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FRIDAY Eve, DEC. 3d.

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your advantage if you will list them with us.

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By French Quinn, Secy.

Joe Berling made a business trip to
Columbia City today.

L. T. Brokaw was doing some work
at Monroe this morning.

Tony Nesswald went to Monroe to-
day where he is doing some work.

Fr. Wilken was the guest of Fr.
Benzinger at Hesse Castle today.

Frank Conter went to Fort Wayne
this morning where he spent the day.

Andrew Welfley was in the south
part of the county today campaign-
ing.

P. K. Kinney was looking after
some real estate business at Ge-eve
today.

Walter Johnson was at Berne to-
day looking after some insurance
business.

Charles Good returned home from
Fort Wayne after spending Sunday
there with friends.

C. D. Murray was at Fort Wayne
Saturday evening and witnessed the
Jeffries-Gotch exhibition.

Mr. John Weber made a business
trip to Fort Wayne this morning and
returned home this evening.

Cris Strebe went to Fort Wayne
where he will be engaged in putting in
a hot water furnace there.

Quite a number of men from her-
witnessed the Jeffries athletic show
at Fort Wayne Saturday evening.

Orval Morrison resumed his school
work at Fort Wayne this morning
after spending Sunday with his par-
ents.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dibble returned
home this morning from the north
where they have been absent for
about a week.

Miss Catherine Ford, of Geneva, and
who was the guest of Miss Marguerite
Moran for several days past, re-
turned to her home today.

The Nine Mile house did its regular
rush of business Saturday evening
and the suit cases came home well
filled as did some of the boys who
carried them.

Miss Perle Burdg, who has been in
the city for the past week for a visit
with her parents, left this morning
for Indianapolis, where she will re-
sume her school work.

A party composed of Mr. and Mrs.
A. T. Studebaker, Mr. and Mrs. Frank
Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Huffman,
Mr. and Mrs. Marion French of Mt.
Zion, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Baumgardner
and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Baumgardner
of Decatur, went to Elwood this
evening.

The children of Mrs. Emma Freang
will be taken to Marion today and
placed in an orphans' home. They
were recently returned here from the
Sprunger home in Ohio and shortly
afterward the mother left them here
with their grandmother and other rel-
atives and went away.

O. E. Dorsey, who has been employ-
ed as linotype operator on this paper
for several years, has resigned and
will devote his time to the poultry
business on his farm near Montpelier.
His place at this office will be
filled by John Stewart, of Chicago,
who formerly lived here and has
many friends in the city.

Mr. P. F. Jones and daughter Ethel,
went to Fort Wayne this morning
where they made a visit with their
son, Fred, who underwent an opera-
tion last Saturday for appendicitis.

Mr. T. Linniger, John Cook, Adam
Kable and John Bollenbarger, of Del-
phos, Ohio, changed cars here this
morning on their way to Chicago
where they will take in the live stock
show which is now going on.

Mr. J. F. Robinson, of The Sun
office force, was employed with Mr.
Harruff while at Mexico City, and
our J. Frank Cramer was also a fel-
low worker with Mr. Harruff for
years while at Decatur. Both boys
with Decatur friends, would like to
have Mr. Harruff pay Kendallville a
visit.—Bluffton News.

J. Frank Mann arrived from Mun-
dale yesterday afternoon in answer to
a message of the serious illness of
his father, Harlo Mann, but whose
death was announced before his ar-
rival. Mr. Mann is practicing law in
Muncie and is getting along well and
making a name for himself in that
hustling manufacturing metropolis.—Bluffton News.

Rev. Spetmagle, of the Presbyterian
church, delivered a very strong ser-
mon Sunday morning in which he ad-
monished his congregation that they
teach their children to attend church
services. The old-fashioned idea
seems to have lost ground, and the
pastor asked how it was expected the
future generations would hold a
church together unless the young
folks were brought up in the church.
He insisted that the Sunday school
is not enough.

One of the biggest entertainments
ever witnessed in this city will be
the one given at the opera house,
Tuesday evening of this week by the
old Southland Sextette, a company of
real southern ladies and gentlemen
who can sing and make music. The
admission to this big show is but
twenty-five cents and all should at-
range to attend. The seat sale be-
gins at the Holthouse drug store at
7:45 Tuesday morning. The profits
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Jake Buhler was campaigning for
the office of recorder at Geneva to-
day.

Lew Meyland was at Fort Wayne
yesterday and spent the day with
friends.

R. B. Gregory went to Fort Wayne
where he attended to some business
during the day.

Tom Gallogly left this morning
for New Corydon, Ind., where he was
called on business.

