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Motor Fuel is Real Problem

Temporary Gasoline Excess Now Does Not Solve the Question for the Future.

UNMINED RESERVE LIMITED

If Oil Was Extracted From Ground at Rate Equal to That of 1920 the Reserve Would Only Last 13 Years.

By E. H. LESLIE, Associate Professor of Chemical Engineering, University of Michigan.

At present petroleum is being produced faster than it is used, and stocks of gasoline are increasing. Crude oil produced in Oklahoma has dropped in price from \$3.50 to \$1.00 per barrel, and the price of gasoline has been lowered several cents per gallon. But one should not be misled by the present situation, which is only a part of the business cycle through which we are passing. It is a peculiarity of the oil-producing business that the drilling of new wells reaches a maximum at the crest, or even after the crest, or the wave of prosperity. The result is an overproduction of crude oil in the time of depression. Prices drop, profits vanish, and new drilling stops. But within a year or two the pendulum swings the other way, and again there is a scarcity of oil due to the interruption of drilling in the time of depression. This cycle of events would take place even if there were an endless supply of crude oil underground.

Real Fuel Problem. The real motor fuel problem is not concerned with the swings of the business pendulum, although the present abundance of fuel is pointed to by superficial critics as showing how wrong have been the predictions of the scientists that have warned us of a future shortage.

The problem arises in part through the fact that the underground reserve of petroleum is limited. At present the unmined reserve of the United States is only about 5,800,000,000 barrels. Were this oil to be extracted from the ground at a rate equal to that of the year 1920, a feat that is quite out of the question from a practical standpoint, the reserve would only last 13 years. It is thus evident, however, that after a few years we must expect

a decline in the domestic production of petroleum.

On the other hand, the use of automobiles, tractors, trucks and gasoline engines is becoming more general. Today the total number of registered motor vehicles is over nine millions, an almost unbelievable increase in the short period of 25 years. What is more, the number is still growing, and will probably exceed 13,000,000 within a few years.

Where are we to get the fuel to run this vast number of cars? The quality of market gasoline will not change greatly in the next few years, at least not until the automotive engineers perfect devices that will handle heavier and less volatile gasoline satisfactorily.

In spite of the fact that for several years the United States has produced two-thirds of the world's oil, we have recently been dependent upon foreign sources of supply of crude oil. Eighty per cent of the world's oil is consumed in this country. In 1920 our imports were 110,000,000 barrels, or 25 per cent of our domestic production. This oil came largely from Mexico. As the years pass, the United States will become more and more dependent upon imports of petroleum. This will mean higher prices and therefore necessitate more efficient utilization once the oil is in this country.

Other Sources of Fuel. What other possible sources of fuel are there? Much has been heard of shale oil and of alcohol. Neither of these commodities will be important as motor fuels until many far-reaching developments have taken place. The development of a shale oil industry on a scale sufficient to furnish large quantities of motor fuel is an undertaking

Green Apples Saved Boy Run Over by Automobile

Green apples saved Charles Mabley, twelve years old, of Duncanville, Pa., from serious injury, if not from death, when a good-luck horseshoe led him into danger.

The boy spied the horseshoe in the road, darted out to get it, and was struck by an automobile driven by Harry Bowman, chief of police of Holidaysburg, Pa.

Mabley was dragged some distance and then let go, one wheel passing over his body. He had half a peck of green apples in his shirt which acted as a cushion and saved him from serious harm.

comparable to the creation of the whole coal mining industry of today. And to produce alcohol we must first have available suitable raw material. It is quite out of the question to make large quantities of fuel alcohol from food materials, such as grain and potatoes. Possibly wood may be the future source of alcohol, and reforestation of waste areas the means of supplying the wood.

Lastly, it is probable that necessity will be the mother of invention in methods of utilizing fuels. Present engines and devices for carburetion will be modified in such a way that where we now drive a car 10 to 20 miles on a gallon of gasoline, we shall later be satisfied only with 20 to 40 miles. The chemist will be called upon to study what happens within the engine cylinders and to find means of producing more salutary results.

Let us not allow the momentary oversupply of gasoline to blind us to the real situation. The co-operation of scientists, commercial interests, public and government is needed for the successful solution of the problem.

Exact Copy of Wrapper.

Children Cry For Fletcher's CASTORIA

Special Care of Baby.

That Baby should have a bed of its own all are agreed. Yet it is more reasonable for an infant to sleep with grown-ups than to use a man's medicine in an attempt to regulate the delicate organism of that same infant. Either practice is to be shunned. Neither would be tolerated by specialists in children's diseases.

Your Physician will tell you that Baby's medicine must be prepared with even greater care than Baby's food.

A Baby's stomach when in good health is too often disarranged by improper food. Could you for a moment, then, think of giving to your ailing child anything but a medicine especially prepared for Infants and Children? Don't be deceived.

