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Stylish in appearance

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West.	
1-5:50 a. m.	4:52 a. m.
3-10:32 a. m.	2-12:28 p. m.
5-9:51 p. m.	4-7:00 p. m.
*22-10:32 a. m.	*22-1:15 p. m.
*Local freight.	

FORT WAYNE & SPRINGFIELD RY.	
In Effect February 1, 1907.	
Decatur-North	Ft. Wayne-South
6:00 a. m.	7:30 a. m.
9:00 a. m.	10:30 a. m.
12:00 noon	1:30 p. m.
3:00 p. m.	4:30 p. m.
6:00 p. m.	7:30 p. m.
9:30 p. m.	11:00 p. m.

GET WEDDED TO
THE MODEL
WITHOUT A MATE
W. H. LINDSLEY

WEATHER.
Showers and warmer Saturday; Sunday probably showers; light to fresh to southeast to south winds, becoming variable.

W. W. Bartlett made a business trip to Geneva this morning.
Daniel Erwin left this morning for Mackinac, Michigan, for a several days' visit.
Miss Ruby Miller went to Berne this morning to be the guest of friends for some time.
Professor Opliger went to Berne this morning to be in attendance at the institute.
Miss Frances Bryson went to Fort Wayne this morning to be the guest of friends for a short time.
Miss Mayme Grote has returned to Indianapolis, after making a pleasant visit in the city with friends.
Miss Blenn Crayes went to Berne this morning to attend the institute that is being held at that place.
Miss Wemhoff returned to Fort Wayne this morning after visiting with her mother for a short time.
Mrs. C. W. Hacker, of Elkhart, guest of Mrs. E. B. Macy, went to Monroe this morning to make a short visit with relatives.

19 PAIRS ONLY



WE HAVE NINETEEN PAIRS LADIES' FINE PATENT KID AND COLT OXFORDS THAT SOLD FOR \$2.50 AND YOU CAN HAVE YOUR CHOICE SATURDAY AT

\$1.79

Charlie Voglewede
The Shoe Seller

The Bluffton ball team arrived this afternoon for two games with the champs.

Mrs. M. Baxter went to Berne this afternoon to visit with her father, who is quite ill.

George Shroll went to Berne this afternoon to be the guest of relatives over Sunday.

Miss Edna Hoffman returned today from a several days' visit with relatives at Elkhart.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Babcock went to Monroe this afternoon to be the guests of relatives over Sunday.

Homer Pontius, of Geneva, was a business caller in our city today and returned to his home this afternoon.

Misses Maggie and Leue McNulty have returned to their home at Huntington, after making a visit with Miss Pearl Briener.

Martin Laughlin has returned to his home at Geneva, after looking after business affairs in the city for the past few days.

Mrs. W. Strahm, of Ada, Ohio, passed through here today enroute to Berne, where she will visit with relatives for some time.

Mrs. J. A. Daugherty, of Muncie, who has been visiting her parents in the city for several days, returned to her home this afternoon.

The Misses Flossie and Bessie Spuller have returned to their home at St. Louis after making a pleasant visit here with Mrs. S. R. Wolf.

Mrs. Milo Pillars returned this afternoon from Fort Wayne and she will remain here for some time with her parents before returning to her home at Paragould, Arkansas.

Barney Kalver will leave Sunday morning for Fort Wayne, where he will assist in celebrating the Jewish New Year at the synagogue. This celebration is in honor of the year 5668. Mr. Kalver will remain over until Tuesday to assist in the festivities.

Mrs. L. G. Ellingham and Mrs. J. H. Heller will entertain the members of the Young Matrons' Club and their husbands on Tuesday next. The regular club session will be held during the afternoon at the Heller residence north Third street, and the gentlemen will join them for supper at six o'clock.

The Clover Leaf received six new engines from the Brooks Locomotive Works Thursday evening. O. D. Washburn was in Toledo Thursday and brought the new engines to Delphos last evening. One of them will be used as a switch engine here, one will be sent to Frankfort, Ind., and the other four will go to St. Louis, Mo. The new engines are of the same type as the large freight engines being used by the Clover Leaf—Delphos Herald.

The International Harvester Company has just paid guilty to a violation of the anti-trust laws in Texas, and paid a fine of \$35,000. On top of this the company is perpetually enjoined from doing business in Texas. Were the Texas idea enforced in other states, the question is, what would become of the International Harvester Company? One thing certain, American farmers would not have to pay the fines for violations of the law—Columbia City Post.

