

## RAILROAD BULLETIN

**ERIE.**  
Into Effect Sunday June 21, 1908.  
Eastbound.  
No. 8-Daily .....5:23 a.m.  
No. 12-Daily .....2:00 a.m.  
No. 22-Daily, ex. Sunday...2:00 p.m.  
No. 4-Daily .....3:26 p.m.  
Westbound.  
No. 7-Daily .....1:52 a.m.  
No. 9-Daily .....3:12 a.m.  
No. 3-Daily .....12:46 p.m.  
No. 21-Daily, ex. Sunday...10:10 p.m.  
No. 15-Daily .....7:30 p.m.

**GRAND RAPIDS & INDIANA.**  
South Bound.  
No. 6-Daily .....12:47 a.m.  
No. 12-Daily, ex. Sunday...7:16 a.m.  
No. 2-Daily, ex. Sunday...1:11 p.m.  
No. 16-Sunday only.....3:36 p.m.  
North Bound.  
No. 5-Daily .....1:28 a.m.  
No. 7-Daily .....7:57 a.m.  
No. 3-Daily, ex. Sunday...3:07 p.m.  
**T. ST. L. & W. R. R.**

No. 2-Frankfort to Toledo,  
Ex Sunday .....11:27 a.m.  
No. 1-Toledo to Frankfort,  
Ex Sunday .....11:49 a.m.  
No. 3-Delphos to St. Louis,  
Daily .....7:21 a.m.  
No. 4-St. Louis to Delphos,  
Daily .....8:03 p.m.  
No. 5-Toledo to St. Louis,  
Daily .....10:17 p.m.  
No. 6-St. Louis to Toledo,  
Daily .....5:05 a.m.

### Daily Interurban Schedule

**THE FT. WAYNE & SPRINGFIELD**  
Trains Leave  
Decatur  
5:00 a.m.  
7:00 a.m.  
8:30 a.m.  
10:00 a.m.  
11:30 a.m.  
1:00 p.m.  
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7:00 p.m.  
9:30 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.

**GEO. TRICKER** has for sale a brand new Splint coal, hard as a rock, per ton for a few cents. You have not seen its equal. Phone 534. 258-121 that lasts equal to Anthracite at \$3.50

You have tried the rest, now try the best—Admiral coffee. 200tr

More people are taking Foley's Kidney Remedy every year. It is considered to be the most effective remedy for kidney and bladder troubles that medical science can devise. Foley's Kidney Remedy corrects irregularities, builds up worn out tissues and restores lost vitality. It will make you feel well and look well.  
**THE HOLTHOUSE DRUG CO.**

Democrat Want Ads. Pay



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No matter how small your present amount may be—by placing it here it becomes an active factor in your habits—in stopping any a reckless expenditure and making you a careful, conservative citizen.

### Old Adams County Bank

## BARGAINS, BARGAINS

If you are thinking of buying either farm or city property come in and see us before you buy, for we have a large list of farm and city property to select from. IF ARE THINKING OF SELLING YOUR PROPERTY LIST IT WITH US AND WE WILL DO THE REST. It will cost you nothing to list your property and no commission is charged unless sale is made. A few of our bargains:  
40 acres of good soil, in good community and location; price \$3,200.  
40 acre choice land, excellent improvements, well located; price \$5,000.  
50 acres good improvements, excellent location; price \$3,600.  
60 acres mostly good buildings, excellent location; price \$4,500.  
80 acres well improved, good buildings and location, price \$5,000. This farm is a bargain if sold within the next 30 days.  
Any information concerning any farm on our list will be gladly given.  
Agency for North Dakota, Montana and Michigan lands.  
Fruchte and Litterer, Managers.  
Phone No. 430.

## Northern Indiana Real Estate Co.

Office over Burns Harness Store. Decatur, Indiana.

## WEATHER

Rain or snow tonight or Wednesday; colder Wednesday.

Warren Payne, of Hammond, has arrived for a two weeks' visit with his parents.

Charles Hendricks went to Fort Wayne this morning to look after business matters.

Mrs. Daniel Sprang went to Fort Wayne this morning to be the guest of friends for some time.

Miss Agnes Voglewede returned this morning from a holiday visit with friends at Fort Wayne.

