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RAILROAD BULLETIN

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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.

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. Sunday11:27 a. m.
No. 1-Toledo to Frankfort,
Ex. Sunday11:49 a. m.
No. 3-Delphos to St. Louis,
Daily7:21 a. m.
No. 4-St. Louis to Delphos,
Daily8:03 p. m.
No. 5-Toledo to St. Louis,
daily10:17 p. m.
No. 6-St. Louis to Toledo,
daily5:05 a. 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.
8:30 a. m.	10:00 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.
2:30 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 11:00 p. m. will wait until after the show.

TOURING CAR FOR SALE.

We know where you can buy a nice big Winton touring car, with lamps, glass front, top, and all in good shape for \$350. The first buyer gets it. Come quick. Inquire at this office.



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Old Adams County Bank

P. K. Kinney was a business caller at Geneva this morning.

The weather is certainly beautiful at present to the satisfaction of all.

A. B. Bailey, of Monroe, looked after business interest in the city this morning.

W. K. Grass has gone to Monroe to resume duties after a visit in the city.

The Guy Stock company will be here next Thursday evening in a "A Cry Baby."

Thomas Hilyard returned to Monroe this morning from a business trip to this city.

Attorney J. C. Sutton went to Geneva, this morning, to transact legal business.

C. C. Cloud and Andrew Schurmer attended the Schlefferstein and Lewton sale today.

Fred Bell has moved into the property on First street, just across the street south from the opera house.

The merchants who advertise are bound to succeed. The people want to know what you have and what you sell it for.

Henry Krick, who recently moved from his farm to this city, is advertising a big sale of personal property for next Friday.

The Woman's Home Missionary Society is doing a large volume of business at their ready-to-wear headquarters in the city offices.

Mrs. J. E. Moser who was operated upon some time ago, is still in a precarious condition, and not much hope is entertained for her recovery.

The local camp of Modern Woodmen will take a large class of candidates to Fort Wayne December 21 for initiation. A big time will be on.

The condition of Mrs. Dell Locke, who has been recovering from an operation for some time, is reported still slowly improving.—Bluffton Banner.

S. Melchi has completed the equipment of his barber shop on Madison street and is ready to greet his friends. The shop is very attractive.

An Adams county farmer who has studied the weather signs for many years, predicts that the coming winter will be a dry one, to be followed by an exceedingly wet spring.

Allen Landgreaver, of Goshen, has wagered \$20 that he can walk from Goshen to Warsaw and return, a distance of 52 miles, in ten hours, and will attempt to win it. Landgreaver is a high school athlete.

The Henderson Stock company continues to please and is being patronized by good sized crowds each evening. Every play is a good one, and the specialties are splendid. If you haven't been there, don't fail to get tickets for this evening. If you have we know you will.

This is Friday, the thirteenth, generally supposed to be the hoodoo day of all days. This is the title of Tom Lawsons' famous stock exchange novel, which created quite a furore when published. If terrible affairs of ill-luck have been numerous hereabouts, we have overlooked them.

When Charles Sweet, of Bluffton, awoke Wednesday morning he discovered that he was totally blind, and physicians say that a blood clot has formed upon the optic nerve. It is said that unless the patient recovers his sight within a few days he will never be able to see again.

Ella M. Fisher, of DeKalb county, who recently accepted \$800 in settlement for her breach of promise suit against Rev. S. P. Klotz, a minister of the United Brethren church, in which she demanded damages in the sum of \$5,000, has just been married to Dr. Fairfield Snyder, a physician at Corunna. Dr. Snyder is 68; his bride 40 years of age.

Decatur people who used to sit over a kettle full of boiling herbs at Larwill and stew and then come home cured will be surprised to know that the celebrated institution is no more. One of the large buildings used, a sanitarium 20x66, is being hauled over the roads on rollers to Columbia City where it will be converted into a bakery. The institution ran as long as the old man lived with his magic glass to diagnose ailments, but when he winked out the sanitarium got the death blow from which it never recovered.

