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DWIGHT NOTES

Edward Reeb was in Kankakee Tuesday.

Miss Lulu Weary was in Streator Thursday.

Mrs. M. H. Carthy and daughter, Alice, were Streator visitors Wednesday.

Miss Agnes Walsh, of Morris, is the guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Halm.

John Stewart, daughter Nellie and son Robert spent Monday in Chicago returning home in the evening.

For women, as well as for men, The Heavy Mannish Styles of Bradley sweater coats are immensely practical and popular. Sold exclusively by Carey & Seabert. adv.

J. A. Spencer went to Indiana Tuesday.

Jos. Price returned to Granville Monday after a visit here with friends.

Royal Erickson of Pontiac, was the guest of his brother, Ernest, of this city Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. William Wright and daughter, of Nashville, Ia., spent a few days the guest of his brother, V. S. Wright and family.

Frank Reeb & Sons have leased the second floor of the building which they occupy for a buggy room and will carry a complete stock of buggies at all times. adv.

The Kohler & Campbell is a safe piano to buy and you cannot go wrong for each instrument is fully guaranteed both by the manufacturer and their sales agents. C. M. Baker & Son. Adv.

Carl Tock for lumber and coal.—Adv.

John Snyder was in Kankakee Tuesday.

L. Pearlman, of Kankakee, was in Dwight Tuesday.

Henry Greener, of Streator, was in Dwight Tuesday.

Buy Marigold Oleomargarine at Drew's and save on your butter bill.—Adv.

Edward McWilliams left Thursday for Boston, Mass., for a few months outing.

Clyde Homan came down from Chicago Thursday for a few days visit with friends.

Mrs. K. J. Slow and children went to Braceville Tuesday and spent the day with relatives.

Pete Peters and Philip Weicker of Chicago are spending a week here visiting at the home of Carl Tock.

George Chester arrived Thursday from Valparlaso, Ind., to visit with friends and relatives for a few days.

Mrs. Conrad and daughter, Mrs. Messaline, came down from Chicago Thursday for a few weeks visit here.

Mrs. Reitlinger returned to her home in Chicago Thursday after a few weeks visit with friends here and relatives in Pontiac.

Sisters M. Mechtildes and M. Camilla,, of St. Mary's in Notre Dame, Ind., are here visiting at the home of Mrs. Thos, Reel and other relatives.

Did you get a sample dust cloth at The Furniture Store, if not we have one for you. Save the coupon, it is worth real money to you. C. M. Baker & Son. adv.

During the hot weather my photo gallery will be closed every second and fourth Sunday of the month. There is a photographer in your town. L. Dierks.—Adv. 25-tf

The old cars on the B. P. & J. which have been out of service on the road for some time are again running having been in the shops while a new form of motors have been installed. The old schedule was resumed Monday.

If you are thinking of purchasing either an electric or hand power washing machine it will pay you to investigate the many advantages of the "1900." Our customers "1900" owners are more enthusiastic about them than we are. C. M. Baker & Son.—Adv.

The attraction at the west side ball park Sunday Aug. 17, will be the Saunemin Stars vs F. L. Smiths. The Saunemin Stars are one of the fastest ball teams in this vicinity and the F. L. Smiths are nothing slow so come out and watch the battle Sunday. Adv.

J. A. Travis, of Kankakee, was in Dwight Sunday.

Hon. I. M. Lish and Postmaster Tanner were Dwight visitors one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Haynes and daughter, Virginia, were Wilmington visitors Thursday.

Sheriff William Patterson, of Pontiac, spent a portion of Thursday in this city on business.

Miss Dorothy Reeb, of Chicago, arrived here Thursday for several days visit with friends and relatives.

If you are contemplating the purchase of a piano, consider and you will buy "a Krutzmann," a high grade piano at a reasonable price. Sold only by C. M. Baker & Son. We also sell the Auto Piano.—Adv.

An important meeting of the subscribers to the capital stock of the J. A. Spencer Mfg., Co., and all parties interested will be held at the rooms of the Dwight Commercial Club next Tuesday evening, August 19th at eight o'clock. Everyone is urged to be present.

The newspapers are saying that Postmaster John Clyne, of Joliet, is about to have charges made against him, but John says his pulse is beating regularly. He has about sixteen months to serve. Mr. Clyne has many acquaintances in Dwight who are interested in the outcome.

Harry Carthy who is employed in the hardware store of Lars Larsen & Son had the misfortune to injure one of his eyes quite severely while at work last Saturday. He was driving a split key into a shaft when it flew up and struck him in the eye penetrating the lid and eye ball near the pupil, which required several stiches to close. Although being very painful he is getting along nicely and it is hoped that the sight will not be affected.