Thanksgiving without turkey! This is the situation as it appears to many of the local produce dealers, who say the Thanksgiving bird will be among the missing when the national holiday arrives. The cold, wet weather of the past spring and early summer made great inroads on the country supply and prices will be almost prohibitive. Advice from different sections of the state confirm all previous news regarding the outlook. However, there will be an abundance of other varieties of poultry.

Knowing that the shippers would disregard the rule recently issued to the effect that the tacking of cards, banners, etc., bearing advertising matter on the company's cars, the Pennsylvania has now issued orders for the car shop men to place small sign boards about 2x2 feet in dimension on the side of each car, as it is turned into the shops for repairs. The boards are to be used for the advertising matter in the future and it is in this manner that the company has hopes of solving a vexing problem.

G. D. Milner, George Weaver, Willard Milner and Frank Corns have filed suit in Frankfort against the Clover Leaf, the Big Four and the Illinois Central, claiming damages amounting to \$500. The plaintiffs assert that they shipped a carload of cattle to Chicago using the three roads, the cattle being shipped from Forest on November 20, of last year. The cattle should have been in Chicago ten hours later, but it was two days before they reached there. It is charged that they were neither fed, watered or rested and that they lost in weight, this loss amounting to \$300, and that the market dropped, causing an additional loss of \$200—Delphos Herald.

Miss Tina Schurger went to Waterloo this morning to visit with friends for some time.

Mrs. Corbin has returned to her home at Muncie after making a short visit in the city.

Fred Brettell has returned to his home at Alexandria after making a short visit in the city.

Miss Ethel Brandyberry has gone to Celina, Ohio, for a several days' visit with friends and relatives.

Fred Avery has gone to Michigan, where he will remain for some time in hopes of benefitting his health.

Mrs. Marguerite Meibers this morning received a half bushel of Indiana peaches that are beauties. We know this for the simple reason that we have tasted the same and all we can say is come again.

The state board of railroad commissioners, after deciding to allow Kansas railroads to show by testimony why they considered a two-cent passenger fare order illegal and unjust, ordered all the railroads of Kansas to make a at two-cent rate beginning October 1. The decision was unanimous. The railroads gave no intimation of what action they might take.

Preparatory plans indicate beyond a doubt that the Great Fort Wayne fair, from Sept. 17 to 21, will be the biggest exhibition in the history of Indiana, as the association is offering an increase of \$2,000 in race purses and as much more in general premiums in order to secure the very best. An Igorrotte village of dog eating savages is one of the big amusement features. It was secured under a heavy guarantee and is the same that was exhibited at the purchase fair in St. Louis.

Fort Wayne papers are claiming that the grain buyers of that city are paying 90 cents for wheat. It is worth 85 cents here, but the dealers say that it is all bought by the grade and that it is bad stuff this year. Some extra good wheat is worth 90 cents, but it is so "few and far between" this year that no money will be lost on that price. As a bunch of graft boosters, some of the Fort Wayne sheets, have everything beaten, except the intimate "Chicago Americans"—Columbia City Post.

Indiana has no candidate for national commander of the G. A. R. to put before the national encampment at Saratoga Springs next week. There are three candidates in the field, Charles G. Burton, of Missouri; P. H. Coney, of Kansas, and Charles Burroughs, of New Jersey. Rev. F. A. Heuring, of Gentryville, Ind., is a candidate for national chaplain and was endorsed by the state encampment at Fort Wayne. Indiana will elect a member of the national council and W. H. Armstrong, of Indianapolis, is mentioned for the place.

The temperance people at Lebanon won out in their fight to blanket the second ward. After a session of a day and a half to determine whether the remonstrance filed by the Good Citizens' League contained a sufficient number of legal signatures to prevail, the board of commissioners decided in favor of the remonstrators. The saloon people succeeded in removing enough names from the remonstrance to reduce the majority from 23 to 14 but that was all and the attorneys for the saloon men gave up the fight. Seven of the eight saloons in Lebanon are in the second ward—Frankfort Crescent.

J. Fred Farney was in Van Wert Ohio, the first of the week where he was called by the serious sickness of his father, who is dangerously ill with cancerous affection. He is confined to his bed and since Mr. Farney's return to this city there has been no improvement in his condition. He is gradually sinking and the end is expected before long—Huntington Herald. Mr. Farney formerly lived in Bluffton and is one of the two charter members of the local K. of P. lodge who is still living and retains his membership in the order.

W. D. Mason is the other charter member still affiliated with the order.—Bluffton News.

Critics of the newspapers often condemn them for not printing all the facts about things which they profess to know. But if the press became the vehicle or output for every such irresponsible tale that is brought to its notice it would soon, and properly, too, be put out of business by libel suits and damages assessed. The newspaper man's greatest difficulty is to get some one to stand for the stories that are poured into his ears. Men of all classes will talk with amazing freedom and frankness but refuse absolutely to permit their names to be used. They are anxious to have the stories go into print, but not on their responsibility.

