

In The World Of Easy Travel

NEWEST NOTES OF SCIENCE

By authority of the Brazilian government the railways of that country and Paraguay will be connected, providing another transcontinental line for South America.

New tiling for walls and ceilings has grooved edges that fit together and is attached by metal fasteners that enter the back of each tile, saving the use of cement.

The Russian government has ordered the creation on crown lands of reserve areas for the preservation of fur bearing animals and of birds, especially of sandal in Siberia.

A patent has been granted for a mucilage bottle with a pin valve in its top to permit its contents to be poured out in small quantities and a metal bag to spread the mucilage.

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tral stations starting their mechanism. So that an old oil lamp can be used for electric lighting an incandescent lamp socket has been patented that has a base which fits into the times that formerly held the lamp chimney.

Because some roads in Argentina have deeper dust in summer and deeper mud in winter than any others in the world, the wagons used on them have wheels from six to fifteen feet in diameter.

The handle of a fountain shaving brush patented by a New York man is hollow and can be filled with liquid soap, which is supplied to the bristles through a valve operated by a button.

The government is encouraging experiments in France with a device to protect against hail, essentially a large lighting rod of pure copper which is said so to affect atmospheric electricity that hailstones cannot form.

Berlin scientists have found that yeast, beside being useful in bread and beer, can be made to produce flavoring extracts, a muscle building tonic and a non-inflammable substitute for celluloid.

A large railroad which has electrified its New York terminus has put into service an electrically driven wrecking outfit which takes current from the third rail that supplies it to locomotives.

Specialists of the department of agriculture, searching for new plants in South America, have learned that the navel orange, now so largely grown in the United States, originated nearly a century ago near Bahia, Brazil.

The government of Brazil has begun work on an extensive system of reservoirs to enable the residents of

its northeastern states to get water in long dry seasons, which frequently occur.

The bureau of standards has found that better glass melting pots can be made of clays found in the United States than of clays imported from Germany, heretofore considered necessary.

The production of fuel briquettes in the United States last year exceeded 295,000 tons and was the greatest on record, being an increase of 33 per cent from the year before.

Experiments in France have shown that wireless waves travel over land with almost the speed of light and efforts are being made to learn if the speed over the ocean is the same.

Five and a half tons of coal are burned annually in the United States for each undeveloped horsepower available in the streams of the nation.

One of the new laundry machines can be used in a bathroom, being supplied with water through hose from the wash stand and emptying into the closet.

On the face of new watches appears an additional dial with a single hand to indicate how tightly their main springs are wound and prevent overwinding.

Work has been begun in Australia on a system of locks and weirs that will make the Murray river navigable far inland and supply irrigation to about 1,500,000 acres of land.

Helpful Hints.

A cracked water-jacket is not as serious trouble as one might imagine. The cylinder should be removed and the inside examined to make sure that there is no leak into the cylinder. If there is, that must be repaired also. If not, the leak in the water jacket can be welded and the casting made serviceable again. If you wish to experiment before having the above repair made, try rusting the edges together. Make a strong solution of sal-ammonia in water and pour into water-jacket. As it works out through the leak it fills it with rust and so gradually closes it up.

Never neglect a leak of gasoline, even if it is slight. The collected vapor accumulates and damaging fire may result. If tightening the joint doesn't stop the leak, rub soap in the threads. If the carburetor catches fire do not give way to panic. Shut off the gasoline to the tank and start the motor if possible. A self-starter is useful here, but one should spin it by hand if necessary. This draws the flame into the carburetor, where it will do no harm. Water from the radiator may be thrown on burning woodwork, but never throw water on a pool of burning gasoline on the floor, as it only spreads the fire.

The edges of the rails wear away the tread rubber and cause a sharp bending action of the fabric, which will usually develop breaks inside. It is just a matter of time until the rubber cover loosens underneath and the fabric weakens from moisture and decay.

Be careful when driving on wet rails; quick twisting of the front wheels may result in accident from the rear of the car skidding sideways when leaving the rails.

Punctures through the tread and fabric of the casing should receive prompt attention at all times of the year, and more particularly in winter.

