

BUILDERS SAY SHOWS INAUGURAL OF PROSPEROUS ERA

Optimism Is Keynote of Annual Exhibit, Which Is "Bigger and Better Than Ever."

Optimism is the keynote of the automobile show now being held under the auspices of the Philadelphia Automobile Trade Association in the Metropolitan Building, Broad and Wallace streets.

Manufacturers, dealers and others interested in the industry are confident that the future has great things in store, and they are not a bit worried about what the year 1915 will bring.

When the show was talked of for this year there were a number of the members of the association did not believe such a show would be successful in view of the reported "hard times."

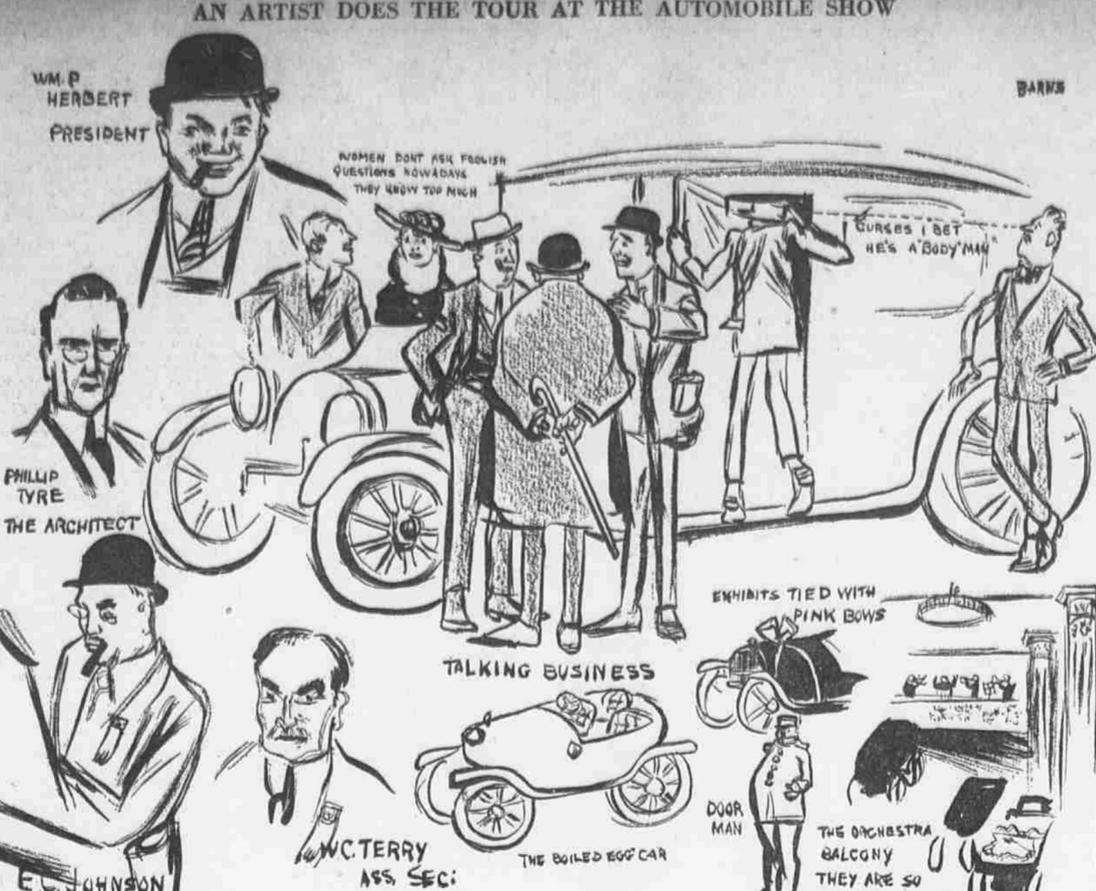
Automobile manufacturers are certain the year 1915 will be one unprecedented so far as output is concerned. The estimated production for the current year on a conservative estimate is \$75,000 cars.

Some of the attractive cars which were on exhibit at the New York Show were placed this morning, and by nightfall all of the exhibits are expected to be in place.

There are 60 exhibits and five accessory exhibitors at this year's affair. The cost of the cars is fixed at about \$1,000,000. The lowest priced car in the Metropolitan building is while the most elaborate will cost \$600.

It is this feature of the salon which attracts so much attention on the part of those motorists who own high-grade motor cars. They recognize the value of the service they receive from their cars depends largely upon the excellence of the design and construction of the chassis, the appearance, convenience and comfort is a matter of course.

It is for this reason that it is now generally the custom for high-grade chassis and bodies to be bought separately. The purchaser, after selecting the chassis, consults with the designers employed by the body-builders as to the style of body desired.



and the present show is serving to prove that the Yankee product is in every way the equal if not the superior of the best work produced by the Europeans.

Today marks the second day of the automobile show. The big affair was formally opened Saturday night at 8 o'clock, and if the crowds that night are indicative of what is to follow, the association need not worry about the success from this viewpoint.

