

DWIGHT NOTES

Wm. Brown went to Kankakee Monday.

J. F. O'Connor was in Kankakee Monday.

Rev. J. F. Power went to Streator Monday.

P. Nast, of Streator, was in Dwight Monday.

Sefert Johnson went to Dixon last Saturday.

Will Brevett, of Streator, was in Dwight Saturday.

Chas. Adams, of Peoria, spent Thursday here on business.

A large assortment of sweater coats at Carey & Seabert's.

C. E. Oliver, of Pontiac, was a Dwight visitor Saturday.

Seabert Bros. store will close at noon for the day, Labor Day.

A beautiful piano given away free, ask about it at C. M. Baker & Son's.

Mrs. C. Brendley and two daughters are visiting at North Liberty, Ind.

Fred Timm was in Ottawa Sunday looking after some business matters.

F. J. Vickery spent Sunday at South Bend with his brother, Dr. Charles R. Vickery.

C. H. Pittee, route agent for the American Express Co., was in Dwight Tuesday.

Mrs. T. E. Weary and daughter, Lulu, were Chicago passengers last Saturday.

Sheriff Patterson was in our city last Saturday attending to some business matters.

For Sale—Good hard coal stove and double baby buggy. Inquire 224 W. Waupansie St.

John O'Malley has moved into his home on West Chippewa street which he just finished remodeling.

Keys & McNamara completed their work on the pavement Tuesday and all streets are again open to traffic.

Charlie Bowers and family returned Thursday from a two weeks' visit in Oklahoma, where he was looking after the interest of his farm.

It is time to get the boy ready for school. You will find a complete line of suits, shoes, hats and caps at Carey & Seabert's. "The store that satisfies."

The Chicago McKennas have been secured by the F. L. Smiths management, at a great expense, for two games, Sunday and Monday, at West Side Park. A full attendance is desired at both games.

Frank Carter attended the baseball tournament at Wilmington Thursday.

H. A. Meister, of Dewitt, Neb., is visiting at the home of Mr. Fred Pfeifer.

Mrs. Bowers and Mrs. William Allen, of Odell, were visitors in our city Thursday.

For Sale—New house, electric light, furnace and all modern improvements. Andrew Nielsen.

Mrs. Christ Scherer and children, Aileen and Byron, of Olney, Ill., will arrive Sunday for a short visit with Mrs. Joe Eyer.

C. J. Ahern and Ernest Reeb made a business trip through Gardner, Morris and Mazon Thursday in the former's machine.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Hayes and daughter, May, left Thursday morning for Denver, Colo. They will make the trip in their auto.

A party consisting of Frank Reeb and sons, Lester and Fred, and Jack Reeb journeyed to Somonauk Sunday in the former's auto.

Mr. Dale Eyer, of North Yakima, Wash., and Miss Mildred Eyer returned Sunday from Olney, Ill., where they visited relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Thompson went to Pontiac Tuesday morning, where they joined Mr. and Mrs. Ellis McGregor in an auto trip to Galesburg.

Mrs. Patterson and daughter, Maud, returned home Thursday morning after spending the past week visiting in Bloomington, Peoria and Washington.

The Chicago McKennas are a crack team and you are sure to see two good games if you attend the ball games Sunday and also Monday at the West Side Park.

Mrs. Gertrude Sager and Mrs. Roy Rodenberger and little son, Lyle, of Lafayette, Ind., came Wednesday for a visit with Mrs. Sager's mother, Mrs. M. Sherry.

Miss Alice Sherry and nieces, Misses Frances and Alma Eyer, returned Wednesday from Weston, Ill., after a few days' visit with relatives; they were accompanied home by their cousin, Mr. Raymond Hursh, of Vandalla, Ill.

F. J. O'Connors will be absent from our city for a period of ten weeks, which time he will attend the Worsham Training School in Chicago and take courses in embalming, necessary to complete the undertaking, which will be in connection with the West Side Furniture Co., of which Mr. O'Connors is now a member. They will announce the opening of the undertaking establishment at a later date.

Buy your school supplies at Bakers'. V. S. Wright was a Chicago passenger Friday morning.

Leslie Bartholme, of Chicago, spent Sunday here visiting his folks.

Monday, Labor Day, Seabert's store will close at noon, for the day.

George Jenkins and family autoed to Mazon Thursday to attend the fair.

Miss Adelia Williams returned home Wednesday evening after a short visit in the city.

Frank Zappa purchased a business lot on Mazon avenue through Frank L. Smith agency.

Mrs. Otie Blaine and son, John, returned Friday evening of last week from a three weeks' visit in St. Louis, Mo.