It was reported among some of the stockmen here today that Steve Pfeiffer, junior partner of the firm of Pfeiffer and Son, one of the most substantial of the Buffalo commission houses is a fugitive from justice in Canada and that the concern has gone to the wall. Pfeiffer is well known here as he was on the road for the firm during the time it was under his father's administration. He was something of a fast liver and since the firm passed into his control on the death of his father its affairs have been on a rather unsatisfactory basis. He was married to a Wabash girl named Dougherty who is a sister of Carl Dougherty who is known in this city.

Leo Yager returned this afternoon to remain over Sunday.

A. Van Camp went to Monroe this afternoon on special business.

John Schug returned this afternoon from his regular business trip on the road.

D. McDaniel, of Berne, was in town this morning. He has returned to his home.

William Foughty left this afternoon for Newark, Ohio, to make a visit with friends.

John Bollinger went to Berne this afternoon to be the guest of friends for a short time.

C. W. Clymer, of Berne, has returned to his home from a business trip to this city.

Chris Meyer left this afternoon on a business trip to Celina and Minster Ohio. He will return tomorrow.

Miss Florence Hendricks, of Monroe was a visitor in our city this morning and went home on the afternoon train.

C. U. Gerber and wife of Wayne county, Ohio, passed through Decatur today enroute to Berne, where they will visit with relatives.

J. S. North, of Geneva, was in the city today transacting business with the Decatur Produce company and returned to his home this afternoon.

The Christmas entertainment to be given by the M. E. Sunday school will be interesting. Arrangements for same are being made at the present time.

Have you paid your ice bill? Look out if you haven't for the boys who kept you cool last summer will keep you hot this winter if you don't come across.

The Guys, long since favorites in Decatur, are billed here for a one night stand next week. "The Cry Baby" is the title. Don't fail to see this hit.

The G. R. & I. wreck train passed through here this afternoon enroute to Fort Wayne. Its mission south was to place two cars on the track which had been derailed.

Attorney Shafer Peterson left yesterday on an extended business trip through Michigan, Jackson and Concord being the principal places at which he will stop. He will return tomorrow.

D. B. Erwin and wife who for some time were guests of his sister-in-law, Mrs. Erwin, of Valparaiso, have returned to the city. They were also at Chicago before their return, looking after business affairs.

Several of the members of the Kruckenberg family, ill from typhoid fever, are reported to be some better at present, although the mother is critically ill. The family of Mrs. Martin Reinking is also in a deplorable state.

After having been imprisoned in a tile ditch fifteen days without food or water, a dog owned by George W. Giltner, near Mt. Etna, Huntington county, was rescued by men who were cleaning out the drain. The animal will live. It became a prisoner when it chased a rabbit into the drain, which is half a mile in length and badly clogged.

C. A. Dugan, cashier of the First National bank, returned this morning from Indianapolis, where for two days he has been in attendance at the meeting of the Indiana Bankers' Association. General business pertaining to the welfare of the banking institutions of the state was extensively discussed. C. S. Niblick was also in attendance, and returned yesterday.

At the fall convocation of the bodies of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite Masons of the Valley of Fort Wayne to be held in this city on next Tuesday and Wednesday the largest class in the history of the Fort Wayne Lodge of Perfection will be taken in. It will consist of fifty-eight candidates. At the laying of the cornerstone on the new cathedral about two months ago a special "cornerstone" class of forty-four candidates was initiated and this class equalled any ever taken in at one time.—Fort Wayne Sentinel.

Some employes in the offices of the Standard Oil company will no doubt lose a good position in return for his negligence or oversight in failing to pay the company's taxes in every county in Indiana where the company owns property. The neglect means that the company will be out of pocket several thousands of dollars for the penalty of ten per cent will have to be paid on all of the delinquent taxes. Some idea of what this will amount to may be gained when it is stated that in Wells county the company's taxes amount to about \$7,000, and the penalty added means that there will be an additional \$700 to pay. In some counties the taxes are even larger, while in some the company owns no property at all. The Standard usually is one of the promptest tax payers and this is the first time it has ever been known to go delinquent.

Dr. J. C. Grandstaff, of Preble, was attending to business here today.

