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MOTOR FUEL FROM STRAW

Experimenting on It Now and
Main Question Is Cost of
Production.

New York, Oct. 21.—The Canadian prairies may provide motor fuel for the whole of Canada with a large amount left over for export and the farmers of the prairie provinces may find a profitable market for a product of the soil which is now virtually wasted if a system of converting wheat straw into motor fuel proves as profitable as experiments now being conducted seem to promise.

The new motor fuel is being manufactured from straw for experimental purposes in Kansas, and word just received from J. C. Mohler, secretary of the Kansas Board of Agriculture, is that good progress is being made.

Experiments made by the United States Department of Agriculture show, Mr. Mohler says, that a combustible gas can be obtained from the destructive distillation of wheat straw. This new product has been used for operating an automobile, for illuminating purposes, and for cooking, and tests are in progress to determine its exact value and cost of production.

"If these experiments turn out satisfactorily," said Mr. Mohler, "it may not be many years before every farmer will throw the straw from his threshing machine into a still, from which he can draw all the fuel he will require to operate his farm machinery."

"Some geologists have predicted a serious

shortage of gasoline in the next few years because of the increasing demand for motor vehicles and machinery. This new gas may solve the problem of how power farming and transportation are to go on if the shortage becomes a reality. Whether or not this new product will be commercially valuable depends, of course, on whether the cost of production can be made low enough. The value of the product at present gasoline prices would be about \$12 an acre."

TO CROSS ATLANTIC IN RECORD TIME

Can Be Done in Three Days
by Steamer, Says a Shipping
Expert.

Philadelphia, Oct. 22.—It is possible to cross the Atlantic ocean from New York to Liverpool in three days by steamship, Joseph Washington Thompson, whose bid of \$8,000,000 for the steamship Leviathan was rejected by the United States Shipping Board, says it can be done. Mr. Thompson declared today that the syndicate he represented had planned to install new engines in the Leviathan and fit it up so that it could cross the ocean in three days.

"The bid I offered," he said, "was for \$1,000,000 down and \$3,000,000 in two years. Financial interests backed the plan, and with the engine to be placed in the ship the three-day trip between New York and Liverpool would have been assured." He planned to carry only steerage passengers and mail.

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THOUGHT HUSBAND HAD BEEN KILLED

Thereupon French Woman
Married a Second Time —
No. 1 Returns Home.

Paris, Oct. 22.—A woman with two husbands, both living with her in perfect peace and satisfaction, has been discovered in a rural section of France by Pierre Milles, a French author.

In buying a meal at a farm house, Milles was struck by the fact that the woman was on apparently equal terms with two men, both about the same age, each of whom appeared to exercise the rights of master.

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What is looked upon as a sign of the times, comes in the announcement of the International Mercantile Marine Co. that their liners St. Paul, New York and Philadelphia have been withdrawn from the North Atlantic service for the winter season. The company is not concerned at dropping the mail contract, the president stating that the high operating expenses necessitating the making of another agreement.

The diverted liners will be put on the winter cruising service between New York and the West Indies. The reason given for the move is one of economy. The liners will not return to the Atlantic service until next spring.

The service of the International Mercantile Marine Co. from New York to Southampton and Cherbourg has been in operation for 25 years. It has been augmented by a passenger service to Hamburg, the first since the armistice.

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REVEALS LIFE OF ANCIENT EGYPT

Discovery of "National
Wastepaper Basket" Will
Have Big Results.

Paris, Oct. 22.—"We have found the national waste paper basket of ancient Egypt," was the expression used by a member of the French Academy of Historic Inscriptions to describe a recent discovery of the French Egyptologist, Lécuyer.

Beneath the ruins of a temple dedicated to Thoth, in the holy city of Heliopolis, Professor Lécuyer found a subterranean necropolis containing tens of thousands of mummified bodies of the sacred lily, each neatly packed in an earthenware jar. The packing was nothing but crumpled papyrus—ancient Egyptian manuscripts—which say investigators, appear to consist of everything written, from love letters to washing bills.

There are literally hundreds of thousands to be deciphered, and it is estimated that the work of translation will take several years. When this is completed it is hoped that the whole life of the highly civilized Egyptians 4,000,000 years before Christ will be revealed.

SOME BUSINESS MEN OF TORONTO FINED.

Toronto, Oct. 22.—Thirty-two Toronto business men were summoned to the police court yesterday on charges of not furnishing information required by the dominion bureau of statistics, and several were fined \$20 and costs. Some of those summoned had gone out of business since receiving the notice.

HOTTEST OCTOBER 21 BOSTON HAS KNOWN.

Boston, Oct. 22.—Yesterday was the hottest day of an unseasonably warm month, and at 81 degrees the temperature being higher than has ever been recorded on an Oct. 21. An excess of 148 degrees over normal has been accumulated this month, only one day showing a sub-normal temperature.

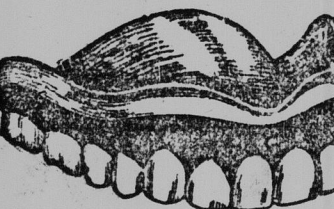
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