Wool Embargo Denied England Will Not Replace Ban Unless Conditions Are Violated.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 11.—Sensational stories that Great Britain had threatened to replace its embargo on shipments of Australian wool to this country were denied with emphasis today by State Department officials.

OHIO HAS NEW GOVERNOR Frank B. Willis Installed as Executive of Buckeye State.

COLUMBUS, Jan. 11.—Frank B. Willis was inaugurated today as the forty-fourth Governor of Ohio. Immediately after Chief Justice Nichols, of the Ohio Supreme Court, administered the oath of office the Governor's salute of 17 guns was fired.

TO SAVE NATION'S FORESTS H. S. Graves Declares Interest Plot for Private Control.

NEW YORK, Jan. 11.—Henry S. Graves, chief forester of the Department of Agriculture, today accused the interests opposed to public control of national resources of trying to wreck the forestry system by a "whittling-down" process, to get public property into private hands.

SONGS WON BELGIAN FUND Mme. Calve Raised \$1000 for War Sufferers.

NEW YORK, Jan. 11.—Madame Calve, who for many years a prima donna at the Metropolitan Opera House, and who was the most noted of all singers of the role of Carmen, arrived here yesterday from France, happy that she was able to announce the addition of \$1000 to the fund for the relief of sufferers in Belgium.

DENIES HAMPERING EXPORTS British Embassy Disclaims Restrictions on Goods for Switzerland.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 11.—Reports that Great Britain was hampering the exportation of American goods to Switzerland brought out a denial from the British Embassy today. It follows: "It is understood that certain American and Italian shipping lines are refusing to carry goods consigned by name to Swiss firms, and that this refusal has been attributed in some quarters to some suggestion of action on the part of the British authorities."

TRENTON POTTERS STRIKE AT 'MADE IN PITTSBURGH' GOODS

Rise in Revolt on Hearing New Jersey Wares Were Not Used in State's Exposition Building.

TRENTON, Jan. 11.—Members of Trenton's Chamber of Commerce, which has spent thousands of dollars in booming "Made in Trenton" products, are up in arms because "Made in Pittsburgh" is plastered all over the bathtub, plumbing and rest-room fittings of the special building erected at a cost of more than \$50,000 on the site of the Panama-Pacific Exposition grounds at San Francisco, where New Jersey's resources are to be housed.

CUPID BUSY THIS WEEK Marriage License Bureau at Elkton Visited by Many Elopers.

ELKTON, Md., Jan. 11.—Cupid is very busy this week, as the following marriage licenses issued today at the County Court Office in Elkton will attest: A. Wood Coulter and Clara M. Ashton, Amos Baker and Mary Robson, Edward C. Faber and Estella C. White, Graciano Bakard and Lillian Bottomley, John J. Hughes and Luella M. Pfanger and George L. Hirth and Mary E. Wenner, all of Philadelphia; Howard M. McClure and Ella J. Woodward, Media; George E. Martin and Catherine Delaney, Pottsville; Harold C. Northcote and Esther M. Seltzer, Reading; John L. Pine and Blanche N. Albright, Coatesville; James L. Sullivan and Martha P. Hoener, Trenton, N. J.; James A. Morgan and Alma Ridgeway, Penningsville, N. J.; James B. Frazier and Mary M. Covey, Camden, N. J., and John F. Castleton, Havre de Grace, and Lida M. Veney, North East, Md.

RUG THIEF GETS 18 MONTHS Other Offenders Receive Various Sentences in Quarter Sessions.

Judge Sulzberger, in Quarter Sessions Court, today imposed a sentence of 18 months in the County Prison on Harry F. Walker, who pleaded guilty to the larceny of two rugs. Robert Scanlon, who was convicted of the larceny of a crate containing 15 live chickens, was sentenced to six months in the County Prison.

CONSTABLE LIEBER SUE Attorney Declares He Fired Recklessly and Wounded Child.

A civil suit for \$20,000 was brought today in behalf of Maria Cuneo, the eight-year-old child of Anthony T. Cuneo, who, it is said, fell a victim to the alleged reckless firing of a revolver by Max D. Lieber, a constable in Magistrate MacFarland's office, on December 29 last. John J. Eickoff, representing the little girl and her father, went before Judge Davis in Court No. 3 and obtained a capias which demands that the constable enter bail in the sum of \$500.

Killed His Wife and Baby MUNCIE, Ind., Jan. 11.—Web Matthews, a teamster, residing in Whitley, a suburb of Muncie, early this morning killed his wife and year-old babe, then cut his own throat. He is in a local hospital and will probably die.

Mother and Five Children Burned IRONTON, O., Jan. 11.—Mrs. Jennie Duff and her five children, the oldest a girl of 12, were burned to death in their farmhouse home, east of here, early Sunday. It was learned today.

BRUSSELS CONSUL HOME Ethelbert Watts Returns to U. S. on Sick Leave.

NEW YORK SUBWAY AGAIN BLOCKED BY BLAZING CAR

Short Circuit Ignites Wooden "Coffin"—Fifth Accident in Week.

