter, and quite a large collection was taken up to purchase books. W. H. Ketcham purchased the entire law library of the late Attorney Pearre Tuesday, and now has about 250 valuable volumes in his possession. Jumping-jacks for the babies, dolls for the girls, toy engines for the boys, interesting books for the young folks, and useful articles for the old folks, at Kelagher's. We are indebted to Messrs. S. T. K. Prime and Dwight C. Morgan for favors this week, and wish to convey our thanks to them as well as others who have assisted us. Speaking of tinware is just as good as anything else for a Christmas present, if the article wanted happens to be made of tin. Kelagher's is the place to buy tinware. The smallest bird in the world is a Brazilian humming bird. It is a little larger than a common house bee, and weighs five grains. That's about the size of Kelagher's prices. Get your boots and shoes repaired at Karl Schmitt's shop at the auction store. Perfect satisfaction always given in work and prices. Mending rubber shoes and boots a specialty. We rise to remark that the "injunction" that Mr. J. A. Hayes lost last winter, was recently found at Ottawa. The report that it was drowned in the ever-living Gooseberry is null and void. We find at the last minute that some of the cuts we intended to use and some interesting reading matter will be crowded out of this issue. We wish to return thanks to all for their kindness, and hope, notwithstanding the tight times, that holiday trade will be good. C. J. Brown and Peter Jenkins loaded their cars yesterday and left to-day for their new homes in Algona, Ia. We don't like to lose good citizens but we wish you all the success there is in it, boys. The STAR and HERALD will keep them posted as to Dwight and neighborhood doings. The fire company will give a grand ball on the evening of New Years. It is gotten up for the purpose of replenishing the treasury and placing the department on a footing financially and everyone should purchase a ticket and help the boys along whether they attend the ball or not. The department deserve the assistance of all. They have already saved more for the town than the water works and all the paraphernalia has cost. Give them a boost.

Bank of Dwight. The Bank of Dwight was established in 1855, and continues to this day in the full enjoyment of its uninterrupted march to the proud distinction of being one of the solid financial houses of the country. By conservative management and shrewd foresight these laurels have been won. The founder and to this day sole owner, Mr. David McWilliams, is one of Dwight's foremost and most highly respected citizens. Mr. L. A. Naffziger, the cashier, is a polished and keen young business man enjoying the unqualified respect and confidence of this whole community. During the stringency in the money market the Bank of Dwight went right along doing business just as if nothing had happened and had the confidence of the public. It was a shrewd head that devised the species of exchange that has been developed into the great banking system of modern times, and which alone is one of the marvelous evidences of the wonderful degree of progress attained by this country. A bank is indispensable to a business man, and an examination of the banking facilities of a town in which it is desired to locate is one of the first things demanding attention by capitalists. This bank is an eminently safe, flourishing and reliable institution, which embarks in no questionable ventures. It does a general banking business in loans, collections, exchange, insurance, the sale of ocean steamship tickets, receives accounts of banks, merchants, manufacturers and others on the most favorable terms, makes collections on all accessible points at lowest rates, and renders satisfaction to all customers.

Dr. W. L. Rabe. Was born in Steubenville, Ohio, May 8, 1839, entered Richmond College at the age of fourteen, after four years entered Washington College, at the age of 19 years and graduated in medical, under special tutorage of Dr. Gustave Von Weber, but 21 commenced practice of medicine in Wellsville, Ohio, the largest part being across the Ohio in Virginia, among families of Arbucks, McCulloughs, Browns, Jennings, all of whom have died, each leaving his name to their posterity. After five years accepted the proffered Presidency of Richmond College, for two years term. Afterward served voluntarily as Assistant Surgeon in U. S. Army, witnessed the capture of John Morgan, afterward entered Mt. Carmel Theological Seminary and for post graduation the Rush Medical College, of Chicago, receiving diplomas from each. In '67 received an immediate call to the 1st Presbyterian church of Bloomington, where he remained 9 years. In '73 came to Dwight in Missionary work in which 104 persons, 68 by baptism, were received into fellowship in one year. Being born and educated a Presbyterian and likewise in the regular system of medicine the Doctor holds fast the faith that is in him. His patronage has steadily increased and for the present year approximates \$5,000.

The Sewer Case. The Appellate Court has reversed the decision of the lower court and returned it to the lower court with instructions to make the injunction perpetual. It is the general opinion that this was brought about on account of the poor management of the defence, and not watching the case a little closer. It remains now to be seen what steps will be taken to further obstruct proper sanitary measures, and make useless a \$23,000 sewer that will have to be paid for. We understand that Mr. Hayes has no desire to push the matter further, which, if pushed to such a point, and the matter will be simplified greatly.

Y Meeting. The Y's had a very pleasant monthly literary meeting at the residence of Miss Cora Adams last Friday evening. They presented a fine program of papers and had lots of fun. The editor of the STAR and HERALD passed the handsome Adams residence in the evening and from the merry laughter heard a good time was being enjoyed by one and all. Following was the program: Instrumental solo..... Miss Cora Adams Reading..... Miss Mildred Gould Solo..... Miss Fannie Conner Reading..... Miss Helen Adams Quartet Misses Fenn, Barr, Adams and Lower Dog Show.

Heather Lad, the fine Gordon setter spoken of in an earlier part of this paper, owned by R. R. Oughton, won second prize in the open class at the bench show in Chicago this week. The judging was done in the night and the light was not good, and those present acknowledged that it was a mistake of the judge and that Lad should have won. In the pup class Young Lad and Dwight Little won first, and Dwight Don and Dwight Rose won second, and Dwight Sadie was very highly commended.

