

Advance Holiday SALE

Just Arrived from Japan

All 25c Jap Wear

Now on display in window for only TEN CENTS
Come today tomorrow may not be there.

MOSER'S
China and Notion Store.

WEATHER

Partly cloudy tonight and Thursday, with possibly showers Thursday; continued warm.

RAILROAD BULLETIN

ERIE.

Into Effect Sunday June 21, 1908.

Eastbound.

No. 8—Daily5:28 a. m.
No. 12—Daily2:00 a. m.
No. 22—Daily, ex. Sunday.....2:00 p. m.
No. 4—Daily3:26 p. m.

Westbound.

No. 7—Daily1:52 a. m.
No. 9—Daily3:12 a. m.
No. 3—Daily12:46 p. m.
No. 21—Daily, ex. Sunday.....10:10 p. m.
No. 15—Daily7:30 p. m.

Daily Interurban Schedule

THE FT. WAYNE & SPRINGFIELD RAILWAY CO.

Trains Leave	Trains Leave
Decatur	Ft. Wayne
5:50 a. m.	7:00 a. m.
7:00 a. m.	8:30 a. m.
10:00 a. m.	11:30 a. m.
11:30 a. m.	1:00 p. m.
1:00 p. m.	2:30 p. m.
2:20 p. m.	4:00 p. m.
4:00 p. m.	5:30 p. m.
5:30 p. m.	7:00 p. m.
7:00 p. m.	8:30 p. m.
9:30 p. m.	11:00 p. m.

Theater parties taking the 7:00 p. m. car will arrive at Calhoun or Berry streets, Fort Wayne at 8:10 p. m. The last car leaving Fort Wayne at

GRAND RAPIDS & INDIANA.

South Bound.

No. 6—Daily12:47 a. m.
No. 12—Daily, ex. Sunday.....7:16 a. m.
No. 2—Daily, ex. Sunday.....1:11 p. m.
No. 16—Sunday only.....8:36 p. m.

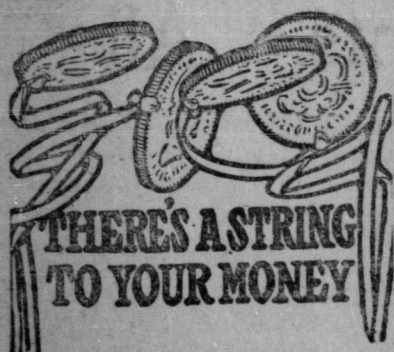
North Bound.

No. 5—Daily1:28 a. m.
No. 7—Daily7:57 a. m.
No. 3—Daily, ex. Sunday.....3:07 p. m.

T. ST. L. & W. R. R.

No. 2—Frankfort to Toledo.
Ex. Sunday12:45 p. m.
No. 1—Toledo to Frankfort.
Ex. Sunday12:22 p. m.
No. 3—Delphos to St. Louis.
Ex. Sunday7:21 a. m.
No. 4—St. Louis to Delphos.
Ex. Sunday7:57 p. m.
No. 5—Toledo to St. Louis.
daily10:17 p. m.
No. 6—St. Louis to Toledo.
daily5:05 a. m.
No. 9—Sunday only, Toledo to Frankfort10:44 a. m.
No. 10—Sunday only, Frankfort to Toledo7:07 p. m.

* Do you like a mild cigar? Try *
* the "Evening Star," made in De- *
* catur by H. A. Colchin. 5c. and *
* it hits the spots. 237-55 *



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If the value received isn't sufficient for the amount remitted or if for any other legal reason you wish the payment stopped, you can have it so immediately, advising this bank when you remit by check. One of the many virtues of a checking account. **Old Adams County Bank**

John Bakers made a business trip to Portland this morning.

Samuel Acker, of Geneva, transacted business in the city today.

Flour has advanced in price again although not to a great extent.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Montgomery have returned from a visit at Fort Wayne. John Niblick went to Fort Wayne this morning to look after business affairs.

Surveyor L. L. Baumgartner was at Bluffton yesterday looking after business affairs.

Thanksgiving is drawing near at hand, and everybody welcomes this great holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ves Venice have returned to Hoagland after visiting with relatives.

Hanson Spahr, of Fort Wayne, has arrived in the city for a visit with Andrew Krummemaker and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. H. Philley, of Fort Wayne, were here yesterday the guests of his sister, Mrs. H. L. Coverdale.

Mrs. Barney Meyer, Anna and Dena Hessler went to Fort Wayne this morning to spend the day with relatives.

