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London Motorists Find It Cheaper Than Gasoline at Present High Price of Latter.

Great interest has been aroused by the reference made in the London newspaper recently to the economic advantages of the utilization of coal gas as a substitute for petrol (gasoline), says that newspaper. It has been established by actual practice that 250 cubic feet of coal gas—the ordinary gas that is used for household illumination purposes—equals one gallon of petrol when applied to the work of driving a motor vehicle. If gas costs 72 cents 1,000 cubic feet it is equivalent to petrol at 18 cents a gallon, and at 96 cents 1,000 cubic feet is equivalent to the competitor at 24 cents a gallon. As petrol cannot be bought today for commercial purposes at under 48 to 58 cents a gallon, it will be seen how great is the economy effected. So far as the alterations rendered necessary to the engine of a motor vehicle are concerned, the only additional expenditure is about $3.00, and the gas bag container for the storing of the vapor costs $75. Thus, for the expenditure of $78.00, an ordinary petrol using motor vehicle of any description can be converted into a gas driven one, and the driving expenses reduced enormously.

Teamster's Life Saved.

WRITES LETTER THAT IS WORTH READING VERY CAREFULLY.

Peterson Bros.: I was afflicted with a very severe sore on my leg for years. I am a teamster. I tried all medicines and salves, but without success. I tried doctors, but they failed to cure me. I couldn't sleep for many nights from pain. Doctors said I could not live for more than two years. Finally Peterson's Ointment was recommended to me and by its use the sore was entirely healed. Thankfully yours, William Haase, West Side, Ohio, Mar. 22, 1915, care P. G. Reitz, Box 190.

Peterson says: "I am proud of the above letter and have hundreds of others that tell of wonderful cures of Eczema, Piles and Skin Diseases."

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Strong Men.

Tolstoi could lift 180 pounds with one hand, and when nearly sixty years of age he walked 130 miles in four days without fatigue.

It is told of Lincoln that he was able to lift three times as much as an ordinary man.

Foe was an athlete. Lamb and De-Quincy were both great walkers.

According to Dr. Rogers, Johnson, Tennyson, Wadsworth, Browning, Gibbon and Porson were men of great physical powers as well as great genius.

Washington was able to throw a silver dollar farther than any man in his time and covered 24 feet in the broad jump, a record which stood unequaled for a century.—Good Health Magazine.

Heroes of Canine World.

The Belgian police dogs, on account of their ability to detect and capture criminals, and the great St. Bernards, which were famous for their rescues of travelers lost in the alpine snows, were considered the greatest heros of the canine world until the present war introduced the Red Cross dogs, whose deeds of valor in front of the trenches have saved the lives of thousands of wearly wounded.—National Geographic Magazine.

Landed.

"Why did Cholly marry that girl?"

"He claims she ran after him."

"Well?"

"And he didn't know what sort of gait to adopt. Thought it would seem undignified to do a sprint."

The man who sits down and waits for fortune to come along and smile on him needs a soft cushion.

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THE NEW CORN FLAKES

Death in Life.

What we call "death" is, after all, merely the culmination, premature or natural, of the dying that is going on within us each minute. Every blow we strike, every thought we think, is accompanied by the death of a certain amount of muscular or nervous tissue. In health the "death" is followed by new life—the tissue is renewed. There is no more pain in the death of the whole physical organism than there is in the death of one cell.—London Answers.

Well Protected.

Friend—"Why do you maintain such a large office force?" Financier—"To prevent outsiders from bothering me." "But I thought that was what your executive secretary was for." "Oh, no. He is here to prevent the office force from bothering me."—Life.

Planting is Easy.

"A cornfield makes me think of good intentions," said Uncle Eben. "De plantin' is easy. De big job is keepin' de weeds out."

EXPECT EXEMPTION OF MANY

Reason Why Authorities Have Called So Many to the Colors Is Fully Explained.

Washington, July 21.—The drawing of lots is the climax of the nation's effort to build up a great military force on the principle of universal service. After the muster role is made, only the simpler tasks of examination and exemption, mobilization and training will remain. For this work long established rules can be followed, but in the steps taken heretofore the government has been forced to make a way of its own.

Already President Wilson formally has ordered to the colors 687,000 of the men for whom lots have been drawn and most of them will be in training by mid-September at 16 cantonments under construction throughout the country. To provide that many physically fit and without any insurance calling for exemption the war department will summon for examination the 1,374,000 who are found after the drawing to stand at the head of the muster roll.

If more are needed to provide a national army of 687,000 soldiers, those standing next in order will be summoned. So, too, will the choice pass on down the line when future increments are ordered to the colors by the president. Military men estimate that about every other man summoned will be exempted, and on that basis the 10,000,000 whose order of liability has been determined should yield close to 5,000,000 soldiers before the roll is exhausted.

Salt Held in Reverence.

The superstitions with regard to salt are endless. That the spilling of salt is unlucky is perhaps the commonest of all superstitious beliefs, and prevails in the kitchen as well as at the table. There are Scottish households where salt is still held in such reverence that the saltcellar used at the family table is invariably kept standing on the family Bible.