Scott Ellis, who spent Sunday in
the city with his parents, returned to
his work at Geneva.

Henry Koenenmann went to Wil-
liamsburg where he was looking after
some cattle markets.

Bob Gregory, who is employed at
Fort Wayne, was a visitor over Sun-
day with his family here.

S. C. Cramer went to Portland this
morning where he will attend to
some important business.

John Schug resumed his regular
work today after being in the city
over Sunday with his family.

R. K. Allison went to Kendallville
this morning where he was looking
after some timber business.

Frank Burns was transacting busi-
ness at Geneva today and returned
home on the afternoon train.

Leo Yager left this morning on his
regular trip south after spending Sun-
day with his sister and brothers.

Earl Eteel left this morning for
Fort Wayne where he will resume
his school work during the day.

Mr. Andrew Miller and daughter,
Clara, were at Fort Wayne where they
were attending to some important
business.

Miss A. Runfelt, of Syracuse, Ind.,
and who has been visiting with
friends at Ohio City, returned home
this morning.

Miss Maggy Dular, of Monroe, ar-
rived in the city this morning and
will make a short visit with Mr. and
Mrs. Jacob C. Atz.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Merry and son,
Ervin, who spent Sunday with relatives
at Nottawa, Mich., returned home
this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Rhodes, of Men-
don, Ohio, left this morning for Or-
lando, Ind., where they will make a
few days' visit with friends.

Alex LeBrun left today for the
Charles F. True farm near Poe, where
he has secured the contract for paint-
ing a barn for Mr. True, the job re-
quiring all week.

Mr. Glen Coates, of Fort Wayne,
and chief dispatcher for the G. R. & I.
railroad company, went south this
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George Bruhn, formerly of here, and
who for the past several months has
been traveling through the west, re-
turned to the city on last Saturday
and will again be under the employ of
Mr. C. D. Murray at the hotel.

Word from the home of Aaron Wis-
ner, residing near Craigville, is to the
effect that Mr. Wisner, who sustained
terrible fractures of the bones of
both legs in a runaway accident sev-
eral months ago, is able to walk a few
steps with slight support. He hopes
to be able to get around without as-
sistance by Christmas. Mr. Wisner is
over sixty years of age and his recov-
ery at his age is a matter of congratula-
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KEW HUMAN NATURE

Logic of the Man Who Fiddled In the
Midst of a Flood.

When Davy Crockett was on his way
from his Tennessee home to Texas to
fight for the new republic he rode over-
land with some chance friends from
Little Rock to Fulton. One day they
were startled by hearing the high notes
of a distant violin playing a rollicking
air. Putting spurs to their horses, the
men hastened toward the sound and soon
observed several others running through
the fields in the same direction. At last they came over the crest
of a ridge in view of the river and beheld
the fiddler seated in the middle of
the flood in an almost submerged
buggy playing as fast as he could
shake the bow.

"Hello, there! Turn back!" shouted
the men who came through the field.
"I can't," replied the fiddler.

"But you've missed the ford. You'll
drown!"

"I've known that for half an hour."

"What are you going to do?"

"Sit here till you chaps come out and
turn my horse the right way."

The horse was with difficulty keeping
his footing and seemed about to be
swept away. One of the men who had
been attracted by the fiddling waded
out and by a precarious way reached
the horse's head and led him round to
the ford and back to the bank, the pas-
senger fiddling all the way and wind-
ing up with a merry jig.

"What do you mean by sitting out
there fiddling in the face of death?"
demanded Crockett of the rescued
stranger.

"Well, colonel," said the fiddler, "I
am a student of human nature. When
I found I had missed the ford and
needed help, I set out to get it. I
might have shouted myself hoarse and
no one out here would have paid the
slightest attention to me. But there
isn't a man west of the Mississippi
who wouldn't come running at the
sound of a fiddle in the woods."

"And he was right," said Davy, "for
there we were, the lot of us, our horses
all of a lather, for running to satisfy
our curiosity about that squeaking fid-
dle in this out of the way place."

—YOUTH'S COMPANION

An Incident of Travel.

In Nuremberg, having occasion to
ask my way, I said in my best Meis-
terschaft to a gentleman passing:

"Koennen sie mir vielleicht sagen wie
man nach das Deutschen museum
geht?"

Imagine my mortification when he
replied: "I am going that way. I will
show you."

We walked on, and, learning that I
was an American and had traveled in
England, he said:

"I am professor of English here.
That is why I speak English so well.
But I didn't been in England already
once yet."—Lippincott's.

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