There was a heavy frost again last night and the morning was exceedingly cold.

The coal men are reaping a harvest at present, but as yet there has been little chance for ice harvesters.

P. W. Smith, of Richmond, made his usual Monday visit to this city and is looking after his varied business interests.

Blood poisoning which developed from a small fever blister on her lip caused the death of Mrs. Anna L. Anderson at Lafayette.

The four dry goods stores of the city will be closed all day Friday, January first, and the public should govern their shopping accordingly.

Corunna business men have entered into an agreement to go on a cash basis after January 1, and will extend credit to none of their customers.

Mrs. Thomas M. Gallogly and son of Decatur, went home this week after visiting since Thursday with her father, George Ramsever and family living in the south part of the city.—Portland Sun.

Nick Miller is hugging the bed today battling with a bad case of indigestion. He suffered with considerable pain for a time, but since that has passed, he rested easier and will be all right in a day or two.

Robbers cracked the safe in the postoffice at Auburn Junction Saturday night or early Sunday morning and made their escape with \$226 in cash and something over \$100 worth of postage stamps.

James H. Sullivan, of Geneva, who sued the Grand Rapids and Indiana railroad for the burning of his barn, has been awarded a judgment for \$1,200. It is thought that sparks from an engine set fire to the building.

Miss Dessie Kinsey returned to Decatur Monday, after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Kinsey of east Main street. Miss Kinsey is employed as stenographer for the Ward Fence company.—Portland Sun.

Mr. L. C. Waring is at Marion this evening as a guest at a big banquet given by the eleventh district Democrats. The affair is being largely attended and in fact will be rather a state occasion. Speeches will be made by many of the leaders and a general good time enjoyed by the untold thousands who attend.

Waterloo citizens showed their philanthropy Christmas by giving an entertainment in the evening in connection with a tree laden with gifts for the needy of the town. The entertainment was good. Many dollars in presents were brought to the opera house and from there distributed. It was a non-sectarian affair.

The lifeless body of a man found dead Christmas morning in Boyd park, along the line of the Fort Wayne and Wabash Valley interurban near Wabash, has been identified as that of William Oppy, of Marion, 55 years old. Death was due to heart disease or exposure. He had wandered away from home Thursday poorly clad and almost demented.

A new refrigerator company with a capital stock of \$50,000 has been organized by Kendallville men, who have taken over the business of the Eureka Refrigerator company, of Indianapolis. The new company will be known as the Opal Refrigerator company, and the incorporators are Joseph T. Stahl, Albert W. Sherer, George W. Hartsuck, Hoy M. Stewart and Charles O. Ullin.

Prof. George Lucky and family were entertained at the home of Mrs. Spuler today.

H. M. Romberg and family have returned to Fort Wayne after enjoying the Christmas time in this city.

Mr. W. D. Hendricks returned to his home at Kendallville, after visiting relatives and friends in this city.

Miss Midge Smith entertained the members of the Black Rag Club this afternoon and a good time was had.

Mrs. Fred Hoffman and daughter, Mrs. Eugene Runyon, went to Berne this afternoon for a visit with relatives.

The advertising program for the Elks minstrel show is being printed this week and will be as handsome as usual.

Shucks Schumacker has gone to Garrett, Indiana, where he has accepted a position in Jesse Smith's restaurant.

Mrs. George Flanders will entertain at euche tomorrow evening for her sisters, the Misses Anna and Elizabeth Carlisle, of Cincinnati.

Commissioner Laughlin went to his home in Jefferson township this afternoon having concluded the special session of commissioners' court.

The Elks are practicing each evening this week for their big minstrel show to be given on Wednesday and Thursday evenings of next week.

The boys who will represent the Elks lodge here at the bowling contest at Fort Wayne when the new Elks home is opened, are practicing each evening and expect to give their opponents a run for their money.

Several parties from this locality are planning a trip to Cuba in February and may decide to invest some cash in that country, where great fortunes are being made by those who have the nerve and the money to invest.

Though it is a little early, several Decatur people are planning the building of summer cottages at Rome City next year. They will begin as soon as the spring weather opens up and the homes will be ready for occupancy by the time school is out.