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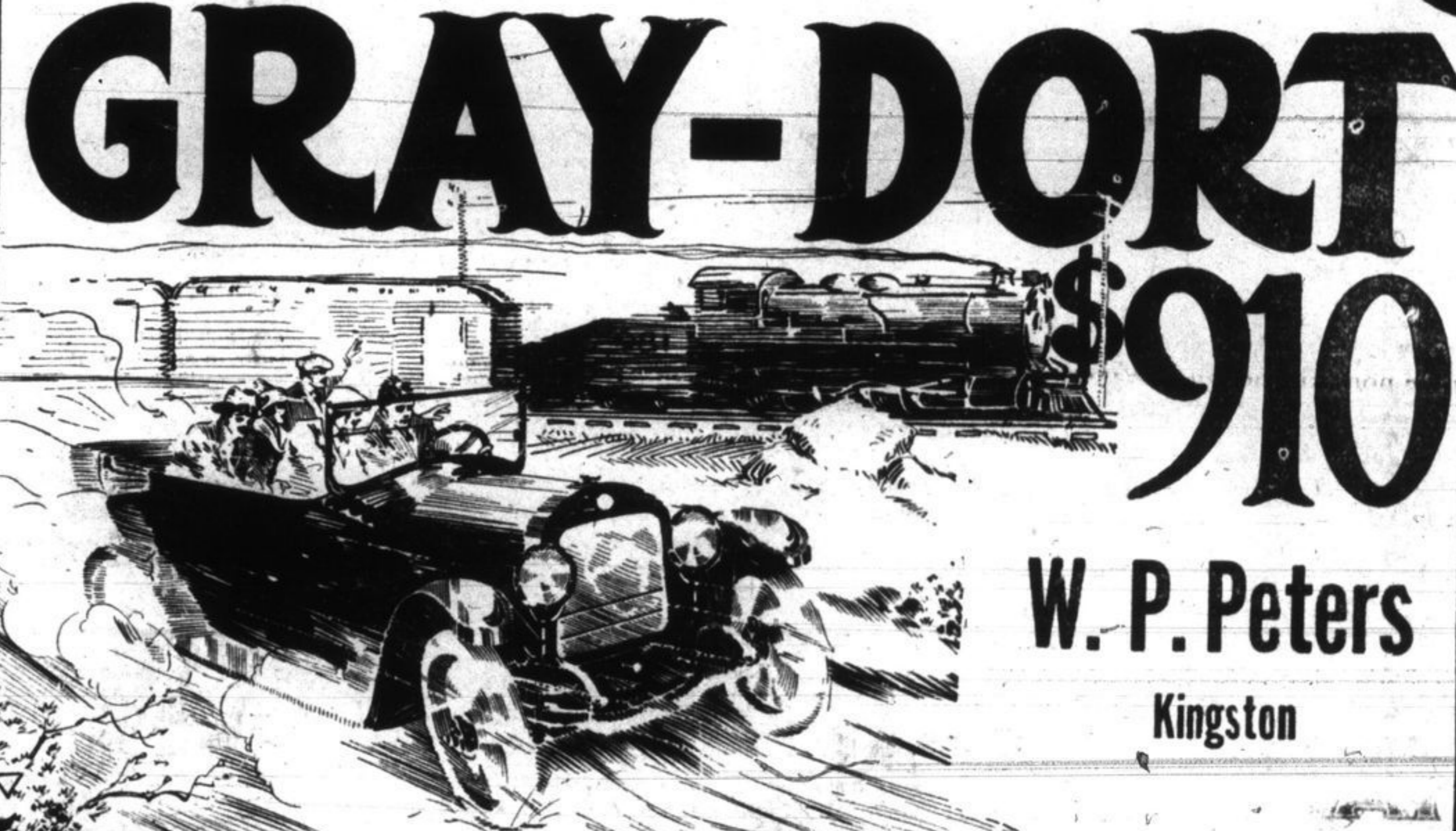
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LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

Montreal
Montreal, May 11.—Butcher steers Choice \$12.25 to \$12.50; good \$11.50 to \$11.75; medium \$10.50 to \$11.00 for choice; good \$10.75 to \$11.00 for medium; \$8.50 to \$9.75 for cwt. Sheep \$9.00 to \$12 and spring lambs \$20 to \$25 cwt.

Chicago
Chicago, May 11.—Cattle—Receipts, 2,500; market steady; native beef cattle, \$8.90 to \$13.30; stockers and feeders, \$2.15 to \$10.00; cows and heifers, \$6.25 to \$11.10; calves, \$8.75 to \$13.25.

Buffalo
East Buffalo, N.Y., May 11.—Cattle—Receipts, 2,800; market steady; shipping steers, \$9.50 to \$12.50; butchers, \$8.50 to \$11.50; heifers, \$7.50 to \$11.50; cows, \$5.75 to \$10.00; stockers and feeders, \$7.50 to \$9.50; springers, active, \$50 to \$125.

GRAIN QUOTATIONS.

Toronto
Toronto, May 11.—Manitoba wheat No. 1 northern, \$3.00; No. 2, \$2.97; No. 3, \$2.92; No. 4, \$2.80, track, bay ports.