Make a mental note of this:—It is important, Mothers, that you should remember that to function well, the digestive organs of your Baby must receive special care. No Baby is so abnormal that the desired results may be had from the use of medicines primarily prepared for grown-ups.

MOTHERS SHOULD READ THE BOOKLET THAT IS AROUND EVERY BOTTLE OF FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

GENUINE CASTORIA ALWAYS

Bears the Signature of

THE CENTAUR COMPANY, NEW YORK CITY

PASSION PLAY TO BE REVIVED

Oberammergau Committee Plans to Put on Thirty Performances of Great Spectacle.

MANY PARTS TO BE GIVEN OUT

Some Who Played Leading Roles in Last Production Are Disqualified by Age or for Other Reasons—Lang to Be Christ.

Oberammergau, Bavaria.—Thirty performances of the Passion Play have been scheduled for 1922 by the committee of twenty-one which is directing the spectacle, but this number will be increased if the attendance demands, as was the case both in 1900 and 1910.

It will require an outlay of 1,500,000 marks to stage the Oberammergau play and the villagers are extremely anxious about the German political situation lest conditions be such that foreigners will not attend.

The 300 burghers, who constitute the descendants of the original peasants who made the vow to produce the play decennially, personally assume the responsibility for this expenditure, and the failure to attract sufficient visitors to meet the cost would result in the bankruptcy of practically the entire

village, as the Oberammergau folk have slight resources.

Most of the burghers are wood-carvers, potters, painters, sculptors, farmers, merchants and small shopkeepers. Only the descendants of the villagers who were saved from the plague in 1333 take part in the Passion Play and assume responsibility for its production.

Next October will be a fateful month for then the names of the villagers who are to have the leading roles in the spectacle will be announced.

To be selected to enact the role of Jesus Christ or one of the apostles is a far greater honor to an Oberammergau man than election to the Presidency of Germany or any other office within the gift of the entire German people.

And any woman of Oberammergau would far rather be chosen to play the role of Mary or Martha or Mary Magdalene than to be in the position of Frau Ebert as mistress of the President's palace in Berlin.

Many of the actors in the Passion Play next year will doubtless be the same as those in the past when the play was last produced in 1910. Anton Lang, who enacted the role of Jesus Christ in 1900 and 1910, will probably be chosen for the part again, as he is still young enough to undertake the arduous task and looks the part so well that younger aspirants are not likely to displace him.

Candidates for "Mary." Ottilie Zwink, who played the role of Mary in 1910, has married since that time. No married woman can play a role. Consequently all the young women of Oberammergau with ability and experience as actresses are eagerly trying to qualify for the highly important part. Paula Redl, daughter of Peter Redl, the sculptor, who was Joseph of Arimathea in the play of 1910 and enacted the role of St. John twenty-one years ago, is one of the most promising candidates for the role of Mary. Fraulein Redl has shown great ability in minor religious plays, which are produced constantly by the Oberammergau folk as a means of training actors for the Passion Play.

Marie Mayr, who played the role of Mary Magdalene in the 1910 production, also has married and is living in Chicago. Marie Schmid, who was the Veronica in the last production, also has married.

Eighty-two of the Oberammergau men died during the war, and many of the older actors of the last production will be disqualified by age for important roles. Consequently there are scores of places in the cast to which young men with ability as actors may aspire. They have begun to let hair grow. Wigs and makeup are not permitted by the directors of the Passion Play.

Practically all the older men who had important parts in the last production have never cut their hair. Many of them have retained their long beards and pride themselves on their resemblance to the biblical characters they have depicted.

Stray Baggage Always Has Most Valuables.

New York.—"Every trunk that's lost contains diamonds, necklaces and all that," said the baggage man at the Grand Central terminal. "That is, they're supposed to. Anxious passengers whose trunks have been sidetracked tell us of all the wonderful things they contain. But the funny thing is that when the trunks are finally located it's usually found that dresses, shirts and things of that nature were about all that were in them after all. Many of those who reclaim their stray trunks tell us so themselves. Examination proves it in other cases. It just goes to show that the loser always exaggerates his losses."

Gen. Pershing Decorates Stubby



Stubby, a brindie Boston bull terrier, in the office of General Pershing just after the commander-in-chief of American forces in Europe during the war had decorated him as a wounded hero. Stubby, who is the property of J. Robert Conroy of Washington, has been designated the official mascot of the A. E. F. He participated in seventeen engagements with the Twenty-sixth division, receiving a shrapnel wound in the battle of Seichprey. The medal was of gold and the gift of the Humane Education society. Stubby wears many other decorations.