Adams county has lost many of her estimable citizens within the past year and profound sorrow is much in evidence.

Carl Moses is recovering rapidly from his recent illness. He will be able to resume duties in the near future.

The remains of Lyman Hart were laid to rest this afternoon. The services were conducted at the Concord church.

The fire escape at the West Ward building makes a rapid exit from the building possible and thus guards the safety of life.

Much loss has been sustained by Adams county people lately by fire. The continued drought is responsible for same.

No end of trouble is being experienced by the farmers in breaking their ground for wheat. We need a rain badly.

The home cigar manufacturers merit the patronage of the people. They have the goods and should be liberally patronized.

Enthusiasm is growing as the campaign progresses and political dope is tossed and discussed about the streets of the city.

Messrs. Bub Mischaud and Thurnae Gottschalk, of Berne, attended the Democratic speech at the court house last evening.

Democrat readers should take notice of the announcement of the various business houses elsewhere in this issue. They have rare bargains.

Chris Myers is comfortably located in his new quarters on the corner of Second and Jefferson streets and he invites his friends to give him a call.

Big bills are out announcing Marshall day for October 28. This will be a great day in Adams county politics and a record breaking crowd is expected.

The new \$12,000 school house at Wren is rapidly nearing completion and when done will be one of the most modern structures in that vicinity.

The local camp of Modern Woodmen will meet in regular session tonight at 7:30 and as important business is to be transacted, every member is requested to be present.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Pennington, of Grant county, Ohio, passed through the city this morning on their way to Baldwin, Mich., for a visit with friends.

Frank, the nine-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Clem Keller, of First street fell and broke the bones of his right arm, above the wrist, yesterday afternoon.

The Royal Neighbors held an interesting meeting at their lodge rooms last evening and made arrangements for an entertainment next Tuesday evening. The program will be announced later.

J. B. Stoneburner, proprietor of the Pictorium, is preparing to remove his picture show to his music store building on Madison street. He will have everything in readiness to open to the public November third. The place of amusement will then be known as the Palace.

One week from next Monday night the local camp M. W. A. will take a class of candidates to Fort Wayne for initiation and a royal time will be had. The candidates will be transported free of charge and a banquet will be given. Every Woodman should plan to attend. A special car will be run.

Niblick & Company are advertising a special cloak opening to occur tomorrow when they will show a manufacturers complete line of winter garments, and every lady in this community is cordially invited to attend. The line shown will be the famous Bischoff goods known as the latest in style and pattern in this country.

Mrs. W. P. Miller went to Winchester this afternoon to visit her father Mr. L. L. Heaston.

Mrs. Dena Hessler of New York, is here the guest of her brother and sister, John and Anna.

Mrs. Reuben Lord attended the funeral of Lyman Hart at Monmouth held there this afternoon.

The city schools are being well attended this year which is very encouraging to the instructors.

Mrs. Mary Richards returned to her home at Urbana, Ohio, after a pleasant visit here with relatives.

Mr. Schmuck has extensively improved his theater by installing a stage and putting in a new front.

Many Democratic speeches are scheduled for the next ten days in Adams county. Watch the calendar.

Many Washington township farmers heard the speech of Henry Warrum last night at the court house.

Roman Barthall left for James Lake this morning to join Bud Brokaw and spend the week fishing. "Hooks" took several hundred nice minnows along, and expects to catch plenty of bass.

We have gleaned from a conversation with the management of the Ward Fence company that their business is unusually good at present. Orders are arriving daily from various parts of the country.

The Democrat would greatly appreciate it if subscribers who miss papers would notify us at once. We intend for the papers to be delivered promptly, and any variance from the rule should be reported.

It's purty hard fer a campaign speaker to say anything that th' feller that buys groceries hasn't thought of. Constable Newt Plum's married darter paid her hired girl a salary, an' then she wouldn't stay.—Abe Martin.

The Pythian Sisters are very much elated over the success of their home talent play. They should be. These ladies have realized a neat sum of money, which will aid materially in the building of the new Pythian home.

Mrs. F. Keller and Mrs. Jacob Eady went to Indianapolis this morning as delegates to the grand lodge of Po-cashontas. They were accompanied by several of the members, namely Mrs. C. D. Murray, Mrs. Al Burdge and Mrs. Carrie Sutherland.

Rev. and Mrs. C. G. Reynolds and daughters, Ruth and Dorothy, of Joliet, Ill., are in the city visiting with her mother, Mrs. Victoria Hill. They are enroute to Asheville, N. C., to take charge of a pastorate about Dec. 1st. Mrs. Hill will accompany them.

