

NEWS IN GENERAL.

According to latest estimates, there are 1,735,000 automobiles in the United States and about 500,000 in Europe.

Three British steamers and a schooner were sunk last Thursday by a German submarine off the coast of South Ireland. Most of the crews were saved.

Withdrawing its ad for harvest hands, the Federal Employment Bureau announced if any more men desired to go into the fields they would probably not find work.

A billion dollar trade balance—the greatest in American history—in year which has seen commerce depressed by eleven months of world war, is the commercial record of the United States.

Nearly forty puddlers at the Byers mill, in Girard, Ohio, have been discharged within the last few days for drunkenness following the last payday. Notices were posted in the plant warning the men against drinking. Furnaces lighted up were kept standing idle as a result of the men not turning up.

Gen. Porfirio Diaz, former president of Mexico, died in Paris on Thursday. His wife and their son and the latter's wife were at the bedside when the end came. General Diaz had been in failing health since reaching Europe in 1911, after his resignation from the presidency of Mexico, following the successful Madero revolution.

The War Department has bought for \$50,000 19,000 acres of land at Tobyhanna, Pa. for field artillery practice both for the militia and the regular troops. It is probable that at least one similar range will be acquired in the South, probably in Georgia or Alabama and another in California. This will be dependent upon the development of the militia in those sections.

Young men flocking to Akron, Ohio for work are returning home without obtaining employment. One day recent there were three hundred applicants and only 8 were hired. Work is plentiful enough, as the big factories are working night and day turning out automobile tires principally, but only applicants who are tall and of good physique are chosen as the work is hard. An undersized man has no chance at all.

Alfalfa as a remedy for indigestion and mental depression was recommended Friday at a homeopathic physicians' convention in Chicago by Dr. A. L. Blackwood, who told of recent experiments in a Chicago hospital. The alfalfa is converted into a tincture and used internally. Its use, according to Dr. Blackwood, was accompanied by an immediate delightful feeling of well-being, increased appetite and great improvement in weight.

Curtailing of the meat diet in many American homes will be necessary in the near future, if predictions of the big packers comes true. According to some meat dealers, the prices that have been steadily rising in the last month, especially on pork and mutton, will continue to soar. The rise last month runs from five to fifteen per cent on various pork products. Dealers declare this sudden rise is due to the large quantity of the products being sent to Europe to feed the warring armies.

Just before the class of 1915 at Yale was graduated, each member received a letter signed by seven graduates, headed by William Howard Taft, '78, urging him to give what time he can in the next few years, to the guidance and training of boys. The first years will have more leisure than later. Eight ways of getting into the work were suggested. One was to form a boys' club, through the assistance of the Boys' Club, of New York. Work in the Boy Scouts of America or in the Big Brother movement were next suggested. The other pointers were sharing in recreation work in the public schools, work as counselor in a boys' camp, settlement work, coaching boys in a particular sport or taking charge of a club in one of the music school settlements.

John Pierpont Morgan, the financier, who recently has been handling enormous war contracts for the Allies, was shot in the groin, not seriously, by Frank Holt, a German professor last year at Cornell, who forced his way into the great summer residence of the Morgans at Long Island. The man carried two revolvers, which he leveled at the butler when the door was opened in response to Holt's ring. Later it was learned that he carried two sticks of dynamite in his inside vest pocket and had a bottle which contained nitro-glycerin. In a statement after his capture by Morgan who grappled at once with the man, knocking him unconscious the prisoner said "Morgan started the war and could stop it at any time. I am willing to die for this service to humanity." The same man on Friday night placed a bomb in the Senate re-

Song and Story .....

His Mistake.

He moved up to the city,  
When he'd made his little pile;  
Built a house and had a garage,  
Dressed his girls in city style;  
He read the city papers,  
And he ate the city food.  
His wife joined half a dozen clubs,  
His boy became a dude;  
But he left his religion in the country.

He took a dab in politics,  
The city kind, of course;  
He bought a high-powered auto,  
It was faster than the horse.  
He had a box at opera,  
And a lot of gilt-edge stock;  
BUILT the bank right in the center  
Of the city's finest block;  
But he left his religion in the country.

The church just round the corner  
Was of other brand than his;  
So he visited the movies  
Or spent Sunday at his "biz"  
He knocked the city preachers  
And he laughed at Sunday laws,  
While his boy went to the mischief  
And his girls were lost—because  
He had left his religion in the country.

And when he took his journey  
To the place where all men stand,  
He walked up to the Golden Gate  
As though he owned the land.  
"I know you're from the city,"  
Said St. Peter with a sigh;  
"And I am sorry I must tell you  
This is once you can't get by,  
For you've left your religion in the country."

Did as He was Told.

"You have such strange speaking terms over here," said an Englishman traveling in America. "The other night I was in a sleeping car, in an upper berth and the man in the lower berth said suddenly to me: 'Look out, there.'"

"Of course I did look out, and oh, how I regretted it!"

A crowd of children were playing war in a back yard. Some were English soldiers, some French, some German. One little one being told she was too small to play began to cry audibly and kept it up in spite of all they could do, and even after the warning: "If you don't shut up, mother will hear you and make you come into the house." Finally the difficulty was settled by a bright boy of ten. "Oh, let her bawl," he counseled. "She can be the widows and orphans."

