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WEATHER FORECAST

Local showers tonight or Friday;
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Harry Helm made a business trip to Fort Wayne today.

Mrs. William Fansler spent the day with her sister, Mrs. Otto Eberlin, in Fort Wayne.

Miss Maude Cowley of Fort Wayne spent the day with Mrs. Jesse Smith and family.

Mrs. Susie Eury and babe and her brother, Mr. Liby, went to Ft. Wayne this morning.

Samuel Laman left this morning for the east where he will attend to some business for the firm of Laman & Lee.

Charles Teeple and Cal Peterson have the last three days been driving throughout the country, passing bills advertising the large sale which will start next Saturday.

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Will Conrad was a visitor in Fort Wayne today.
Mrs. Robert Davis was a Ft. Wayne visitor today.
Miss Cora Burke visited in Fort Wayne today.
Miss Lillian Rice was a Fort Wayne visitor today.
Fred Tague has returned to Fort Wayne after a business trip to this city.
Mrs. Mary Vogt and daughter, Mrs. Mary Arbaugh, were at Berne today visiting.
Mrs. L. Smith was at Berne today giving her regular music lessons to her pupils here.

Mrs. S. S. Magley is in Fort Wayne visiting with her sisters, Mesdames Charles Yost and L. J. McCulloch.
Walter Gotsch went to Geneva this morning, where he was looking after some business matters during the day.

James Haefling, clerk of the Adams circuit court, was among the business visitors in Portland Wednesday.—Portland Sun.

Rev. D. O. Wise returned this morning from Ridgeville, where he attended the wedding of his brother, Henry Wise.

D. F. Suman and seven children left this morning for Portland to be in attendance at the Heister family reunion, which was held there today.

Mrs. Celia Fox has gone to Van Wert, Ohio, to attend the funeral of her uncle, John McCrory, which will be held there Wednesday morning.—Fort Wayne News.

Attend the ice cream social this evening on the lawn of the United Brethren church, to be given by the Young People's Christian Endeavor.

Mrs. Henry Peters of Fort Wayne is visiting with her sisters, Mrs. Martin Miller and Mrs. Otto Reppert, and attending the German Reformed Sunday school picnic.

Mrs. Dr. Erwin of Valparaiso, who has been visiting with the D. B. Erwin family, has gone to Wren, Ohio, for a further visit before returning here.

The interurban did a good business today, carrying the many passengers to and from Fort Wayne, attending the Christian Sunday school picnic, held at Robinson park.

Arnold Magley, who returned home a few days ago from Ohio, is quite sick at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Magley, in Thorncreek township, with symptoms of typhoid fever.—Columbia City Commercial-Mall.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Meyers and babe have returned home from Lake George, near Fremont, where they have been enjoying a several weeks' vacation. The George Morris company also accompanied them and their outing was a most delightful one.

George Hite, aged fifty-three years, a prominent farmer of Adams township, is dead at the home of J. W. Dakins, five miles east of New Haven. Surviving he leaves three brothers and two sisters—John and Samuel Hite of Fort Wayne; Henry Hite of Decatur; Mrs. J. R. Parker, of Monroeville, and Mrs. S. Fry of Muncie.—Fort Wayne News.

The Bowers property on North Third street is undergoing improvement, and when completed will add much to the appearance of that neighborhood. The building has stood so long that it became in a dilapidated condition, for the reason that it has been unoccupied and from the rough usage of the boys to the windows and otherwise, that improvements have become necessary.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hower, who left Sunday for a two weeks' outing, are enjoying themselves. They are making the trip by automobile and visited first with their mother, Mrs. Daniel Poorman, at St. Paris, Ohio. They will also go to Dayton, Springfield and other Ohio cities, and then return by way of Connersville and Muncie, Indiana.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Patterson returned last evening from a ten days' outing. They visited with friends at Lima, Elkhart, and spent several days at Clinger lake, going from there to visit with the Nachtriebs at Hudson, Mich., and also with the Fred Bell family at Hillsdale. They had a most delightful trip. This was Mr. Patterson's first vacation from duties at the Western Union Telegraph and National express office in eighteen years.

A large party of Bluffton people from the local Baptist church went to Decatur last evening to hear Evangelist Miller, who is conducting a revival meeting there. In the party were Rev. E. T. Poulsen, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bulger, J. E. Broyles, Miss Edith Sark, Mrs. Samuel Rowe and daughter, Mrs. Foss Harbaugh, Miss Grace Miller, Dr. and Mrs. P. L. Robinson, Mrs. H. D. Cook and daughter, Miss Helen, Ingram Merriman and wife and two children, Mr. and Mrs. Degering and W. C. Coleman of Springfield, Ohio, who is visiting here with J. E. Broyles. Mr. and Mrs. Robinson and Mrs. Cook and daughter made the trip in the latter's automobile.—Bluffton News.

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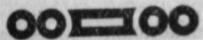
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