STRAYED OR STOLEN—A black horse, weigh about 1,300 pounds, 11 years old. Left foot at joint is white. Address any information to August Hirschy, Monroe, Ind. 217-61

NEW FALL SUITS

ALL THE LATEST
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We have a complete new line of ladies' up-to-date Suits that are strictly Man-Tailored and styles exclusive to our store. Make your selections early this season, as it will be impossible to get a nobby suit late in the season. We have a complete line at \$12.50, \$15.00, \$18.00, \$20.00 to \$25.00. Our new line of Skirts will be in in a few days. Wait and see them.

NIBLICK & CO.

GREEN CONTINUES IN
OFFICE
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interrupted by councilman Van Camp, who said for his part he did not care to hear any more arguments and asked that the city attorney give the council his opinion, and that they would follow the same. Mr. DeVoss informed the council that he thought that the marshal should be given a hearing, and that the council set and fix a time when they would hear the evidence. He said that it was evident there was a conflict in the law, and that in justice to all concerned it would hurt no one's rights to permit the marshal to make his defense and fight the charges preferred against him. The council concurred in this and upon Christen's motion the bond of H. Fred Bohnke was tabled for the time being. The petition as filed by Peterson and Moran was upon motion by Van Camp adopted, and the mayor then referred the charges to the judiciary committee, who will convene next Monday morning at the council room and receive further charges, if any are to be preferred, and will on next Friday morning ask the council to set in executive session and hear all the evidence pertaining to the case. The predicament as it now stands means a fight to a finish and many citizens will no doubt be subpoenaed to testify in the case.

The contract for the construction of the Chronister sewer was awarded to Henry Stevens, he being the lowest bidder by seventeen dollars. A resolution ordering the clerk to give notice to bidders for the receiving of bids for the construction of the Lenhort sewer was read and adopted, and the clerk set the 30th day of September, at seven o'clock at the council room, as the day that bids would be received. The street committee filed their report on the Welkel sidewalk petition confirming the same in all respects, and ordering the city civil engineer to furnish the property owners a grade. No further business coming before the council, they adjourned.

NOTICE FOR BIDS.

Notice is hereby given that the Common Council of the city of Decatur, Adams county, Indiana, will receive sealed bids or proposals for the construction and digging of a sewer known as the Myrtle Chronister sewer, starting at a point on Decatur street where the alley between Marshal and Indiana streets intersect said Decatur street, where the sewer is now located thence running east to Fifth street and there to terminate according to the plans and specifications now on file in the office of the city clerk of said city until seven o'clock p. m., of the

6th day of September, 1907.

Each bidder must file with the city clerk when he files his bid the usual statutory affidavit and deposit with him a certified check for the sum of \$100.00 or deposit \$100.00 in cash as a guarantee that he will accept said bid and carry out the construction of said work. The successful bidder will be required to give a bond with surety to be approved by the common council insuring the faithful performance of said work according to contract. The council reserves the right to reject any and all bids this 20th day of August, 1907.
CARL O. FRANCE,
City Clerk.

Meyer, Presdorf & Moses
Funeral Directors

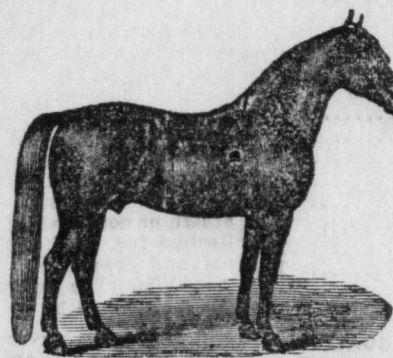
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IN OUR LINES.

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SEPTEMBER Horse Sale



We have upon request of many farmers decided to hold a big commission horse sale at our barns on First Street Decatur Indiana

Saturday September 14

This gives every farmer an opportunity to offer his stock for sale at a big advantage. Enter your horses at once at the barn. Many buyers will be here.

Decatur Horse Sale Co.

THE
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THE
PICTORIUM

TONIGHT
Admission 5 Cents.

TONIGHT

Motion pictures—"The Nurses Strike." "Chrysanthemumsm."

Tonight—"A Bad Mother." "Baby's First Outing."

These pictures are extra good and will please all.

Saturday—"Sherlock Holmes, the Detective." "How Burglar Bill lost a Tooth."

Illustrated song—"Dreaming."

All shows now being put on are new and have never been shown any place before.

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