All the male members of the Presbyterian Sunday school are requested to meet at the church at one o'clock tomorrow afternoon, to attend the funeral services for the late Captain John Phipps. All others who care to join them are also requested to do so.

John W. Terrell appeared to be resting better today after his violent spell in his cell Sunday night. He had another slight attack last night, but did not attempt to tear up the bed clothes again. His daughter, Lucy, was with him yesterday afternoon for several hours. He does not talk much when any one is around. He ate better today than he has been doing.—Bluffton Banner.

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Chris Meyers went to Geneva this afternoon to deliver six tailor-made suits.

Mrs. Blake-Hedges began her china painting class at the home of Mrs. E. B. Adams.

D. W. Lake, of Toledo, is visiting with his two sons, Lawrence and Dell Lake. He formerly lived here.

The funeral of the late Captain John Phipps will be held from the Presbyterian church tomorrow afternoon at two o'clock, leaving the house at 1:30.

There will be a box supper next Saturday evening at the Brandyberry school house five miles south of Decatur. The public is all invited. Ray Smith, teacher.

Rev. A. J. Reynolds, formerly a Presbyterian pastor in this city, and father of Rev. Clarence Reynolds, is seriously ill at his home in Cincinnati. His illness comes with the infirmities of old age, and his death may occur at any time.

Mrs. R. S. Andrews, president of the Rebekah lodge, who has been the guest of Mrs. L. C. Helm for a few days, went to Geneva this morning to attend a meeting of the lodge at that place this evening.

Dr. H. E. Robison has been appointed grand chancellor for the Sixth district of the Knight of Pythias lodge. The appointment came as a surprise yesterday from the grand chancellor, Arthur J. Rowe, and Mr. Robison will succeed Charles A. Reeves, of Hartford City. The appointment is for one year.

The mercantile firm of Hall & Garton, of Tocsin, is still figuring on the starting of a new bank in that place, although the company has not been organized yet nor the stock sold. The fact that other towns of the county are starting banks has been an incentive to the people of Tocsin to get busy and keep the money in that vicinity.

This evening the wedding of Dr. Earl Poffenberger and Miss Mayne Fryback, both young people residing in Ossian, will take place. The ceremony will be performed at the home of the bride-elect's mother, and only the intimate relatives will be present. Dr. Poffenberger is a son of Mr. and Mrs. John Poffenberger, of this city.—Bluffton Banner.

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THE WHITE PLAGUE

Claims Christian Weiland of Union Township as Victim

DIED THIS MORNING

After an Illness of a Year—Lived in this County Entire Life

Christian Frederick Weiland, a well known farmer of Union township, died this morning at nine o'clock, another victim of the dreaded white plague, consumption. He had been declining for a year or more and had been bed-fast about a month. He was born and raised in this county and spent his entire life as a citizen of Union township. He was fifty-seven years, nine months and nine days old. His wife preceded him in death about ten years ago, and two children have also been called from the family circle, leaving but three young children, Rudolph and Aaron and Miss Kordula. A brother, William Weiland, lives on west Monroe street in this city. The funeral services will be held Saturday afternoon at two o'clock, at the Emanuel Lutheran church, Rev. Bauer officiating, and interment will be made at the church cemetery nearby.

Mrs. J. A. Sapp, Miss Maria Whit-tiker, of Garrett, and Mrs. B. C. Smiley of Angola, have returned home after a pleasant visit with Miss Louisa Wert-berger.

Mr. Philip Reitz, of Briant, is in the city attending the Reitz-Elting nuptials today.

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For Fall and Winter \$5, \$7.50, \$8.50

Hats and Shirts

Albert, Stetson and Knox Hats—Soft hats, Stiff hats—Newest shapes and shades

Neckwear

Just received a shipment of the new 'Spiderweb' neckwear. Newest fad out.

Elzey & Vance.

Corner East of Court House. Decatur, Ind.

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WILLIAM H. TAFT

Republican candidate for president will speak from a stand at the G. R. & I. R. R. station at Decatur, Indiana, on Sat. Oct. 24th, 11:00 a. m.

Hon. Theo. Shockney will be present at the G. R. & I. station and deliver an address from 10 to 11, announcement of whom will be made later.

This is an opportunity for every person in the county regardless to which party he belongs to see and hear the Republican candidate for President whom you will either vote for or against. Come out and hear him.

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Michaels---Stern Fine Clothing

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You can't find any clothes to equal them, outside our store, under \$20 to \$22.50. Try it! We know as do hundreds of satisfied customers, that is a fact and beyond question.

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