Miller Brothers. The above firm has one of the finest double stores in this section of the State, and are good people to deal with. They make their announcement on an inside page. Read it.

The fire whistle will blow the first and third Monday evenings of each month—just a plain every day whistle—for regular meetings of the department, and there is no use of your gathering yourself and going to see the fire because there will be none. When there is a fire you will be notified by the unsightly howl of the catlope whistle. When you hear that there is trouble, and it is the duty of all firemen to get there as soon as possible, and every good citizen to get there and do what can be done to help them.

The greatest wall in the world is the Chinese wall; 1250 miles long, 25 feet thick at its base, and 20 feet high. But there is no wall around Kelagher's, where all are free to enter and inspect his large line of assorted goods, such as notions, furnishing goods, tinware, toys of all kinds, dolls, toilet sets, plush goods, books and stationery. Prof. Meneely leaves next Friday for a holiday visit to friends and relatives in Edinburg and Kilmory, Ill. He will return in time for the opening of next term. The Professor has made many friends in Dwight during his first term, and is a very fine instructor. School closes for the holidays next Friday, and we hope every last one of the scholars and teachers will hang up their stockings and get them well filled during the holidays.

Our Light Still Shines. The Dwight Electric Light plant was advertised for sale Dec. 15, last Tuesday, but it was not sold. The representatives of the Thomas-Houston Electric Light Co. came here, and further propositions were made privately and confidentially, but it was not reached. A partial settlement from parties interested, and their attorney, Will Ketchum, is to the effect that the above company have held a chattel mortgage on the electric machinery, and that Mr. Hahn held a mortgage covering everything. It seems the Chicago people have left their mortgage run out and that Mr. Hahn's mortgage steps in, so to speak, and covers everything, as all such property becomes real estate in the eyes of the law, and did the parties here choose, they could beat the Thomas-Houston Co. out of the indebtedness, some \$2,500. Mr. Seigert, however, proposes to do the fair thing and offers the company what he considers a fair price, and it is quite probable the matter will be amicably settled. The Chicago company claim, however, that their mortgage holds good and that they can sell the plant but would rather settle. At the same time our lights shine on so that the weary wayfarer can see the straight and narrow, and sometimes broad, pathway.

Mrs. C. Y. Trice Dies. The wife of Mr. Trice, the well-known real estate dealer, died suddenly two weeks ago to-day at the family home in El Dorado, Kan. Mr. Trice was at Seneca at the time of the sudden attack and hurried home only to find that the spirit of his life partner had taken its flight only two hours before his arrival. It can well be imagined that this strong man was overcome with sorrow such as he had never known. It was a terrible blow to him, his wife having been his close companion in business as well as home life, and always accompanied and advised him for the best. It was indeed a sad home-coming for the husband and the little ones. Mrs. Trice has been in Dwight several times with her husband, and all who met her speak only words of praise, and it was the same everywhere she was known. She has been a sufferer for the past five years, and had been worse for the past three years, but as though there were no immediate cause for alarm. The funeral took place at the home and was largely attended. Mr. Trice's many friends in this part of the country extend their sympathy to him and his little ones in their sorrow.

Death of Mr. Chase. Saturday week was received here that Mr. Lawrence B. Chase had died in Chicago that morning. He was a member of the Old Forge of his funeral. The remains arrived in Dwight Sunday noon accompanied by some Chicago Old Fellows, who turned the remains over to the order here. They were taken to the residence of the deceased's father, in Round Grove, where the funeral was held at 3:30. Rev. Ayling conducted the services, and the remains were laid to rest in the Round Grove cemetery.

Lawrence B. Chase was born March 1848, in Epping, N. H. He removed with his parents in 1865 to Illinois. In 1861 they removed to this locality. He united with the M. E. church in 1825 early youth, of which he remained a consistent member until his death. He enlisted in the 12th Illinois Infantry and was with Sherman on his march to the sea. He participated in several battles and remained in the service until the close of the war. He was married to Katie Talbot in September, 1875, and spent most his married life in Chicago. He leaves a wife, one daughter, two sisters, four brothers and aged parents to mourn his loss.

Guaranteed Cure. We authorize our advertised druggist to sell Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds upon this condition. If you afflicted with a Cough, Cold or any Lung, Throat or Chest trouble, and will use this remedy as directed, giving it a fair trial, and experience no benefit, you may return the bottle and have your money refunded. We could not make this offer did we not know that Dr. King's New Discovery could be relied on. It never disappoints. Trial bottles free at Dr. Barr, Dwight, and Augustine's, Braceville, Drug Store. Large size 50c, and 1.00.

Wanted—Five or six fresh milk cows. Inquire at this office.

KYLE'S Restaurant and Lunch Counter, Mazon Hotel, Dwight, Illinois. Regular Meals, 30 Cents, Or to Order from Bill of Fare Reasonable Rates.

MILTON PALM, M. D., Physician and Surgeon. Three Doors West of old Presbyterian Church, DWIGHT, ILL. Special attention given to Calls from the Gountry or City.

Is There Anyone in Dwight WHO WANTS TO TRADE Residence + Property FOR A Kansas Farm? We have a fine 160 acre farm in Kansas, three miles from county seat, clear of all incumbrance. It is good land and if you have any Dwight property to trade it will pay you to look it up. ANOTHER CHANCE. A GOOD 80 Acre Farm in Minnesota To trade for Dwight Residence Property. Come right away, or address KETCHAM & SMITH, Dwight, Ill.