

RELIABILITY RUN ATTRACTS INTEREST

Practicability of Truck Tests,
Will Be Given Real
Trial.

WASHINGTON, April 11.—Results of the first national truck reliability run to be held in this country and which is to traverse 2,500 miles of middle west country during the 25 days of its trip, which is to be in June, will be watched with interest in every section of the country.

There will be a double purpose in studying the official figures of this test, first, the practicability of holding these runs and, secondly, the question of pneumatic tire equipment for commercial vehicles with carrying capacity up to three and a half tons.

In the early days of the passenger car there were reliability runs from the grade 1 events, which imposed very severe penalties for work done on the car enroute and for cars which did not finish in perfect condition, to the grade four contests, which only had gasoline, oil, time and repair work enroute penalties.

Enables Correcting Faults. These events were of great benefit to the manufacturer. They enabled him to correct faults in the construction of his car, as well as to determine how it matched up in competition with competitive makes.

A caravan of automobiles passing through a section of the country did much to impress the residents with the stability of the automobile as a mode of transportation. The question of good roads was also one that was brought to the front by these tests, for usually the routes selected embraced roads of all sorts, kinds and descriptions.

Undoubtedly there will be many valuable lessons from the truck run.

The technical examination before the start and at the completion of the trip will come very near showing if there is anything in the way of faulty construction in a truck. The distance, 2,500 miles, will undoubtedly preclude any one entrant from coming through with a perfect road score. It will be more luck than anything else if some adjustment is not needed in this distance, especially since the rules prohibit the prick punching of any hot threads or like tricks which would be an advantage for the truck.

Pneumatics Conceded.

Pneumatic tires for motor trucks are a conceded fact, but to date the data on them has been such only as has been obtainable from individual performance. There will be varying road conditions and each truck will have to travel under exactly the same conditions as every other truck. Some of the day's runs will undoubtedly be laid out so that the trucks will have to make fast time in order to reach their controls within the time limit.

Brakes will be called into play quite often and this will also have its effect upon the rubber equipment. In all probability every tire manufacturer that is building motor truck equipment in pneumatics will endeavor to have at least one set of tires in the contest. While in the final adjudication no consideration will be taken of the tires, still unofficially there will be a number of interesting reports.

Alleged Night Riders Surrender to Police

By Associated Press.
MAYFIELD, Ky., April 11.—About 20 alleged "night riders" out of 50 indicted by the special grand jury probing the burning of a tobacco chute here two weeks ago, surrendered Sunday. Guardsmen were in readiness to accompany the sheriff and deputies to the northwestern section of Graves county to maintain order in case the indicted men refused to submit to arrest.

Indications are that all the accused men would surrender without awaiting arrest by the sheriff or guardsmen.

DANCER WHO DIVORCES HER PARTNER



Mrs. Florence Walton Mouvet, well known professional dancer, who has been granted a divorce from her husband, who is better known as "Maurice." The findings of the referee are being kept secret by court authorities.

PANAMA REQUESTS U. S. TO WITHDRAW

Government Agent Says They
Cannot Understand Our
Occupation There.

PANAMA, April 11.—The United States government has been asked through diplomatic channels immediately to withdraw from the Panama province of Chiriqui a detachment of 20 men of the 22d infantry under the command of Maj. Herbert E. Pace. The troops have been stationed there owing to the litigation American land owners have pending in the provincial courts. Residents of the province are very much disturbed by their presence.

Justice Alfaro, government secretary, commenting on the affair, said:

"Panama is more friendly to the United States than any other republic south of the Rio Grande and we cannot understand why armed occupation is necessary here when the United States administration does not find it necessary to intervene in Mexico where women are being violated and men are being murdered and mutilated every day."

How they view diplomats in Europe is illustrated by a Christiania paper which says: "The European diplomats are at work again. We may soon expect another war."

Scientific tests reveal that, mentally, the American people average about the age of 13. The marvel is that society holds together with our juvenile mind.

DEPORTED GERMANS RETURN TO ISLE

Large Numbers Come Back to
England But Are Not
Well Received.

