Chitter Challenge Steps

1. Added data\_mapper and dm-postgres-adapter to Gemfile
2. Added data mapper set up page
3. Added app file and required data mapper setup at the top
4. Required capybara/rspec in spec\_helper
5. Created two databases after running psql: chitter\_development and chitter\_test
6. Changed datamapper setup to include chitter\_development database
7. Create a User model.
8. Add three properties: ID, username and password.
9. Just required user model in data\_mapper\_setup
10. Move data\_mapper\_setup to app folder. Or the User table won’t show up in the terminal.
11. Had to make sure DataMapper setup was correct. Mine said “chitter\_development\_#{env}”, whereas it was just meant to be ‘chitter\_#{env}
12. Ran bundle. Still didn’t work.
13. Created spec/features folder where feature tests will be
14. Create ‘peep’ (link) class.
15. Write capybara test for viewing peeps (links)
16. Failed because it said ‘uninitialized constant Peep’ despite Peep class existing.
17. Solved. I didn’t have a require in the viewing peeps spec file, so added require for data\_mapper\_setup and required peep class in data\_mapper\_setup
18. Now have a failing test saying “ Rack test requires rack application”.
19. To make sure we tell Capybara what it should be testing, I added ‘Capybara.app = Chitter’ into the spec\_helper and required the server file in the spec\_helper
20. Had to require Sinatra in Gemfile
21. To help pass first capybara test, create a /peeps path in app file
22. Create an index.erb file that’ll be rendered in the controller.
23. To make test pass, I changed Peep.new to Peep.create
24. Added a creating Peeps spec file.
25. Wrote Capybara test for creating new peeps.
26. Error message says Unable to find field "peeps". Need to pass it
27. Defined peeps/new route in app file that renders a new\_peep erb file.
28. Create erb file for new\_peep
29. Test still failing despite server file being correct and erb file being correct. Error message saying ‘Unable to find field “peeps”.
30. Included a set :views, proc in controller to see if it makes a difference.
31. Didn’t really make a difference to error message
32. Changed button value to ‘Send Peep’ to be consistent with test.
33. Test STILL FAILING! Unable to find field ‘peeps’
34. Had to change test ‘fill\_in’ to message, whereas before it said ‘peeps’
35. Installed database cleaner. Bundled and placed in spec\_file and Gemfile
36. Test passes! The problem was I had Peep.new instead of Peep.create and this wasn’t saving the peep. I also had to include a config.ru file for rackup to run.
37. All is working fine now. 2 tests passing, and the Peeps are being shown in the page and stored each time even when session closes.