

DWIGHT NOTES

Remember the Hooster, there ought to be one in your home. Baker's.

You can get the last edition of the Sunday papers at the Park News Depot tomorrow.

Mrs. Arthur Hinch and children are spending a two weeks' visit with relatives in Ottawa.

Dr. Milton Keeley and family left Friday for their summer home at Wabano, Mich.

Clarence Hays, of Henry, brought his family over Friday for a visit with their folks. Mr. Phillip Weicker's family.

Miss Ethel Orr returned home Friday after visiting her brother, Mr. F. Orr and wife, of Chicago, for the past two weeks.

Misses Bessie Reeder and Adella Williams spent Friday evening in Pontiac, where they attended the Chautauqua.

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It would be a different task for anyone to find a trace of selfishness in the life of David Brainerd. Come and hear about him, C. E. meeting next Sunday evening, 6:45 p. m.

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Mrs. R. H. Mills was hostess Monday afternoon at a party in honor of Miss Mary Barrell, of Seattle, and Mrs. Franc Kenyon, of Chicago. A number of musical selections and readings were given which were very charming indeed, and dainty refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Hayes, and Miss May are camping out at Wilmington, on the Kankakee river, and have named their camp, Camp Mikado. Misses Elsie, Ruth and Edith Bartholic, and Miss Clara Rosendall visited the camp Monday evening and Tuesday, and Tuesday morning, Misses Reba Fellingham, Marie Stafford, Hazel Morris, Birdie Ellis and her cousin Miss Bessie Fry went up for the day. Miss Olive Ingraham spent part of Sunday, Monday and Tuesday there.

Eddie Farrell spent Wednesday in Streator, where he attended the Wallace-Hagenbeck circus.

Andrew Nielsen sold his new house on Delaware street to Rev. A. R. Morgan through Frank L. Smith agency.

Dr. Raley Bovik returned home this week after spending a two weeks' vacation in Chicago visiting his parents.

Mrs. R. Emple has been visiting a few days this week with her brother, Ed. Henry, who lives in the country.

Rev. Charles Epstein, of Plainfield, is spending a few days here visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Diefenbach and family.

Mrs. George Hollenbeck and children visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Dempsey, of Kinsman, the first of the week.

Buy your paints, lead, oils and supplies of C. M. Baker & Son; they always carry a good fresh stock, and the best the market affords.

The F. L. Smiths will play the Cabery Defenders here Sunday, July 28, at West Side Park. Be sure and attend as this will be some game.

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The little son of Mr. and Mrs. Slow, who reside on West Delaware street, fell out of a hammock one day the first of the week and had the misfortune to break a bone in his shoulder. Although the little fellow suffers considerable pain he is getting along nicely at this writing.

A number from Dwight are attending the Chautauqua at Pontiac which started Thursday. Mrs. Ida B. Cole, who formerly lived in Dwight, will conduct the Round Table and give lectures on literature and other subjects. She is a noted speaker, and often gave addresses when she lived here.

The Building Committee of the Evangelical Church met in session at the church Wednesday evening and Architect Young, of Pontiac, was present and presented his plans for the new church. The committee decided to accept his plans and engaged Mr. Young to superintend the work on the new church. Rev. E. Burgi, of Naperville, was also present. The work of construction will begin soon.

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C. M. Baker & Son have arranged with Mr. A. Orr, manager of the Dwight Opera House, to entertain their August customers one night the latter part of August, assisted by the Victor-Victrola. Ask the clerk at C. M. Baker & Son's about this entertainment.

Word was received here Wednesday afternoon by Chris Long that his father, John Long, who resided with his daughter, Mrs. John Binzen, in Joliet, had passed away that afternoon. The body was brought here Friday morning and after a short funeral service at the Catholic Church, was taken to the Catholic cemetery for burial.

Mrs. Charles Burgman and Miss Emma Metzke left Friday morning for Wilmington to spend the day with O. H. Wilson and family, who have a camp at that place. Miss Metzke will leave Saturday for Chicago for a few days' visit with relatives and from Chicago she will leave for Iowa for an extended visit and Mrs. Burgman will return home Saturday.

Mr. Dennis Hubert, residing five miles southwest of Dwight, went out auto riding last Sunday evening, and upon his return found a party consisting of about forty friends awaiting his arrival, to help celebrate his thirtieth birthday. Refreshments were served about ten o'clock, the guests leaving about eleven. Mr. Hubert received many handsome gifts.

