

Development Proves Oklahoma Largest Producer of High-Grade Petroleum

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dropped to 2,000 barrels the following day. It belonged to the Creek County Oil & Gas Co.

Oklmulgee Among Leaders.
One of the best producing localities in Oklahoma lies within the boundaries of Okmulgee county, and when the history of the state is written this county will be found at the top with the leaders. For many years it has shown wells of various sizes, with many different pay sands, and while it has not furnished wells like Cushing, Bristow, Cleveland, Shiloh and the Osage, it can be counted with the best. Operations in this county date back to the early stages of the pioneer development of the state and hardly a year has passed that failed to add interesting facts to petroleum history. The county boasts of numerous pools where the big wells have been struck, with the best ones in the Bald Hill, Henryetta, Boggs, Morris, Youngstown, Booch sand, Schuler, Hamilton Switch, Tiger Flats and Okmulgee districts. Tiger Flats and Wells of the 1,000 and 2,000-barrel sizes are too numerous to mention in the review of this wonderful county. The Booch sand was one of the most prolific of the state; in fact, nearly every locality at one time or another showed large wells, but the largest to be completed that is of record was a 2,000-barrel well. The Wilcox and Dutchman sands have been the ones to show good wells of late, with the first named the most stable, as the Dutchman proved quite flabby.



HAROLD G. FOSTER.

Harold G. Foster, youngest son of Willard Foster, well-known oil operator and head of the Tulsa Oxy-Hydro company. Although a beginner in the oil industry, he is giving promise of following closely in the footsteps of his brilliant and successful father.

HOW TO SAVE GASOLINE

Bureau of Public Roads Gives the Results of Auto Tests.

Here is a suggestion to motorists for the saving of gasoline which may be small in quantity for a single day's drive, but which will be worth while in a year's driving. The common practice of waiting to shift gears on hills until the car has almost come to a stop is one of the causes of waste of small amounts of gasoline each time. According to the bureau of public roads, this fact is shown by tests conducted by Prof. T. R. Age of Iowa State college in co-operation with the bureau under the auspices of the national research council.

The tests were made primarily to discover the effect of various kinds of highway surfacing material and different grades on gasoline consumption. The conclusion with reference to faulty driving is merely incidental to the tests, but it is one which will mean a small saving to every man who drives a car if the advice of the bureau is heeded.

The vehicles used in the tests were equipped with an ingenious device which makes a continuous record of the gasoline consumed as the vehicle moves over the road, and another which makes a simultaneous record of the speed at every instant. The specially equipped vehicles, both trucks and lighter automobiles, were driven over the various sec-

tion taking the gasoline consumption records and the speed records. The bureau offers this advice: "In ascending a hill don't wait until the last second to shift to a lower gear. If you do you will not only lose speed and overtax your engine, but you will also consume more gasoline."

With more knowledge concerning economic driving, a considerable reduction can be made in the 4,000,000,000 gallons of gasoline consumed each year, it is pointed out.

Harmony.
Although John and his wife had been married about 20 years, it was said about town that they had never been known to agree upon anything—except once. John bought a car and in due course learned to run it—in a way. So he invited Mrs. John for her first ride. All went merrily for exactly two city blocks, when John decided to turn a corner.

"John," screamed his wife, grasping his arm, "you're going to hit that pole!"

"I know it," said John, and he did.

A residence heating stove that has been designed to burn sawdust or low-grade coal is fed by packing the fuel in containers so constructed that there is a draft through its center.

FOODS MUST COME UP TO PURE TEST

Swedish Housewives Back Government in Move to Improve Food

By the Associated Press.
STOCKHOLM, Dec. 28.—A hall-mark of purity and excellence on goods for home consumption has been established by the Swedish National Housewives' association, according to Mrs. Agnes Ingelman, president of the association. Mrs. Ingelman states that the association for years has been working to secure the best merchandise for the home, subjecting different products offered to scientific purity and quality tests. The government testing bureau, as well as the domestic science school at Upsala, have now placed themselves at the disposal of the association.

This guarantee mark on household provisions, groceries, and supplies will be granted only to those manufacturers whose goods pass the tests, and on condition that they place this mark on all their goods guaranteed thereunder. Periodically the goods are subjected to new tests to ascertain whether the standard is being kept up. In case the merchandise proves to have deteriorated the manufacturer is immediately notified, and if he then fails to bring the goods up to specifications his right to use the guarantee mark of the association is canceled, and the fact that he has been deprived of this privilege is published. The officials of the Swedish association are aware of a similar activity in America under the name of the Potentia movement, and they have entered into correspondence with those back of this movement in America.

HAIR GROWS RAPIDLY

In Fingers of Babies, but Those of Adults Are Slower.

PARIS, Dec. 21.—One reason why man's hair grows so slowly is shown by statistics compiled by Professor Dufour, of Switzerland, whose life study has been the culture of the human nail.

According to Professor Dufour's report the average man 60 years old has cut, during his life, more than 37 yards of nail!

Children's nails grow more rapidly than do those of adults, and thumb-nails more rapidly than little fingernails. The growth of an average middle-aged nail is a millimeter every 10 days. When a man is 30 years old, nails do not grow too rapidly, and when he is 60 they grow scarcely at all.

Filbert or curved nails denote an artistic temperament, and blunt, square nails a mechanical one—unless the owner happens to be a typist, in which case her nails probably are blunted by her work.

Filbert nails often denote delicate health and a short life. Coarse, ungainly nails are generally found on sexagenarians.

A prominent lecturer asks: "How much shall we tell our daughters? But the real question seems to be: How much will our daughters tell us?"

Rice Community Hard Hit by Long Drought
By the Associated Press.
FUKUOKA, Japan, Dec. 25.—While the great majority of the farmers of Japan have had a prosperous year with bountiful crops, those in Aaigen, Shiga prefecture, in the center of which is Lake Biwa, have been impoverished, the long drought having destroyed their crops. On 2,000 of the 6,500 holdings in the district not a grain of rice came to maturity. Many of the tenants are moving to the cities.

Silk Factories May Be Forced to Close Down

SHIMOSUWA, Japan, Dec. 25. Many of the silk factories in the Lake Suwa region, where the finest grades of silk are manufactured, are threatening to close down before the end of the year owing to the dullness of the silk trade. If this threat should be carried out it would affect not only the 20,000 women reapers, but practically the whole community, which is engaged in one way or another in the industry.

from Ocean to Ocean



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