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EXCURSION

The M. C. R. R. Co. will sell Round Trip tickets to

DETROIT

JULY 30th

Limited to return August 1st.

Fare from Buchanan to Detroit and return \$4.21. Account Republican State Convention

M. L. JENKS

VOICE IS NOW RESTORED

For Three Years Benton Harbor Lady Could Only Whisper

St. Joseph, Mich., July 20.—After being unable to speak above the faintest whisper for over three years, Mrs. H. S. Roblee, wife of the pastor of the First Congregational church has suddenly recovered her voice. The discovery that her vocal powers had been restored to her was made under peculiar circumstances.

"Mamma, will you sing me a song?" asked her 10-year old son. "I wish I could, Leland," was the response, but something prompted her to seat herself at the piano and try.

She played the introduction to a favorite song and tried to sing the first words of the verse. She was overjoyed to find that her vocal powers had returned with full vigor. She sang the song and it was a sweet one for the Roblee household.

Three years ago Mrs. Roblee caught cold while venturing out of doors in a fierce blizzard and an attack of throat trouble which followed caused the loss of speech. Although the best medical aid was obtained and treatment pursued for months, Mrs. Roblee was not benefited. About two weeks ago signs of returning vocal powers began to show and at times she could speak a few words aloud, but it was not until she tried to sing to her son that Mrs. Roblee became aware that she had recovered from her affliction.

Ideal Newspaper Fiction

Stories of newspaper scoops on matters of current news are many, but it is seldom that a newspaper can claim a beat upon a popular novel. Such a triumph in the discovery of a popular novel was recorded recently by The Chicago Record-Herald when it printed serially "The Wings of the Morning," by Louis Tracy. The judgment of the paper has since been verified by the unprecedented sale the book has had both in the United States and in England. The Record-Herald's keen judgment in fiction enables its readers to get the best novels often before they reach the book stands, while its policy of giving just the right amount daily and Sunday makes it a pleasure to follow its serials.

A radical departure in Sunday journalism was marked by the advent of the Sunday Magazine, of The

Record-Herald. It is particularly strong in fiction, both serials and short stories, and it has all the other attractive features of the famous illustrated weeklies and monthlies and challenges comparison with them.

The Big Show Coming

The announcement that Ringling Brothers' World's Greatest Shows will exhibit in Benton Harbor, Saturday Aug. 18, will be received with more than usual interest by the people in this neighborhood. The Ringling Brothers have a name that stands for all that is new, novel and entertaining in the circus line, and the management announces that this season the show has been enlarged to such an extent that a whole extra train is used in addition to the four trains of last season. The show is now transported from place to place in eighty-five seventy foot cars, constructed especially for the Ringling Brothers. In connection with the circus proper, in which the arenic performance is unexcelled, the Ringling Brothers are this season presenting the beautiful and sublime spectacular production of The Field of the Cloth of Gold. The pantomimic play necessitates the use of 1,200 actors and actresses and of almost five hundred horses. It is presented on the largest stage ever used for exhibitional purposes. Special excursion rates have been arranged for on all lines of travel by Ringling Brothers, and those who desire to go to Benton Harbor where this great circus exhibits, August 18, can do so at a comparatively small cost. This will be the only point in this vicinity where the circus will exhibit this season and no one should miss this opportunity to see it. Watch this paper for additional announcements.

West Michigan State Fair

Receipt of a copy of the Premium List of the West Michigan State Fair for 1906 is hereby acknowledged.

The West Michigan's Premium List is exceptionally well printed. This year and is illustrated with the photographs of the Officers and Directors of the Society, cuts of buildings and scenes on the grounds. The Premiums offered on Live Stock, Agricultural and Horticultural products are both numerous and generous. The aggregate sum exceeds \$12,000.

Our readers who wish to exhibit or who may care to know more about the Fair may obtain a copy of the Book by writing Eugene D. Conger, Secretary, Board of Trade Bldg., Grand Rapids, Mich.

BE'S LAXATIVE HONEY AND TAN CURES COUGHS AND COLDS
Sold at *Runner's Drug Store.*

DON'T BUY GOODS BY MAIL

Missouri Executive Tells People to Advertise in Local Papers

Gov. Joseph W. Folk, in addressing the retail merchants of Missouri at their convention at Jefferson City, last week, spoke against the mail order business and favored advertising in the town papers. He said in parts:

"We are proud of our splendid cities, and we want them to increase in wealth and population, and we also want our country towns to grow. We wish the city merchants to build up, but we also desire the country merchants to prosper. I do not believe in the mail order citizen. If a place is good enough for a man to live in and to make his money in, it is good enough for him to spend his money.