The president of a certain railway in Kentucky which is only ten miles long, was exchanging annual passes one year with officials of other railways.

He enclosed an annual pass on his railway to Stuyvesant Fish, the president of the Illinois Central Railway, for himself and family, with the request that Fish reciprocate.

It seems that Fish had never heard of the Kentucky road so he instructed his secretary to look it up. As a result the pass was returned with the following curt letter:

Dear Sir:—I find that your railroad is only ten miles long while my road is eleven hundred miles long. I herewith return your pass made out in favor of myself and family.

Yours truly,

This was too much for the old Kentucky colonel, who made the following notation on Fish's letter and sent it back:  
"You go to h—my railroad is as wide as yours."  
He received the Illinois Central pass by return mail.

MOTOR OWNERS WARNED

The following State Highway rulings were announced a few days ago by Highway Commissioner Cunningham:

Road races and hill climbing contests on Pennsylvania State highways are entirely forbidden.

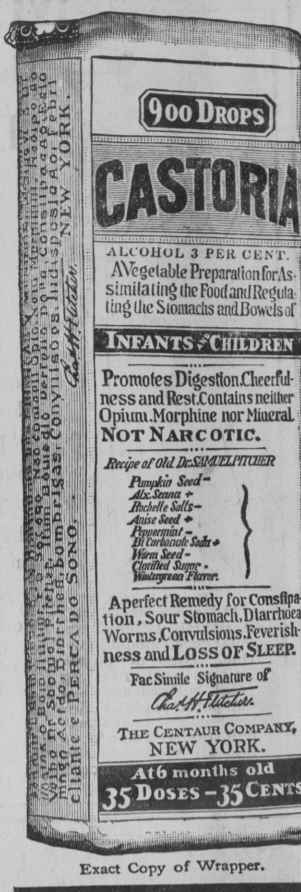
Traction engines will be held fully accountable for damage done to State Roads.

A road in the western part of the state recently was damaged by an exhibition of speedy automobiles. Commissioner Cunningham, backed by an opinion from the Attorney General's office, says there will be no more.

Cunningham's second order says that the full license fee must be paid for each traction engine and trailer and that each application will be scrutinized to make sure that the law is followed. Owners of traction engines will be held to "strict accountability" for any damage.

A reception room at Washington, wrecking one end of it. Holt's real name is said to be Muentzer for whom the police have been searching for several years for murdering his wife in Boston.

Holt later committed suicide by diving head first from the trellis work of his cell to the cement floor



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TO MAKE BORDEAUX MIXTURE. Pennsylvania potato growers are asking for detailed information for making Bordeaux mixture. He especially wanted to know if quick lime was to be used, and if it will injure the vines. As Bordeaux mixture is now recognized as the best possible material for spraying potatoes and grapes to keep to keep them free from diseases, as well as to repel certain kinds of insects, this reply contains information that should be applied on every farm in this state. It is as follows:

"Bordeaux mixture consists of nothing more nor less than quick lime or freshly burned lime and bluestone or copper sulfate. It has been recently proved that this is the best possible material for spraying grapes and potatoes and that its use will greatly increase the potato yield, even when no pests are present. It appears, from experiments recently performed and published, that Bordeaux mixture greatly increases the vigor of the potato plant and promotes its ability to form carbohydrates and to store up starch in the tubers. Sprayed vines live longer and produce fewer culls or small potatoes than do those unsprayed, even when blight or insects do not come.

For potatoes and grapes use four pounds of quick lime and three pounds of bluestone in 50 gallons of water. This will not injure the vines. Dissolve the bluestone in any kind of

er. Slake the lime in another vessel and add enough water to make it thin so you can pour it. Fill your spray barrel full of water and pour in the milk of lime and the bluestone without mixing them together until after one or the other is dilute. In other words do not put together your strong solution of bluestone and your thick lime mixture but dilute one or the other or both first before mixing them. Then if you have potato beetles or flea beetles that you wish to kill add one pound of dry arsenate of lead, or two pounds of arsenate of lead paste to the 50 gallon of Bordeaux mixture. This makes Bordeaux and arsenate of lead. The Bordeaux is to prevent the blight and the arsenic is for the beetles."

The Polish people of Ralpton and Acosta held a meeting, a few days ago, and established a relief fund for the Polish people in Europe who are suffering so terribly from the ravages of the awful war there. Poland is even in worse condition than Belgium and her people starving with little aid being sent them.

SHEEP KILLED BY DOGS. L. H. Wible, statistician of the State Department of Agriculture, has collected statistics showing that during the year 1914 the number of sheep killed and injured in the state, was as follows: killed, 5,187; injured, 3,813; amount paid for same, \$46,640.70.

On and After May 17th The Banking Hours Will Be 9 A. M. to 3 P. M. OPEN EVERY SATURDAY NIGHT FROM 7 TO 9

In making this change we do so at the suggestion of the Comptroller of the Currency. By doing so it follows the line of general banking practice and it means no shortening of hours for the working force but better systematizes the day's work and permits more time, more care and more attention to each individual customer. Kindly assist in making the change by keeping in mind the new hours on and after May 17th.

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