Mr. and Mrs. Lou Trunnell and daughters, Francis and Mrs. Bowser, returned the first of the week from an extended trip to New York City.

C. M. Baker & Son represent the Victor and Edison talking machine companies in Dwight and vicinity. Buy your records and supplies of them.

Peter Von Qualen and F. J. O'Connor spent the first of the week in Sterling and Chicago, where they purchased a full equipped undertaking outfit.

Rev. G. P. A. Schaaf, former pastor of the Goodfarm Lutheran Church and now located at Effingham, Ill., is in Dwight for a few days' visit with old friends.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Shearer and son, Judd, of Fairbury, visited Wednesday among friends in this city. Mrs. Shearer was a former resident here during her younger days.

When you are ready to buy your fall shoes don't fail to call on us, we handle the finest in the market, the celebrated "Crawford" in tan and all the latest styles. Miller Bros. & Sons.

Bernard Schmidt returned to his home in Naperville last Saturday morning after visiting relatives here for a week, being called down on account of the death of Joseph Barth.

The Grove Meeting of the Evangelical Church will be held next week on the farm of George Pfeifer, in the grove, from September 4th to September 8th, over Sunday. Five or six visiting pastors from away will be present and assist.

Mrs. Edward Hoffman left for Chicago the first of the week, where she met her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Skidmore, of Cincinnati, and attended the meeting of the Chief Joint Car Inspector association of which Mr. Skidmore is a member.

The Dwight Midgets, who journeyed to Pontiac last Friday, were defeated by the Pontiac Athletics to the tune of 18 to 3. The youngsters claim that their pitching staff was not strong enough to hold down the large fellows that played in the Pontiac team.

F. J. O'Connors, who has been employed at C. M. Baker & Son's furniture store for the past year or so has recently purchased an interest in the furniture business of Peter Von Qualen and the new firm will add undertaking rooms within a short time.

Miss Bessie Reeder, who has been spending the past three weeks in Chicago learning the styles of the fall millinery, returned home to remain this week and the first of next week, will leave for Klemme, Iowa, where she will be employed as a milliner.

William Emple, who has been at the Moore Hospital in Eveleth, Minn., for the past two months, spent Thursday and a portion of Friday here visiting his folks. He returned to Chicago Friday afternoon and will work at his profession in the Michael Reese Hospital in the future.

PEDESTRIAN ARRIVES HERE WEDNESDAY.

Reporter for New York Herald Walking From Coast to Coast on a Wager.

Charles Fagin, who claims to be a reporter for the New York Herald, a young man 22 years of age, arrived in this city Wednesday forenoon on a walk from Los Angeles, Cal., to New York City. He left Los Angeles May 20 and must reach New York by October 15 in order to win a wager of \$5000.

He travels alone and carries no baggage with him and makes his living along the way by giving lectures on his travels and selling photographs. In this state he visited Springfield, Bloomington, Pontiac and went from here to Joliet. One of the agreements of his trip is that he must visit every state capital of the states through which he passes and also visit the reformatories and penal institutions on his route.

He is particularly interested in the latter feature and is gathering material for a story regarding penal institutions.

Mr. Fagin says that when he completes this trip he will have traveled a distance of 4500 miles and that he would never travel by foot across the desert again for the whole world.

He left here Wednesday afternoon for Joliet, where he will visit the penitentiary and from there he will journey to Chicago where his wife is waiting for him.

Notice to Patrons of Dwight Public Schools.

Dwight schools open Tuesday, Sept. 3. All those having children six years of age or who will be six before January 3, please have your children ready Tuesday morning so we may arrange accordingly.

We have room in our high school the coming year for any from the country who have passed the county examination in this or Grundy county.—Supt. C. A. Brothers.

J. R. Oughton has offered the village a car-load of crushed rock to be put on South street from the end of the new pavement to Franklin street if the village would do the hauling and necessary excavating. The board of trustees have accepted the offer and if the property owners would only donate the curb we would have paved streets without so much fuss.—Pontiac Democrat.

PRETTY CHURCH WEDDING.

Miss Cora Higgins and Mr. Frank Gibbons are United in Marriage at St. Patrick's Church.

A very pretty wedding took place Monday morning of this week at 8:45, at St. Patrick's Church, Rev. Father Power performing the ceremony.

The contracting parties were Miss Cora Higgins and Mr. Frank Gibbons, both well known young people of Dwight.

The bride wore a very pretty costume of white serge, with a white hat and was attended by her sister, Mrs. Albert Smith, who wore a handsome suit of gray, with hat to match.