The work of building the foundation for the new Schafer block at the corner of First and Madison streets has begun and will be rushed to completion as soon as possible. The building is to be a three story one and will be used as a warehouse and a rebuilding shop for machinery.

While you are grumbling about other things, don't overlook the fact that this winter weather we are having is about the made to order kind and the air on these mornings is about good enough to eat. Try it and see if it don't brace you up more than a drink of any stimulant would do.

Delbert, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clark Montgomery, residing on Market street, met with an accident yesterday which caused him much pain. He was engaged in trimming a limb from a tree when in some manner the knife slipped and inflicted two wounds in his hand. He is recovering nicely.

John D. Hale, of Decatur, a brother of James Hale, of this city, entertained his children and grandchildren at his home yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Kapp and Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Studabaker were present for the event, but their coming was a surprise to Mr. Hale. Thirty-three people were present for dinner.—Bluffton Banner.

T. R. Moore, received a letter this morning that as he stated it made him feel good all over. It was the first encouraging news he has received from his son Charles at Phoenix, Arizona, who has been sick for several weeks and this message said that he was at last on the road to recovery, and would be able to get out in a few days.

Rev. C. U. Wade, Fort Wayne, superintendent of this M. E. district, is in the city today and will conduct the fourth quarterly meeting at the Methodist church here tonight. The matter of choosing a new pastor will not come up tonight. Generally this question comes up at the fourth quarterly meeting, but this year the members of the congregation thought best to wait until the first quarterly meeting next year, which will be in March. This will be before the meeting of the Northern Indiana M. E. conference.—Bluffton Banner.

Forest Elzey, Frank Carroll and James Beery had an experience at the DeWitt cigar store that they will never forget unless the writer, who witnessed their episode, gives up his prestige as a guesser. Arriving at the popular place of business, they endeavored to build a fire, but their efforts were fruitless, as a little smoke was the best they could get. Taking down the pipe they discovered a bucket and a half of coal therein and how it got there no one knows. At any rate the building was soon permeated with smoke and all doors were opened and the electric fan was set in motion. A breezy time followed and but few warmth seekers were seen in that vicinity.

Ed Lyons left this afternoon on a business trip to Rushville.

Mrs. J. Bowers returned to Berne this afternoon from a visit in this city with friends.

A delightful dance was held at the K. C. hall last night and many couples were present.

Miss Josephine Krick went to Monroch this afternoon to make a visit with her sister, Mrs. Dolch.

Attorney Chauncey Lautzenheiser returned to Berne this afternoon from a business trip to this city.

Mrs. Ed Lyons has gone to Knights-town to visit the soldiers and sailors orphans home, which is maintained by the G. A. R.

Mrs. J. R. Raudabaugh, of Lima, Ohio, passed through the city today enroute to Geneva, where she will make a visit with friends and relatives.

Mr. Carl V. Roop, a student at Otterbein university at Westerville, Ohio, is in the city the guest of his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Acker on north Second street. Mr. Roop's home is at Wren, Ohio, and he is preparing himself for the ministry.

Rev. Earl Parker returned today from his home and will continue his visit at the home of J. D. Hale. His family has been here for several days. The school children seem to be enjoying the vacation days, although they are having but little use for the red sled and the steel skates that Santa Claus brought them.

A report was circulated here today that the fast train on the Lake Shore railroad between Goshen and Kendallville had been held up last night about nine o'clock by a band of train robbers and three people killed, while a number of others were badly injured. The report also was that robbery from babies up had been robbed of their possessions. The story could not be verified and is not believed.

Since the articles of incorporation of the Bluffton Land and Timber company have been returned from the office of the secretary of state the stockholders there have been active and are boosting the business of the enterprise. A bright future is anticipated for the company. If the present congress should pass the appropriation bill, giving half a billion of dollars to the opening of a waterway up the Mississippi to Chicago the cost of sending freight from the county where the land is located to the trade centers would be considerably lessened.

Charles Coverdale left Sunday evening with the Vicksburg party from Indianapolis to attend the dedication of Indiana monuments, but with the further object also of visiting the lands of the Bluffton Timber and Land company in the south. He is one of the incorporators of the company and is interested in the sale of stock. His wife accompanied him. Others taking the trip from here are Col. L. C. Dayenport and wife, with Governor Hanly's party, and County Auditor O. D. Garrett and wife. The latter also will visit the timber lands.—Bluffton News.