Editors Get Day Off. Rio de Janeiro.—Work in newspaper offices in Rio de Janeiro between eight o'clock Sunday morning and eight o'clock Monday morning is prohibited under the provisions of an act passed by the municipal council.

"My beau he is particular, About the way I'm dressed, So Maggie uses Faultless Starch, So I can look my best."

FAULTLESS STARCH

Nothing Left. Ralph—How about that £1,000,000 will case? Gerald—Oh, they settled that to the satisfaction of the lawyers on both sides. "Ah! Anybody else get anything?"—London Answers.

Shave With Cuticura Soap. And double your razor efficiency as well as promote skin purity, skin comfort and skin health. No mug, no slimy soap, no germs, no waste, no irritation even when shaved twice daily. One soap for all uses—shaving, bathing and shampooing. Advertisement.

Y. W. C. A. in Constantinople. In the presence of a large number of distinguished guests both in political and educational circles, a new service center was opened recently in Istanbul, the old city of Constantinople, by the Y. W. C. A. Speeches were made in both English and Turkish. The house and garden obtained for the center are both attractive and well adapted to their new use, as well as conveniently situated. Another meeting and recreation place which the Y. W. C. A. has provided for Constantinople girls is a spacious garden on the beautiful sea of Marmora. It has been rented from a wealthy pasha to serve as a summer camp.

Steady Young Feller. "They tell me that your boy, Josh, has grown to be a middlin' wild young feller since he come back from traveling around with them marines," said Farmer Brown to his neighbor. "Wa-h," drawled the father, "he ain't exactly what I'd call wild. He's been goin' to the movies a couple times a week, smoked cigarettes, drinks a right smart lot of lemon sody, and has started to collect pictures of them show actresses. But I reckon the boy ain't bad—he's just sowin' his wild oats."—The Leatherneck.

Quite Imaginary. Professor—Give me an example of an imaginary spheroid. Student—A rooster's egg, sir.

POSSIBLY HER LAST CHANCE

At All Events, the Object of His Affections Perfectly Agreed With Her Fiance.

For several minutes the young man did not speak. His heart was too full. It was enough for him to know that this glorious creature loved him; that she had promised to share his fate.

With a new and delightful sense of ownership he feasted his eyes once more upon her beauty, and as he realized that henceforth it would be his privilege to provide for her welfare and happiness, he could have almost wept with joy.

His good fortune seemed incredible. Finally he whispered tenderly: "How did it ever happen, darling, that such a bright, shining angel as yourself fell in love with a dull, stupid fellow like me?" "Goodness knows," she murmured absently; "I must have a screw loose somewhere."

A Celebrity Arrives. "Great excitement in the local room."

"What's happened?" "A beautiful woman has just shot a married man who wasn't married to her. The city editor has issued orders to get all her photographs available, from her babyhood to the one taken yesterday, and two men have been sent to arrange for exclusive publication of her diary. He has also called up a friend who is in the motion-picture business who is on the lookout for new stars."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

Ups and Downs. Two men, strangers to each other, sat side by side in a suburban train. Finally, one turned to the other and became confidential.

"I," he said impressively, "am a starter of elevators in a city skyscraper. When I signal them to go up, they go up. And your line is—?" "I," said the other, "am an undertaker. When I signal them to go down, they go down."—The American Legion Weekly.

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Served from the package, with cream or milk—full of splendid body-building nutrition. Its flavor and crispness charm the taste—a splendid summer food.

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A Courteous Formality. "I have sent word to my constituents that I will welcome advice at any time," remarked Senator Sorghum. "But you'll get so much you can't remember it!" "Ah! I am saying is that I will give a polite welcome. I'm not promising to stay awake and listen."

Our Own Garden Hints. Robert wants to know how to tell whether or not the little green shoots that appear in his garden are weeds. Yank them out, Robert; if they come up again they are weeds.—Boston Transcript.

LUCKY STRIKE

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Report of the Condition at the Close of Business
JUNE 30, 1921

RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts	\$446,243.42
Stocks and Bonds	2,351.63
Real Estate, Fur. and Fix.	17,403.29
Cash and Due from Banks	75,881.21
	\$541,879.55
LIABILITIES	
Capital	30,000.00
Surplus and Profits	52,151.35
Deposits	396,198.18
Rediscounts and Bills Payable	63,530.02
	\$541,879.55

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OIL LEASES TOWN LOTS

STATEMENT SHOWING CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF MAGDALENA

JUNE 30, 1921

Loans and Discounts	\$467,950.68
U. S. Bonds and Cert's	73,550.00
Other Bonds and Stocks	1,950.00
Real Estate, Fur. and Fix.	5,813.39
Cash and due from banks	37,544.56
TOTAL	\$586,808.63
Capital Stock	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus and Profit	22,272.73
Circulation	48,300.00
Deposits	313,849.94
Federal Reserve Bank	152,535.96
TOTAL	\$586,808.63

FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF MAGDALENA

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Reserve Items

Myrl J. Croel, of Mogollon, was a business visitor here Thursday.