The groom was attended by Mr. Edw. Higgins, brother of the bride.

Miss Florence Higgins, of Odell, sang the nuptial mass beautifully, accompanied by Mrs. James Orr on the organ.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dan'l Higgins and has lived in Dwight for several years and is a young lady of very pleasing personality and has many friends in this city.

The groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Austin Gibbons and is a young business man of ability and also has a large circle of friends who join in extending best wishes for a long and happy life for him and his bride.

Mr. and Mrs. Gibbons left immediately after the ceremony for Chicago, where they will visit, and also in Milwaukee for about ten days. They will reside in Dwight on their return.

New Departure in Old Establishment.

The West Side Furniture Company heretofore conducted by P. H. Von Qualen, widely advertised and known by the great merchandise values given, will now add two big new lines.

P. H. Von Qualen and F. J. O'Connor will hereafter conduct the business and will carry a full and complete line of Pianos, Organs, Piano Players and everything known in the musical world. They will also present to the public the best equipped undertaking establishment in Central Illinois.

We believe in the future of Dwight and we are determined to give the people of this city and the surrounding country the best service in undertaking and funeral directing and unlimited choice in Furniture and Musical Instruments.—The West Side Furniture Company; P. H. Von Qualen, F. J. O'Connor.

Get your job printing done at this office. We can do it satisfactorily.

WEATHER REPORT.

Report of the weather for the week ending Aug. 28, 1912, at 6 o'clock p. m., showing highest and lowest temperature, also precipitation as compared with same period one year ago.

Date	Max.	Min.	Prec.	Remarks
22.....	82	60	.23	thunderstorm
23.....	78	54	.00	
24.....	91	60	.00	
25.....	92	60	.00	
26.....	91	67	.00	
27.....	74	55	.00	
28.....	74	55	.00	
28.....	78	61	.00	

Average—Maximum, 85.3 degrees; minimum, 59 degrees; total precipitation, 0.23 of an inch.

Date	Max.	Min.	Prec.	Remarks
22.....	82	64	.00	T. rain
23.....	72	52	.00	
24.....	66	55	.43	rain
25.....	78	54	.00	
26.....	82	54	.00	
27.....	89	58	.00	
28.....	78	61	.00	

Average—Maximum, 78.1 degrees; minimum, 56.9 degrees; total precipitation, 0.43 of an inch.

Weather conditions of a reasonable character have prevailed during the past week. Three clear, three partly cloudy and one cloudy day. The mean temperature, 72.2 degrees, was 0.8 of a degree below normal and 4.7 degrees warmer than the corresponding week, 1911. Unsettled conditions appear at the close of the week with cooler weather promised.

E. O. WELCH, Observer.

Postoffice News.

Congress passed the appropriation act last Saturday and among other things provided for the closing of First and Second Class offices on Sundays in this clause:

"That hereafter post offices of the first and second classes shall not be open on Sunday for the purpose of delivering mail to the general public, but this provision shall not prevent the delivery of special delivery mail."

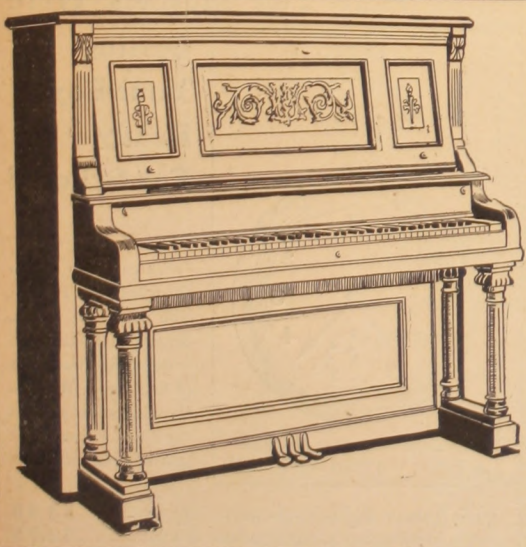
So the only service on Sundays now is the delivery of specials and the dispatch of outgoing mail at 9:30 a. m.

This is not optional with the local force and does not represent their desires, but must be enforced until the law is changed.

The post office will close at 10 a. m. for the day, Monday, Labor Day. There will be one delivery in the city and none until Tuesday on rural routes.

Beautiful Piano FOR YOUR HOME FREE

We will Give away an Expensive High-Grade Instrument.



This piano is now on the road and will be on display in our store within a few days. You have a splendid opportunity to get this piano free of cost.

COME IN AND ASK US ABOUT IT

Watch for our ads in this space in this paper

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