The new store building being erected by Hower & Hower on west Monroe street is nearing completion.

Miss Anna Elcock, of Van Wert, Ohio, has arrived in the city for a visit with Mrs. Shrock over Sunday.

Ned Bobo has accepted a position on the Bluffton Banner and will leave for that place tonight to accept same.

All Masons are requested to attend the special meeting Tuesday evening when three candidates will be given the first degree.

Several theater parties are being arranged to attend "The Servant in the House" at the Majestic next Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

The music at the Grand theater is certainly fine. Med and True are handy with the drum and piano and bring in the slide effects just right.

The grist mill of the Monroe Grain, Hay and Milling company started in operation this afternoon. A. Van Camp of this city was there to oversee the starting of same.

The nothing-doing sign was hung out at the justice of the peace courts today. There has been no violations of the law in Decatur for some time for which everybody is thankful.

Mrs. W. J. Craig, of Decatur, spent Thursday in Portland, visiting with her brothers, L. G. Holmes of east High street and Charles W. Holmes, east Walnut street.—Portland Sun.

Mrs. John Mellotte, accompanied by Mrs. Ed Lyons, went to Geneva this afternoon to inspect the Relief Corps order of that place. An interesting meeting will be held there tonight.

Probably the only farmer in the county who is threshing wheat and oats today is D. D. Studabaker on the old Faylor farm northeast of the city. He put the grain in the barn when it was harvested and it has remained there until today. Mr. Studabaker has been very busy during the summer months and did not take the time to do the threshing. George Siekler has charge of the machine.—Bluffton Banner.

While unloading bales of denim from a car at the G. R. & I. yesterday, drayman Lewis Tabegger had the misfortune of breaking his right leg. A 445 pound bale of denim fell on his leg, abruptly breaking it about midway between the ankle and knee point. Fred Shafer happened to be in an adjoining car and heard Mr. Tabegger who was alone, call for help. Mr. Shafer found the unfortunate man's broken leg pinned to the car floor by the heavy bale. He hauled him to his home on east Main street where he will no doubt have to remain many weeks.—Berne Witness.



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LAMAN & LEE

This autumn has been a record breaker for the light rain fall. It is four months today since the last good rain fell, on the morning of July 13th. It's a good thing the drought didn't come in the spring.

An exchange says: "A school marm down in Barry county has adopted a rule that when the girls miss a word in 'spellin', one of the boys can kiss her, provided he spells the word right. She has a room full of poor girl spellers."—Republic (Mo.) Monitor.

"Run over a cow this morning pu above Coffeyville," said the brakeman to a reporter. "How did it happen?" asked the reporter. "She was drinking out of a creek under a bridge," shouted the brakeman as he swung on to the last car and went grinning out of town.—Batesville (Ark.) Enterprise.

Manson Reiff, one of the trustees of the state order of Eagles, will go to Newcastle, where with Frank Herring, state president, and several other members of the state lodge, will reorganize the Eagles' lodge in that city. The charter of the old lodge, which consisted of 500 members, was taken away by the grand worthy president through a peculiar circumstance. Herbert Evans who ran for prosecutor in that county on the republican ticket, got the lodge implicated over a club house which he ran in connection. When the national president heard of this he revoked the charter.—Bluffton Banner.

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TOMORROW

We will put on sale a lot of

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If you are in the market for farm or city property, come in and see us before you buy.

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The "Bischof" models we are showing embody all these features. These goods are designed after the best creations of the leading foreign artists. You could go walking in Paris or Vienna and be in the reigning fashion with any one of these suits.

Come in. You can see the snap and smartness of these garments the instant you look in our mirrors. The wear is guaranteed both by us and the makers.

Plainly it is to your interest to make your selections now before the choicest patterns are taken. To give you even a greater inducement to come at once we have marked the most desirable garments far below their regular values.

We illustrate a few of the many we are showing. Look for the trade-mark "B. S. & S." in every garment.

NEW MODELS

are arriving daily. See the new Directoire
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Come in all colors, Brown, Blue, Green
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