Oscar Irwin rode down from his place near Horse Springs, to attend to business affairs.

Joe Day, of Mogollon drove in Friday over the Sallas road, and says its muddy, but passable.

J. E. Torres and son of Socorro were in town during the recent Commissioners meeting.

Leo McAfee spent several days of the past week at Reserve, returning to Magdalena Tuesday.

H. E. Barber and Clarence Dyer were Magdalena visitors Friday and may possibly visit Carlsbad before returning.

J. E. Rhein, southwestern Manager of The Dalton Adding Machine Company has been spending a few days this week in Reserve, driving overland from El Paso.

E. F. Antilla, of the State Highway department, Harold Buntun and the Misses Gooch and Thurmond were Reserve visitors on Sunday last driving out from Magdalena.

Miss Marie Snodgrass, who has been spending the past month with her sister, Mrs. Eddie Hudson, returned to her home at Magdalena Tuesday.

Anastacio Baca, County Commissioner from Quemado came down to attend the Commissioner's meeting and is spending a few days at the home of Leandro Baca and family.

Mr. Roark, of the Guaranty Title and Trust Company of Socorro, spent Thursday, Friday and Saturday here in the interests of his company, and we understand was very successful.

Mr. and Mrs. Verg Wheeler are the proud parents of a fine baby boy, born August 12, and the Advocate extends its heartiest congratulations.

Rupert F. Asplund with the State Tax Payers Association of Santa Fe, has been in Reserve for a few days this week. Mr. Asplund is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Gaunt.

Johnny Reed, who has been spending the past year in Oklahoma, is back in Catron county, and will make his home for the present with his mother Mrs. Pat Birmingham.

Miss Deatron Campbell, county superintendent of schools for Catron county, left Tuesday for Santa Fe, where she will attend a meeting of the state teachers, which is being held at the state capital today.

C. M. Dyer and family drove in from Magdalena Friday. Mr. Dyer drove into the canyon north of town while the big rise was on and came nearly going down in the flood. Mrs. Dyer and the children waded out and Mr. Hill, of the Garage and citizens towed the car out.

Remember the little boy who sat on the river bank waiting for it to run down so he could get across to the Village? Several of Reserve's population have been doing the very same thing, and very often in the last few weeks. We only wonder where all the water comes from.

August Kiehne, W. J. Jones, Florencio Jiron and Mrs. J. R. Gaunt spent the week at Santa Fe where they attended the republican state convention that nominated Holm O. Bursum for the office of United States Senator. They were Bursum boosters when they started and returned stronger than ever that Bursum is the only man in the state for this high position. Catron county can be counted upon to give Holm O. Bursum one of the largest majorities ever given any candidate in the territory covered by the new boundaries of the county.

It is not the man who himself accomplishes the most work, but the one who possesses the faculty to use the ability of others who attains the broadest success.

A MATTER OF LOOKS

A homely young English chap, having his view obstructed by the head-gear of the girl in front of him, ventured to protest. "See here, miss," he said, leaning over. "I want to look as well as you."

"Oh do yer?" she replied, in a rich Cockney accent. "Then you bet ter run 'ome and change yer face."

LUNA NOTES

Apostle Richard Lyman was the principal speaker at the conference.

Grandpa Stewart, has been confined to his room for the past week with rheumatism.

There is a great deal of hay ready to cut in the valley, but those who have cut their hay have been unable to haul it in on account of the continuous rains.

The road west of Luna has been completed although it was cut down quite a bit on account of the appropriation being short, but nevertheless we have a good road into Arizona.

Bishop A. O. Reynolds, W. S. Laney, A. V. Reynolds, L. C. Laney and Miss Myrtle Reynolds have just returned from St. Johns, Arizona, where they have been attending the quarterly conference of the L. O. S. church. They report rains in that vicinity and mud chains necessary.

Mrs. Lula Baldwin and children, of Taylor, Arizona; Mrs. Hulda Rothsburger, of Eagar, Arizona; Miss Hazel and Miss Ruth Reynolds, of here, daughters of W. H. Reynolds with Mr. Orsin Davis, an elderly man for teamster had a very narrow escape in the Frisco River while returning from the warm springs a few days ago. They were caught in a large flood just as they were crossing the river. One of the Laney brothers happened along on his saddle horse and got them out, the children first, just as the wagon was washed over. They lost three rolls of bedding and suit cases which started down stream towards Uncle Bill Lewis. Mr. Davis stayed on a drift that lodged against a tree all night. He has been confined to his bed since.

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Valet—"Scarcely that sir. Every one's talking of you as inventing a new dance."

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