LONDON, April 11.—Large numbers of German and other undesirables who were deported from England in the war have managed to make their way back to London but have encountered warm receptions when their identity has been discovered. They managed to cross from the continent by working their way as sailors on tramp steamers to northern English and Scottish ports.

These Germans who have come back to England to take up business again find it a hard row to hoe, says the Evening Standard. One German business man came back and returned to his fatherland after being refused admission to five London hotels. He found rooms in a Bloomsbury boarding house but two days later the other boarders discovered him, and notified the manager, they could not live under the same roof with a German; and he was turned out.

A German butcher in a London suburb was prevented by his neighbors from reopening his old store the other day, although he had lived in England for 40 years, and there are many similar cases.

Neither captain nor crew of the steamer Spica, the first German cargo ship to enter the Firth of Forth since August, 1914, were allowed ashore at North and, in deference to local feeling, the vessel did not display the German flag.

On the other hand, a revival of "Tannhauser" at the Grand Opera recently drew a crowded and appreciative audience of society people. The cast, however, was wholly English.

IRISH HOME RULE BILL DENOUNCED

Erin Statesmen Make Sensational
Charges Against
British Government.

GLASGOW, April 11.—The government's home rule bill for Ireland was denounced by Joseph Devlin as a "humbug to throw dust in the eyes of the people of America and elsewhere" in a speech he delivered here recently. Mr. Devlin declared that it was not a bill for home rule nor a plan to settle the Irish question, but for the permanent division of Ireland into two sections. The best thing the government could do, he said, was to drop the bill, resign office and let the enlightened judgment of the British electorate give Ireland what she wanted.

T. P. O'Connor called the measure "an outrage and an insult" and said that it was a more impudent, arrogant, insulting, lying proposal never made by any body of men in the world. He characterized the action of the government in suggesting a repeal of the home rule act of 1914 as a "more perfidious breach of treaty than the German's breach of treaty with Belgium."

The passion for "self-expression" is the supreme curse of our age, says Prof. Irving Babbitt, of Harvard. "Self-control" is the antidote and the cure for "ethical passivity" of the age.

Large emigration from Germany to Mexico is expected.

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TOKIO, April 11.—A Japanese millionaire is planning to send an exhibition ship around the world to introduce Japan's products to foreign lands. The steamer is to be a 10,000-ton vessel reconstructed so as to afford room for exhibition shelves and rooms for entertainments, and is to start in April.

ALBERT B. STEINER, of St. Paul, Minn., who declares he is now able to do twice the work he could before taking Tanlac and that his sister has gained sixteen pounds.



"Talking about things that help people, I have just received a letter from my sister in Waterloo, Iowa, telling me she has gained sixteen pounds in weight by taking Tanlac," said A. B. Steiner, 459 E. Page street, St. Paul, Minn., recently.

"My sister was on a visit to me a short while ago, and as she was suffering from stomach trouble some one advised her to try Tanlac, which she did, and as I saw the great benefit she was getting from it I decided to try it myself, for I had been troubled with my stomach for the past two years. I had a very poor appetite, and the little I did manage to eat seemed to lodge right in the pit of my stomach and sour. I would bloat terribly after eating and have the worst sort of cramping pains in my stomach, and at times I had such bad attacks of heartburn I would nearly go wild. My back gave me a lot of trouble, and I had such intense pains in the small of my back I could hardly bend over. To add to my other troubles, about two months ago I began to suffer with rheumatism in my shoulder blades and arms, which got so bad I could hardly do my work and could not even put on my coat without assistance. I was so nervous I could get but little sleep and would roll and toss from one side of the bed to the other all night long, and would get up in the morning all tired out. I was so badly run-down and had lost so much weight I was so weak I could hardly get about at all.

"Well, while I have only taken five bottles of Tanlac in all my improvement is simply remarkable. I have such a good appetite I am hungry all the time, and my stomach is in such a splendid condition I can eat anything I want without suffering the least bit from it afterward. The pains have all gone out of my back and I never have the least sign of the rheumatism. In fact, I never have an ache or pain of any kind. I sleep as sound as a log every night and have gained in weight and strength until I can do twice as much work as I could before I began taking Tanlac. Yes, sir; I can recommend Tanlac after what it has done for me, and I know it will do the same for others if they will only give it a fair trial."

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