NEW YORK, Jan. 11.—Another of the wooden "coffin cars" operated on the subway system caught fire this morning and blocked traffic on the West Farms branch at 163d street and Westchester avenue for about two hours. The blaze, caused by a short circuit, started at a point where the tracks are elevated high in the air. Had the same thing happened in the tunnel, loss of life and injury to passengers doubtless would have occurred.

AIM FROM ANY ANGLE. The gun can be readily aligned for aiming at any angle from level to vertical, its muzzles describing a quadrant of the azimuth circle.

HOW BOMBS IGNITE. The desired effect is for the chain when meeting the resistance presented by the aircraft's structure to whirl the heavy projectiles on the chain's ends around the body of the flying craft, crumpling its structure and wings; or the envelopes, inner skins and ribs of the balloons, if the craft be a lighter-than-air flying machine.

FAIL TO FLOAT RELIEF SHIP Half of Forward Part of Steamship John Hardie Is Ashore.

BALTIMORE, Jan. 11.—Two wrecking tugs have been unable to float the Maryland Belgian relief ship John Hardie, which was stranded near the mouth of Back River, Virginia, Friday night, although a portion of her cargo has been removed. According to reports, almost half of the forward part of the steamer is ashore. Another attempt to float the ship will be made at the next high tide.

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LLEWELLYN'S Philadelphia's Standard Drug Store 1117 CHESTNUT STREET Open Every Day and Evening

NEW CHAIN GUN TO WRECK AIRSHIP MADE IN NEW YORK

Inventor Declares Double-Barreled Field Piece Fires Connected Projectiles Which Crumple Aircraft.

NEW YORK, Jan. 11.—A double-barreled field piece, which fires two projectiles connected with a powerful chain, and which the inventor believes will prove to be one of the most effective engines of warfare, has been patented in Washington by Julius Wodiska, of this city, who describes his double-barreled piece of ordnance as "a certain new and useful improvement in guns and chain shot."

WOMAN VARIES BIGAMY RECORD WITH CAROUSE Police Recognize Prisoner Taken in Raid as an Old Acquaintance.

ALLENTOWN, Pa., Jan. 11.—Jennie Schwoyer, whose numerous marriages have placed her in the limelight on former occasions, is again there, this time for general disorderliness and conduct unbecoming a woman. Missions of the law raided a party of roysterers, and when they were thrust into jail the authorities recognized Mrs. Schwoyer as an old acquaintance.

K. OF C. TO PROSECUTE Commission Will Investigate Anti-Roman Catholic Publications.

Publications in Philadelphia and throughout the country which publish anti-Roman Catholic matter will be investigated and prosecuted if necessary by a commission, which has been appointed for the purpose by the Supreme Council of the Knights of Columbus in St. Paul, Minn. The organization has appropriated \$50,000 to cover the cost of the work. The commission will meet March 6 and report.

COL. JOHN F. MARSH SPRINGFIELD, Mass., Jan. 11.—Colonel John F. Marsh, 84 years old, a veteran of the Mexican war, an officer in the Sixth Wisconsin Regiment and late lieutenant colonel of the Twelfth New Hampshire Regiment of the Civil war, died here yesterday. He served in both houses of the Massachusetts Legislature.

WILMINGTON CLUBWOMEN TO CELEBRATE ANNIVERSARY Lady Gregory Speaker at New Century's Twenty-sixth Birthday.

WILMINGTON, Del., Jan. 11.—Women prominent in club work from all parts of Delaware and the surrounding section will be present on Wednesday when the New Century Club, the oldest and largest women's club in the State, will celebrate its 26th anniversary with elaborate exercises. The occasion will also be notable for the reason that Lady Augusta Gregory, who first brought the Irish Players to this country, will be the guest of honor and will speak on "Ireland and World's Unseen." The program will include a musical entertainment in charge of Miss Emma Lore, vocalist and harpist, and a member of the club.

REPUBLICANS CONTROL FOR FIRST TIME SINCE WILSON'S ENTRY INTO POLITICS—GOVERNOR A DEMOCRAT.

TRENTON, Jan. 11.—The New Jersey Legislature will convene for its 123rd annual session tomorrow at noon. After organization, reading of Governor Fielder's message, adoption of rules and the appointment of legislative committees, adjournment will be taken for a week to give time for the preparation of a good number of bills.

TO PROBE NIGHT RIDERS' RAIDS At Least 40 Indictments Looked for in Kentucky.

MUNFORDVILLE, Ky., Jan. 11.—Night riders' raids, which have been prevalent in this section for the last five months, are under investigation by a special unit of the Circuit Court, which opened today.

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CHILDREN'S CORNER The Three Goldfishes

THREE goldfishes lived in a fish bowl on the living room table. There was the great big goldfish with a long frilly tail that floated after him, like a fairy robe of softest chiffon. He trailed his tail and thought he owned the whole fish bowl.

Then there was the middle-sized fish. He tall would have been thought very lovely but for the comparison with the biggest goldfish's tail—a comparison which was far from flattering to the middle-sized fish.

The littlest fish of all was the favorite of the family who owned them. He had so little a tail that it never bothered him the shape of a castle. The fishes liked that and played around and over the shells.