"No merchant can succeed without advertising in one way or another. Patronize your town papers, build them up, and they will build the town up and build you up increased trade and greater opportunities. Do not be afraid that business is going to be hurt by the recent exposures of wrongdoing in the commercial world. No man who is doing an honest business can be injured by the light. All business will be better for the cleansing process it is going through and for the stamping out of evil."

State Items

Mrs. George Holley, of Aurelius township, Ingham County, returned from a visit to a relative to find a note from her husband, saying that he had left her forever. She traced him into town and found his horse and buggy standing outside a saloon. She quietly appropriated them and drove home, leaving her husband to follow or not, as he saw fit.

Captain Peacock of the Salvation Army at Cheboygan is threatened with abduction and being held in ransom. In the meantime he will be made to drink beer and smoke "two-fers" according to an anonymous note he has received, blaming him for the saloon raid on July 4. To the letter is pinned a little bit of black crepe to make it look more ominous. It closes with this warning "Take heed. Show this note to no one but yourself. If we hear anything mentioned about this letter on the street or anywhere else we will take steps all the quicker."

Although 74 years of age and twice a widower, Gilman J. McClintock, of Lainsburg, was not afraid to enter the wedded state again Friday. The bride was Mrs. Emily Marvin, a widow. The bridegroom has been a resident of Lainsburg for over half a century and acts as rural mail carrier. He was postmaster four terms and has held different township offices. He was first lieutenant in the Fourteenth Michigan infantry during the civil war. Mrs. Marvin is a sister of McClintock's deceased wife.

Bay City has been visited by a plague of flies, even as the ancient Egyptians were plagued for their refusal to let the children of Israel go forth from the land. Just why the plague has visited Bay City is not evident, but the streets were filled with the dead flies, the sewers ran with them before the plague subsided and when the streets were flushed to clean them of the insects they lodged in the catch basins and it was necessary to shovel them out while people fought shy of the down town districts or fled to the hills.

Mrs. Charles Weeks, wife of a mail carrier at Pontiac, was taking treatment for tuberculosis and was progressing nicely when her two children fell sick, one of smallpox and the other of scarlet fever. She left her bed to nurse them, but while she pulled them through, the strain upon her endurance proved too much for her, and she died last night, literally giving her life for her children. She was only 30 years of age.

Fire broke out in the engine room of the Belding-Hall company's plant at Belding, Friday night, but was extinguished before the damage amounted to more than \$1,000. Three runaways were caused by the fire department rushing through the main street when the thoroughfare was

crowded. Fred Gilmore, aged 14, was run down by one of the teams and his skull was fractured. He cannot survive.

Fighting against the exhaustion that nearly overcame him as he swam burdened with his wife clasped tightly under his left arm and his 12-year-old daughter on his back, John O'Brien of River Rouge swam with his one free arm nearly a quarter of a mile to safety on Smith's coal dock. The family had been out rowing on the river and the boat was capsized by the little girl attempting to change her position. Neither mother nor daughter could swim and in their wild efforts to hang on to the father almost dragged him underneath the waves. He succeeded at last in getting them into the right position and saved their lives by his arduous swim.

RETURNS ARE MADE

County Treasurer Turns Over Delinquent Tax Money

County Treasurer Shultz has just completed the collection of delinquent taxes for the second quarter of 1906, and has made settlement with the village and township treasurers. The following list shows the amount collected to the credit of the various treasurers, which amounts have been paid over

State of Michigan, state tax, interest and redemptions	\$1325 04
Berrien county, county tax, interest and collection fee	804 22
Local taxes and interest—	
Bainbridge	58 31
Benton	200 96
Benton Harbor	1997 73
Berrien	16 29
Bertrand	54 95
Buchanan	29 07
Chikaming	11 70
Gallen	13 14
Hagar	31 05
Lake	56 86
Lincoln	109 60
Niles township	11 98
Niles city	1567 33
Oronoko	10 00
Pipestone	100 80
Royalton	257 29
Sodus	8 71
St. Joseph township	20 35
St. Joseph city	830 65
Watervliet	180 56
Watervliet village	7 52
Weesaw	21 93
Buchanan village	51 40
Coloma	10 31
Eau Claire	63
Total	\$7738 38

BUILD LONG ROAD

Electric Line to Run from South Bend to Hammond.

