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From all over southern Europe hundreds of caravans are converging toward a little hamiet on the shores of Brittmay, where the old-world gipsies are gathering to pay homage to their patron saint, Saza, of the Egyptians, who, they believe, was the servant of the Virgin Mary.

The word has gone out for the gathering of the gipsy clans at "Saint" Sara's shrine in the Breton village of Plounmance, Already their eacampment, in the shape of a huge, fivepointed star, contains 5,000 gipsies from France, Spain, Italy and Rouma-

nia, the land of their origin. The sipsy based concerning "Saint" Sain has no coundation anywhere in the Scriptures. The origin of the strange story, which conflicts at every point with the New Testament, is veiled in mystery. The gipsies of Europe, hawever, believe the story of Sara with implicit faith.

Sara of the Egyptians, their legend says, was the devoted servant of the Madonna. After the resurrection she followed her mistress, in an exodus from Palestine unchrönicled anywhere outside the gipsy legend, but was unuble to overtake her.

When Mary reached the shores of Palestine and took ship, Sara, who was a magician, turned her scarf into a raft and followed her mistress over the sea, But she never overtook the Madoana and the raft, so runs the tale, was finally washed ashore on the coast of Brittany, in, France, where Sara died.

Because of her wanderings and her magic powers, Sara was adopted as the patron saint of the gipsies, who built her a shrine at Ploumanec which contains her wooden effigy and a relquary said to hold a splinter of her thigh bone. "Saint Sara" has never been sanctified at Rome and she is ignored by all other Christians. But the gipsies still hold a yearly gathering in her honor whenever war has not closed the international boundaries.

Sunflowers Fail as Silage.

After all, the common wild sunflower of Kansas is just a useless weed, and attempts by scientists to make it anything else so far have failed.

Last fall ten tons of wild sunflowers were put into a silo between layers of corn silage by the dairy department of the Kansas State Agricultural college. A feeding test was arranged early in the winter. Five cows were fed wild sunflower silage, alfalfa hay and a grain mixture consisting of four parts corn chop, two parts bran and one part oil meal. Previous to the beginning of the feeding test the cows had received corn silage in addition to the hay and grain.

When changed to the sunflower silage they ate sparingly of it and failed to become accustomed to it. The cows decreased in milk production and lost body weight. The average loss of body weight was 60 pounds per head for the 24 days the test was conducted. Each had decreased 3.4 pounds in daily production of milk by the end of the period.

Victory for Watson.

Atlanta, Ga., Sept. 9 .- Thomas E. Watson received the Democratic nomination for the United States senate from Georgia, on the race of unofficial and in the state complied by the Atlanta Constitution at 1:15 this morning. These figures indicated that Watson got 223 county unit votes in yesterday's primary in which 195 were necessary for nomination.

The same figures indicated Governor Dorsey got 102 votes, Hoke Smith, the incumbent 32, and John R. Cooper none. While final figures were not obtainable from many counties the return tallied to a great extent with the latest complied by The Journal, which supported Smith. The Constitution sup ported Dorsey."

The same returns indicated a run off might be necessary in the gubernatorial contest. It was indicated Clif. ford Walker had 178 votes; Former United States Senator Harwick 166: John R. Holder 12, and W. R. Brown 0. The Journals latest figures had also indicated a probably run off in this race but showed Harwick in the lead.

Lee County Primary.

The first primary passed off as quietly as a Sunday School pienie. Cooper and Segars back to the house; S. J. Scarboroogh, R. H. Singletary, Jno. M. Smith, re-elected to their respective offices. J. T. Munnerlyn was defeated by B. T. Brown for superin tendent of education. This race was close and exciting till the last boxes came and gave Brown 146 majority. Before that it would alternate as to who was leading.

The two Charlies, Charlie Evans and Charlie Brown, will run over for supervisor. Senator Smith beat all his opponents two to one, so did Mr. Fulmer over Mr. Mann.

J. D. Munn was re-elected magistrate as Lucknow and J. R. Parnell as Cypress, H. W. Carnes and K. E. Wells had no opposition as magistrate and St. Chares. -Bishopville Vindicator.

A search for ten cases of run buried 150 years ago by Indians is being made at The Pas, Manitoba. The rum was taken from a French trading party and a great-grandson of a member of the tribe recently revealed the information. Mrs. Charles Eykin organized the

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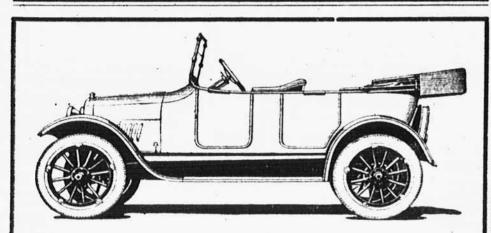
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Orders by Pigeon-Post.

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An entirely practical use of homing pigeons is reported from England. The inventor of the system is a butcher's son, who employs his birds regularly to carry orders from outlying districts -presumably where there are no telephones--to his father's shop. The plan works excellently.

When the boy goes to collect orders he takes six of his fastest birds in a trap with him. After he has gone a mile or two and collected a dozen orders he liberates a pigeon with the slips inclosed in a little metal case attached to the bird's foot. Before five minutes have elapsed these orders are in the shop.

At the various stages of his round, which usually takes three hours, the other birds with more orders are set free, and by the time the shop is reached all the orders received by this pigeon post have been dispatched.

To Paint Sing Sing Chimney. The best climber in Sing Sing, who once made a sensational escape from the prison, has been selected by Warden Lawes to climb the 75-foot chimney of the power house to re-paint it. Emil Torterman, who was a sailor before sent to prison for murder, is a former steeplejack also. Since his imprisonment he has not used his climbing powers much except when he made his escape. He was re-captured a few months later. He is one of the few prisoners serving a "natural life" sentence. Totterman is to go up the square chimney and fasten a rigging from its top. He will paint the chimney yellow to conform to the new coat of paint just placed on the exterior of the various prison buildings.

Waste of Gasoline.

Those who have studied the subject say that one-half gallon of gasoline per car is wasted daily in Canada through carelessness, the overuse of cars, and needless mileage, which means 200,000 gallons wasted daily in the country, or 73,000,000 gallons per year, if all motor cars were operated every day

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