Rev. Hinkle, of the Tocsin Lutheran church, has been forced to resign his pastorate, owing to a throat trouble he has been suffering with for several months. When a boy Rev. Hinkle suffered with a throat trouble and still does, it only effecting his powers as a public speaker and in no other way impairing his health. He will move to Cold Springs, Ind., where he has a brother running a store, and for whom he will likely work. The church has already extended a call to Rev. Elrich, of Anderson, who has the matter under consideration. Andrew Werling, a member of the Tocsin church, was in Anderson Christmas day conferring with Rev. Elrich.

**More Wheat to Come.**  
A Chinese doctor, as a punishment for causing his patient's death, had to pay ten loads of wheat. While carrying the grain he was met by a man who asked him to come and treat a sick member of his family. "All right," said the doctor, "I will be there shortly, but in the meantime you may be getting your barn cleaned out."—Scrap Book.

**Nothing.**  
"Nature plans well for mankind's needs."  
"I should say so. What could be more convenient than ears to hook spectacles over?"—Washington Herald.

**The Soft Answer.**  
He—Artists say that five feet four is the divine height for women. His Darling (crossly)—You know, I am five feet nine. He (quickly)—You are more than divine, my dear.

**Laws catch flies and let hornets go free.**—Anacharsis.

**Apt Pupil.**  
Friend—You took your son into your establishment some months ago to teach him the business, I understand. How did it turn out?  
Business Man (wearily)—Great success! He's teaching me now.

A cross man would be worth at least a dollar a day more if he would become good natured.—Atchison Globe.

## A R. R. MOTOR CAR

Passed Through Decatur  
Today Via Clover Leaf  
Railroad

IT IS A BEAUTY

Manufactured by Strang  
Company—Many Witnessed It

The Irene, recognized as the latest means of railway conveyance, equipped with mammoth dynamos and operated by electricity, passed through Decatur this afternoon at 1:50 o'clock and was seen by more than a hundred people who gathered at the Clover Leaf station. This motor car left the shops of the Strang company last March and since then has operated over the principal trunk lines of the east, the Pennsylvania, Reading, B. & O., Central of New Jersey, Railway Valley, Cumberland Valley and many others. It has frequently exceeded sixty miles an hour in these runs. On November 21 the car left New York over the Lehigh Valley railroad for Buffalo and from that city came to Chicago over the Erie. Since then it has been operating over the Alton and is now on a demonstration trip over the Clover Leaf and return with the following officials aboard: Geo. J. Chareton, Genl. Pass. Agt.; D. Boves, Chief Asst. Gen. Agt.; R. J. McKay, Asst. Gen. Pass. Agt.; W. H. Abel, Asst. Gen. Pass. Agt.; E. L. Brown, Dist. Pass. Agt., Toledo; A. D. Perry, Dist. Pass. Agt., Mexico; C. R. Murray, Dist. Pass. Agt., Bloomington; E. J. Naylor, Dist. Pass. Agt., Dallas, Texas; Frank O'Brien, Dist. Pass. Agt., St. Louis; C. A. King, Gen. Fgt. Agt.; F. L. McLain, M. A. Clover Leaf; D. H. Klump, trainmaster; W. B. Strang, pres.; J. King Duffe, vice-pres.; L. G. Wilson, chief eng.; J. W. Eskholme, asst. eng.; Strang company.

A representative of the Democrat was shown through the car by Mr. Duffy, vice president of the Strang company and was told in detail of the new contrivance of travel. The interior is beautiful and conveniently arranged, the seating capacity being as large as that of a Pullman coach. The crew consists of a motorman and conductor. The motor room is probably the most attractive of all with its mechanical devices and a spectator could entertain himself for hours watching the manipulation of the machinery. This motor car can be operated at a very low expense and it is not improbable that the Clover Leaf people will install a number of them in the near future.