Winnipeg
Winnipeg, May 11.—Wheat—No. 1 Northern, \$2.86; No. 2 Northern, \$2.83; No. 3 Northern, \$2.78; No. 4, \$2.66; No. 5, \$2.41; No. 6, \$2.11; feed, \$1.40.

Minneapolis
Minneapolis, May 11.—Wheat—May, \$2.80; July, \$2.37 to \$2.53; cash, No. 1, hard, \$3.08 to \$3.10;

GENERAL TRADE.

Butter
Butter sold on Saturday's farmers' markets over Ontario, with wider range both ways, at from 32c to 50c per pound, as follows: Belleville, 42c to 50c; Brantford, 43c to 45c; Cobourg, 42c to 43c; Chatham, 45c to 48c; Kitchener, 42c to 45c; London, 43c to 47c; Owen Sound, 32c to 35c; Peterboro, 40c to 48c; Port Hope, 42c; St. Thomas, 44c to 45c; Stratford, 40c to 43c; Woodstock, 48c to 45c.

Eggs
Belleville, 34c to 36c; Brantford, 31c to 35c; Cobourg, 31c; Chatham, 34c; Kitchener, 30c to 32c; London, 34c to 35c; Owen Sound, 25c to 30c; Peterboro, 33c to 35c; Port Hope, 32c; St. Thomas, 32c to 35c; Stratford, 32c to 35c; and Woodstock, 32c to 34c.

Spring Chickens
Belleville, 20c to 25c per pound; Brantford, 22c; Cobourg, 25c; Kitchener, 28c to 30c; Owen Sound, 28c to 30c; Peterboro, 20c to 25c;

Wheat

No. 1 northern, \$2.94 to \$3.00; No. 2 northern, \$2.82 to \$3.00; Corn—No. 3 yellow, \$1.54 1/2 to \$1.56; Oats—No. 3 white, 69 1/2 to 70 1/2 c.

New York
New York, May 11.—Flour strong; Spring patents, \$13.90 to \$14.15; Winter patents, \$14.05 to \$14.30; Kansas straight, \$14.25 to \$14.65; Rye flour firm; fair to good, \$11.00 to \$11.50.

Chicago
Chicago, May 11.—Wheat—No. 2 red, \$3.11; No. 3 red, \$3.05; No. 2 hard, \$3.09; No. 3 hard, nominal; Corn—No. 2 yellow, \$1.59 to \$1.61; No. 3 yellow, \$1.58 to \$1.60; No. 4 yellow, \$1.58; Oats—No. 3 white, 70 1/2 to 71 1/2 c; standard, 70 1/2 c.

Wheat

Belleville, \$2.40; Brantford, \$2.60; Cobourg, \$2.50; Chatham, \$2.40; Kitchener, \$2.75; London, \$2.40; Owen Sound, \$2.75; Port Hope, \$2.50; St. Thomas, \$2.50 to \$2.60; Stratford, \$2.75; and Woodstock, \$2.25.

Barley
Belleville, \$1.10; Brantford, \$1.05 to \$1.10; Cobourg, \$1.30; Chatham, \$1.10 to \$1.20; Kitchener, \$1.20; Owen Sound, \$1.25; Peterboro, \$1.15; Port Hope, \$1.15; St. Thomas, \$1.50; Stratford, \$1 to \$1.10; and Woodstock, 90c.

Oats
Belleville, 75c; Brantford, 60c; Cobourg, 75c to 80c; Chatham, 60c to 80c; Kitchener, 75c; London, 78c to 80c; Owen Sound, 88c; Peterboro, 75c; Port Hope, 75c; St. Thomas, 90c to 95c; Stratford, 79c; Woodstock, 85c.

Fruit

Apples, peck, 40; Bananas, doz., 25; Celery, bunch, 10; Cocoanuts, each, 10; Cucumber, box, 5; Cranberries, qt., 10; Dates, lb., 15; Grapefruit, each, 68; Lemons, doz., 25; Lettuce, head, 5; Oranges, doz., 20; Pineapple, each, 25; Raspberries, bunch, 5; Strawberries, box, 25; Tomatoes, lb., 20.

Vegetables
Apples, bbl., 3.00; Carrots, bush, 2.00; Celery, bunch, 10; Lettuce, bunch, 8; Parsnips, bush, 2.00; Potatoes, pk., 80; Onions, dried, bus., 5.00; Onions, green, bun., 19; Turnips, bush, 1.25.

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Poultry

Chickens, dressed, lb., 20; Chickens, live, lb., 25; Hens, dressed, lb., 25; Hens, live, lb., 20; Turkeys, lb., 30.

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