Announcement was made Saturday that surveys and estimates have been completed in Illinois and Indiana for an electric railroad seventy miles in length to be known as the Chicago, Lake Shore & South Bend railway.

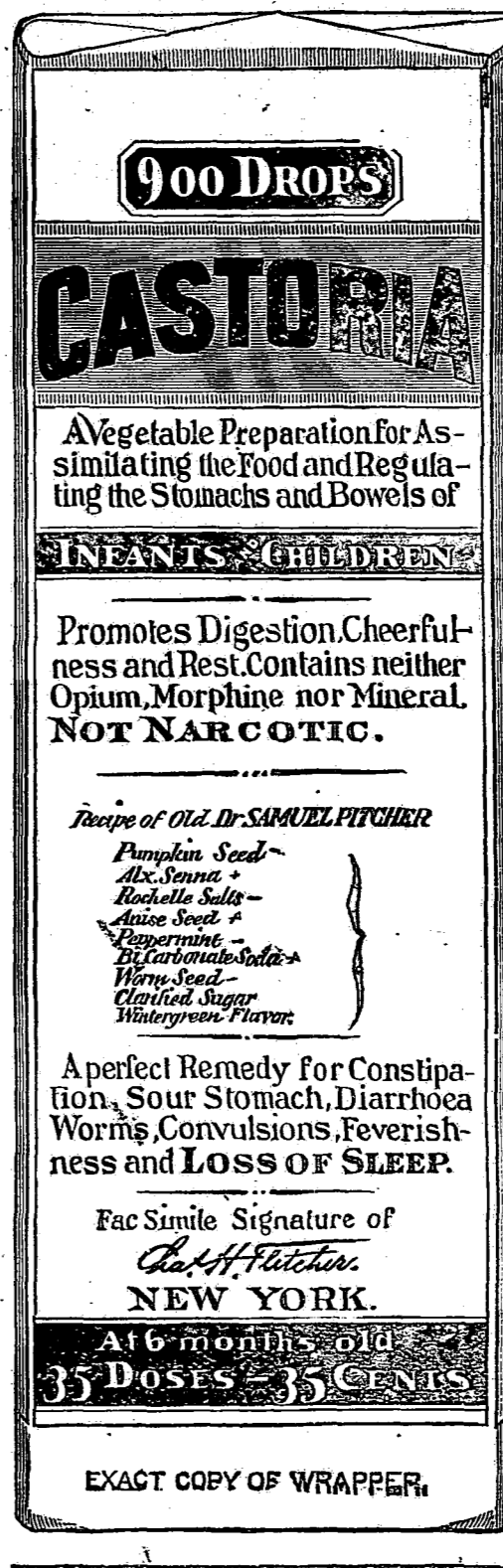
It is reported that the road will be financed by the Transit Finance Co., of New York.

The terminals of the road will be South Bend and Hammond, and it is planned that the line shall be continued from Hammond into Kensington by the Illinois Central railroad, there connecting with its main line for through service into Chicago.

Record readers get all the news, all the time.

First publication July 20, 1906
Estate of Jacob E. Miller, Deceased.
STATE OF MICHIGAN, the Probate Court for the County of Berrien.
At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of St. Joseph in said County, on the 17th day of July, A. D. 1906.
Present: Hon. Frank H. Ellsworth, Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the estate of Jacob E. Miller, deceased.
William P. Miller having filed in said court his final administration account, and petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate.
It is ordered, that the 13th day of August, A. D. 1906, at ten o'clock in the forenoon at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition.
It is further ordered that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Buchanan Record, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.
(A true copy) FRANK H. ELLSWORTH
ROLLAND E. BARR, Judge of Probate
Register of Probate
Last Publication Aug. 3, 1906.

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Sold at *Runner's Drug Store.*
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MICHIGAN CITY
Tuesday July 31st
Good going on train No. 27 at 7:50 A. M. and returning leave Michigan City at 4:55 P. M.
Fare from Buchanan to Michigan City and return 65 cents.
M. L. JENKS

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