## BANK GAVE AWAY

And Schafer Hardware  
Team Fell Many Feet  
to Shore

OF THE ST. MARYS

Hill Leaped from the Wagon  
and Avoided the Catas-trophe

George Hill, teamster for the Schafer Hardware company had a thrilling experience this afternoon at three o'clock when his team and wagon went down the bank of the St. Marys river with great force, the animals landing against trees at the shore. Hill was engaged in hauling dirt away from the lot where excavating is being done preparatory to the construction of the new Schafer building and was unloading at the rear of the Kirsch Selmeyer and Sons lumber yard, when the embankment gave way and Hill jumped from the wagon just in time to avert what certainly would have been an awful accident. After some little time the horses were rescued from their perilous position. One of the animals was badly injured as a result of the fall and aside from this but little damage was done.

TRICKER'S Jackson Sootless coal leaves no whiskers on the stove flues. Hocking Splint and other grades at the low price. Office Phone 534; Res. 311.

## Where the Door Opens Constantly

You can quickly heat and keep cozy the draughty hall or cold room—no matter what the weather conditions are—and if you only know how much real comfort you can have from a

## PERFECTION Oil Heater

(Equipped with Smokeless Device)

you wouldn't be without one another hour. Turn the wick as high or as low as you please—there's no danger—no smoke—no smell—just direct intense heat—that's because of the smokeless device. Beautifully finished in nickel and japan—ornamental anywhere. The brass font holds 4 quarts, giving heat for 9 hours. It is light in weight—easily carried from room to room. Every heater warranted.

The **Rayo Lamp** meets the need of the student—a bright, steady light—ideal for road or study by. Made of brass—nickel plated, latest improved central draft burner. Every lamp warranted. If your dealer does not carry Perfection Oil Heater and Rayo Lamp write our nearest agency.

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(Incorporated)

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### Suits from \$15 up

### Pants from \$4.50 up

Perfect fitting garments, most stylish, finest workmanship.  
Bring in your old clothes, let us make them look like new.

**135 SOUTH 2ND. ST.**

## CHICHESTER'S PILLS

Ladies! Ask your Druggist for Chichester's Diamond Brand Pills in Red and Gold Seal. Take no other. Buy of your Druggist. Ask for CHICHESTER'S PILLS, for 25 years known as Best, Safest, Always Reliable. SOLD BY DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE.

### MRS. McRANEY'S EXPERIENCE

Mrs. M. McRaney, Prentiss, Miss., writes: "I was confined to my bed for three months with kidney and bladder trouble, and was treated by two physicians but failed to get relief. No human tongue can tell how I suffered, and I had given up hope of ever getting well until I began taking Foley's Kidney Remedy. After taking two bottles I felt like a new person, and feel it my duty to tell suffering women what Foley's Kidney Remedy did for me."

**THE HOLTHOUSE DRUG CO.**  
Democrat Want Ads. Pay

# CROUP

THERE IS NOTHING that strikes terror to the hearts of parents more than to be awakened in the night by the ringing cough which accompanies an attack of croup. The child may retire with nothing but a slight cold and a few hours later the family be aroused by the ominous symptoms. Every home where there are small children should be prepared for these sudden attacks, as prompt treatment is necessary. Do not experiment with remedies of doubtful value, but get

## CHAMBERLAIN'S COUGH REMEDY

that has been in use for nearly forty years and never known to fail.

Mr. Homer Krohn, of Lisbon, Iowa, in a letter to the manufacturers of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy praises this medicine for what it has done for his children. He says: "It has not only saved them once but many a time. Only two weeks ago my boy had the croup so bad in the night that had it not been for having a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in the house he would have choked before a doctor could have gotten to the house. It is a medicine that no one should be without at any time." It is pleasant to take and many children like it.

"We guarantee every bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy," says W. M. Parish, Palmerston, Ontario. "Out of the many bottles sold last winter not one was returned. We recommend it especially for children with croup." Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is famous for its prompt cures of coughs, colds and croup. When given as soon as the child becomes hoarse an attack of croup may be averted. This medicine is entirely free from narcotics or injurious substances of any kind and may be given to the little ones with absolute safety.

Attacks of croup are most likely to occur during the early winter months, and every family with young children should be prepared for it. Keep a bottle of CHAMBERLAIN'S COUGH REMEDY in your home. It only costs a quarter, large size 50 cents. Your druggist sells it.