Little Miss Anna Slattery, who lives on Mazon avenue, was pleasantly surprised recently, the occasion being her sixth birthday, when a party of little ones came to spend the afternoon. The guests were entertained with music and various games until about 5:30, when delicious refreshments were served, the dining room being handsomely decorated. The little girl received many pretty presents from her friends.

WEATHER REPORT.

Report of the weather for the week ending July 24, 1912, at 6 o'clock p. m., showing highest and lowest temperature, also precipitation as compared with same period one year ago, 1912—

Date	Max.	Min.	Prec.
18.....	82	58	.00
19.....	74	48	.T
20.....	92	58	.00
21.....	82	68	.64
22.....	82	59	.00
23.....	95	63	.00
24.....	94	77	.00

Average—Maximum, 85.9 degrees; minimum, 61.4 degrees; total precipitation, 0.64 of an inch.

Date	Max.	Min.	Prec.
18.....	87	51	.00
19.....	82	67	.13
20.....	77	58	.00
21.....	86	64	.00
22.....	79	49	.00
23.....	78	64	.72
24.....	76	55	.00

Average—Maximum, 80.7 degrees; minimum, 58.3 degrees; total precipitation, 0.85 of an inch.

Weather conditions generally of a favorable character have prevailed during the week. The excessive humidity of the last two days, together with a temperature as high as any of the season, has caused much discomfort. The weekly mean, 73.7 degrees, was 1.6 degrees below normal and 4.6 degrees warmer than the corresponding week 1911. The week closes hot and sultry with cooler weather predicted.

E. O. WELCH, Observer.

County Agency Here.

The Naylor Farm Book Co., of Fort Wayne, Indiana, have arranged with C. M. Baker & Son to represent them in this county and distribute their Farm Record and Account Book, which is the finest book of the kind we have ever seen, and fully recommend it our former acquaintances. This book sells for \$2.50 and is a first-class investment. —STAR AND HERALD.

MR. W. H. TAYLOR PASSES AWAY

After a Long Illness, at His Residence North of Town.

Mr. W. H. Taylor, a resident of Dwight for many years, during which time none was more honored nor respected than he, passed away at his home last Saturday, July 20, at four o'clock in the afternoon.

Mr. Taylor was a successful and honored citizen of this town and county for many years, serving in the capacity of Road Commissioner for twenty-seven years, until his health failed about three years ago, since when he had been a constant invalid and sufferer from paralysis. During his illness he was patient and uncomplaining, though suffering greatly at times.

Mr. Taylor was a member of the Methodist Episcopal Church, and politically he was identified with the Republican party. He was a member of the village board during the Dwight boom, and for nearly thirty years most satisfactorily served as road



W. H. TAYLOR Taken from photograph of several years ago.

commissioner of Dwight township. He had built many bridges in the township and made many other improvements along that line. He was public spirited and progressive, and took an active part in all enterprises calculated to prove of public benefit.

William H. Taylor was born in Lancaster, England, March 9, 1841. When but six years of age he came to America with his parents, and settled in the vicinity of Allegheny City, Pa. In 1866 he came to Illinois and Livingston county, where he resided until his death, July 20th.

December 10th, 1868, he was united in marriage to Miss Lydia H. Grub, of Blair county, Pa. Five children were born to them, two of whom died in early infancy. William J., Charles G., Anna M., and a granddaughter, Rebecca, who has lived with her grandparents since a baby, together with the mother, survive him and hold the memory of husband and father very precious. Three sisters and four brothers are also living but are widely scattered in their homes, from Pennsylvania to Oregon.

The funeral services were held Monday afternoon at his late residence, Rev. R. A. Brown, of the Methodist Church officiating. The burial was made in Oak Lawn cemetery.

Card of Thanks.

We desire to take this means of expressing our sincere thanks and appreciation of the sympathy and aid extended us during the illness and death of our husband and father.

Mrs. W. H. TAYLOR and FAMILY.

Postoffice Notes.

Some of the rural boys have been "haying" this week, while the sun shines.

Walter Baker was sick a couple of days this week.

There is a new order from the department in regard to young people on the delivery routes getting their mail at general delivery. The postmaster may be required to ask that reasons be given in writing, and also to notify parents.