In correcting an error which appeared in the locals of this paper last week we wish to state that Mrs. John Snyder is not improving rapidly as stated but is in a very critical condition. She was operated on Wednesday of this week for appendicitis at the Emergency hospital in Kankakee by two specialists from Chicago, Dr Barnes and Dr. McGuire with Dr. Caren and Dr. Roy of Kankakee in attendance. Mr. John Snyder husband of the former has been visiting her daily since the operation.

HARD TO DRIVE FROM NEST

Remarkable Case of Devotion to Home Shown by Nesting Meadow Lark in Massachusetts.

An endearing trait in birds is their love of home, and the bravery with which they face danger in protecting their eggs or baby birds. They seem to become very tame at such times; not seldom a person who approaches them quietly may, after a few gentle attempts, stroke a mother bird as she broods. But it is really courage, and not enjoyment of the attention, that she displays.

An interesting example of the strong attachment of a bird to its home, as well as its adaptability to unusual circumstances, was given by a meadow lark that found itself day after day under gun-fire, and learned not to fear it.

At the practice grounds of the United States marine corps at Wakefield, Mass., some low mounds were raised on the firing line. On the front side of one of these mounds a meadow lark built its nest, and had laid its eggs when the season's practice in target shooting and skirmish drill began. The rifle of the man lying on the mound was directly over the nest, and not more than two feet above it.

At first the birds would fly away, when the firing skirmish line was still at some distance; but as the practice continued, they became accustomed to the noise. They would wait until the men came very near before flying, and would return immediately after. As the time came for the eggs to hatch, one of the birds would stay on the nest during the firing, even if a rifle were held just above her head. The marines were very careful not to disturb the little family. When the young came, they were nourished amid the smoke of battle, as it were, and finally left the nest unharmed.—Youth's Companion.

AS THE GROUCH SEES GROCER

Most Useful Member of Community Unkindly Dealt With by Expert Fault Finder.

A grocer is a man who spends his time in exchanging adulterated foods for unadulterated money.

The best time to visit any grocer is after you have had a large, square meal; the worst time to visit him is in the afternoon about 5 o'clock, when you are half starved and everything in his place looks more or less real. But after you have given him an order under these famished conditions, do not go home to your wife. It is better to give her a few days in which to recover, and incidentally get even with you by ordering two new Paris hats and rhododendron kimonas.

To be a successful grocer one must have sand, a rich Oriental vocabulary that can describe the same tea as if it were in each case really different and a complete knowledge of aniline dyes.

Also, every grocer should be married. He can then explain to his customer when he is trying to sell her some combination of wood pulp and asbestos for nourishment: "My wife has tried this for three weeks and still lives."—Life.

Estimating Your Supplies

In large institutions the time that certain supplies last has been tested down to a fine point. Only by knowing very carefully how long certain supplies will last can the army and other large institutions buy intelligently and thus take advantage of the reduced price given on large orders. While many women are "good managers," many more should more definitely test how long certain supplies last the family under average conditions. It is possible to estimate how long coffee, tea, staples, cereals, etc., will last, and make large quantity orders on which the housewife can obtain a generous discount. But unless this quantity buying is based on careful estimates it will not result in the saving of money and time it otherwise would.

Vegetables as Hair Ornaments.

Now that fruit has reached the hair, in the shape of little oranges for the bride's coiffure, will it come to vegetable again, as it did among the absurdities of Marie Antoinette's time? "Ask my niece, Mme. de Matignon," we read in the memoirs of the Marquise de Cregny, "if it is not true that in 1785 she had her head dressed a la jardiniere, with a red check duster, into which M. Leonard (the queen's hair dresser) had artistically inserted a small artichoke, a broccoli, a fine carrot and some radishes. When Dondon Picot (the Comtesse de Lameth-Picot, a rich creole) saw it she was so delighted that she exclaimed, "I will never wear anything but vegetables. It is so simple, and more natural than flowers."

Were Not Discussing Picture.

His pride was natural, for he was quite a young artist; and there it was—there could be no doubt about it—his picture, his great picture, was hanging in the Royal academy. What's more, two people stood motionless in front while the artist stood afar, gazing at them. Then, "I say, Charlie," he asked his friend, "do saunter carelessly by and find out what they are saying about my picture. Perhaps they want to buy it." Forthwith Charlie set out to do a careless saunter. Presently—to the expectant artist the wait seemed an eternity—he returned to his friend. "No business doing," he sighed. "She's only blowing him up for leaving off his flannels too soon."

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