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September 26.

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USE OF AUTOCARS IN WAR Major Mott of the United States Army Believes the Innovation is Good and Has Come to Stay.

NOT MUCH USE IN A NEW COUNTRY, But Where Roads are Good, as in Europe, They Will be of Great Efficiency.

Paris, Sept. 25.—Major J. B. Mott, U.S.A., who represented the United States at the recent French manoeuvres, is preparing his report to the War Department. He said to a representative of the Associated Press:

"The manoeuvres proved extremely interesting and instructive. From several points of view the extensive use of autocars was a most striking innovation, and the results attained have fully justified the claim for their practical utility in European warfare. They did excellent work, enabling the generals and their messengers to cover great distances in a few hours."

"Anti-traction cars, moreover, facilitated the task of the Commissariat Department immensely, each drawing six or seven cars heavily laden with provisions. They have undoubtedly come to stay."

"From American Standpoint. I, however, examined this question of military autonomy in the European manoeuvres, and while fully appreciating the convenience and economy of the use of Europe where the highways are level and well built, and the distances comparatively small, I do not believe they will be of sufficient value on the rough American roads and over country which is not well maintained in the American army. Our needs differ considerably from those of the European countries. The latter must always prepare for possible war on their own soil, and the conditions favor the use of autocars, while the possibility of hostilities within the United States makes the use of them inadvisable. They are highly problematical."

"Another feature of the manoeuvres which impressed me was the new artillery. The latest French cannon is undoubtedly the most efficient weapon and involves a new method of working, which is a vast improvement on the old system. The French artillerymen know their guns, and their prompt and effective manoeuvring, combined with rapid servicing of the guns, is simply admirable."

"As to the cavalry, their methods are quite different from ours. American cavalry acts chiefly as the eyes and ears of the main body and as mounted infantry. We are described as poor riders, but all doctors on that score were thoroughly displeased by the display they made on the manoeuvres. But here, cavalry changes are still regarded as feasible. Another feature which will decide whether the latter idea is practical is the clever horsemanship."

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MURDER OVER A CHICKEN. Coroner McCullough of Jefferson County, Kentucky, shot and killed George Owen. Louisville, Ky., Sept. 25.—Dr. Hugh M. McCullough, coroner of Jefferson County, last night shot and killed George Owen, 21 years old, at the latter's home, Coroner McCullough was arrested and denied bail. The trouble that led to the shooting occurred about two weeks ago between the McCulloughs and the Owens family, who are neighbors, and came to a head yesterday over a pea fowl, which escaped from the yard of Mr. Owen's house.

RAILROAD SHOPS BURNED. The Iron Mountain Machine Buildings at Baring Cross, Ark. Were Destroyed Yesterday. Little Rock, Ark., Sept. 25.—The Iron Mountain shops, located at Baring Cross, were totally destroyed by fire early today. Four hundred men are thrown out of employment, and their personal loss in tools will be probably \$100,000. The shops were the largest in this section of the country, and were the main source of the Iron Mountain system. The loss will reach \$250,000.

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Hats for Men. And Tams for Children and Ladies. Our Hat Department is a busy place these days.

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Nice Colored Shirts for 25c. A sorting up of our summer stock, presenting a very big chance for economical buying—as they are suitable for wear any time of the year.

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