The department requires that all rural boxes have the name of the owner painted thereon, also the number. This not only looks well, but often avoids mistakes. There are times when a regular carrier has to lay off on account of sickness or other necessary cause, and his substitute might not be available, and a new man has to be sent out. It doesn't cost much, and every owner of a rural route box, if he hasn't already, should have his name placed on the box right away quick.

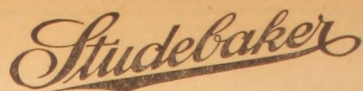
Special Election in Grundy County for Removal of Court House.

Considerable excitement is prevailing in Grundy county over the proposed removal of the county seat from Morris to Mazon and a special election November 12 will only tell the results in which place it shall be.

In a remarkable one-day campaign Monday, Mazon secured enough signatures to demand the election and with additional work Tuesday they had more than enough to spare according to their statements.

The number of signatures required for the election according to the Mazon figures is 2015, and late Tuesday they announced that they had 2416 signers.

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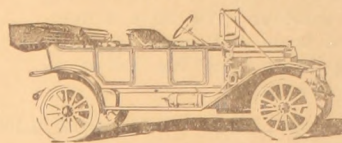


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F. L. Smiths Defeat Herscher Greys Sunday.

The F. L. Smiths defeated the Herscher Greys Sunday afternoon at the West Side Park before a large crowd of fans by a score of 9 to 4. In spite of the heavy rain Saturday night the diamond was in fair condition and both teams played a fast and interesting game.

The Smiths outclassed the Greys at the bat, securing fourteen hits off of Sullivan while the Greys only found Flood for nine.

Jim Flood pitched a good game for the home team and had the opponents going at all stages of the game, getting fourteen strike outs while Sullivan, who pitched for Herscher, was only fortunate in striking out nine of the home boys, with two three baggers, a two bagger and a number of singles against his credit. He was taken out in the eighth after the ball was swatted for the second third bagger by Paderni, and Miller took the slab but did not have a chance to show his skill as a pitcher as one more out retired the side and the game ended when the Greys were unable to score in the ninth.

The following is the score:

F. L. SMITHS.	R. H.	P. O.	A. E.
J. Lannon, lf	0	2	0 0 0
S. Lannon, cf	0	3	2 2 0 0
F. Flood, c	2	3	14 1 0
Gutel, 2b	1	2	1 1 0
Mickelson, rf	0	0	0 0 0
Paderni, 3b	2	3	1 1 2
Harrison, lb	1	1	6 0 0
McGahay, ss	0	1	1 1 0
J. Flood, p	0	0	1 2 0
	9	14	27 6 2
HERSCHER GREYS.	R. H.	P. O.	A. E.
Leiselwitz, 2b, 3b	0	0	0 0 3 0
Neilson, ss	1	0	2 0 1
Hamilton, lb	1	1	7 1 1
Miller, 3b, p	0	0	3 0 1 0
Sullivan, p cf	0	0	0 0 1 0
Gaus, c	0	2	9 1 0
Stipko, lf	0	0	4 0 0
Crookhorn, rf	1	2	1 0 0
Divine, cf, 2b	1	1	1 0 0
Pettersson, cf			
	4	9	24 7 2

Score by innings—

Dwight	3	0	1	0	0	1	2	—9
Herscher	1	0	0	1	2	0	0	—4

Three base hits—Paderni, McGahay. Two base hits—F. Flood, Paderni, Miller. Hits—Off Flood, 9; off Sullivan, 13; off Miller, 1. Left on bases—Dwight, 4; Herscher, 5. Base on balls—Off Flood, 1; off Sullivan, 1; off Miller, 1. Struck out—By Flood, 14; by Sullivan, 9.

The next attraction will be the fast Cabery Defenders, who will play here Sunday, July 28. It will be remembered that this team beat Dwight Sunday, July 14, in this city by a score of 1 to 0 in one of the best games that has been played here this season. Dwight will be out for revenge Sunday and a good game will be assured.

Some railroads in Germany are equipping their locomotive cabs with cocoa mats to absorb the vibration, which is said to affect the hearing of the members of their crews.

The production of American salt broke all records in 1909, reaching \$5,343,831, says the United States Geological Survey. It was produced in practically one-third of the states.



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