

News of the Sporting World at Home and Abroad

SPORTING GOSSIP OF OLD ENGLAND

Interesting Account of Association Football Game With Holland.

LATTER IS BADLY DEFEATED.

International Trial Match of Rugby Between North and South—Some-thing About Cricket Games.

(By J. Morgan.)

It will remain for some future historian to decide what effect international contests in various forms of outdoor sport will have on bringing nations closer together and into more cordial relations with each other. One thing is certain and that is that association ("soccer") football—the finest and most scientific of all football games—is doing more than all other forms of outdoor sport to bring about these cordial relations. Before May next, English amateur eleven will have met national teams of France, Belgium, Denmark, Norway, Sweden, Germany, Austria and Hungary, while several club teams from the British Isles will meet these countries and show forth the wonderful possibilities of the game both in individual and team work, and its value for the invader. The English team invaded England; the battleground was Darlington. In the north of England, the home country put a fairly representative team of amateurs to face the invaders. The result was a draw, but the English team was not much for the progeny of Blake, and were completely outclassed in all departments of the game, and at the call of time were forced to surrender to "perfidious Albion." Result: English amateurs, 12 goals; Holland, 2 goals.

THE LEAGUE.

Bad weather, fog, mist, rain, sleet and snow between them have on the whole been playing havoc with the attendance. Many matches being called off as several grounds were under water. The appearance of miniature lakes than football enclosures. Manchester United—the team of the year—now hold a clear lead of nine points over the nearest rival, Chelsea, who are at the bottom of the ladder to twelfth on the list, while Sunderland and Birmingham at present occupy the unenviable position of tail ends.

LEAGUE ATTENDANCE TO DEC. 31.
(From London Daily News.)

Matches played.	Attendance.	Average.
English League.....177	3,188,000	18,087
Southern League.....170	1,327,000	7,805
English 2nd div.....178	1,308,000	7,580
Total	5,823,000	11,217

HOLIDAY FOOTBALL.

In spite of the inclement weather some large crowds attended the various league games on Christmas day as follows:

Games.	Attendance.
First Div. English League.....9	176,000
Southern League.....10	118,000
English League 2nd Div.....9	105,000

The largest gate being at Manchester.

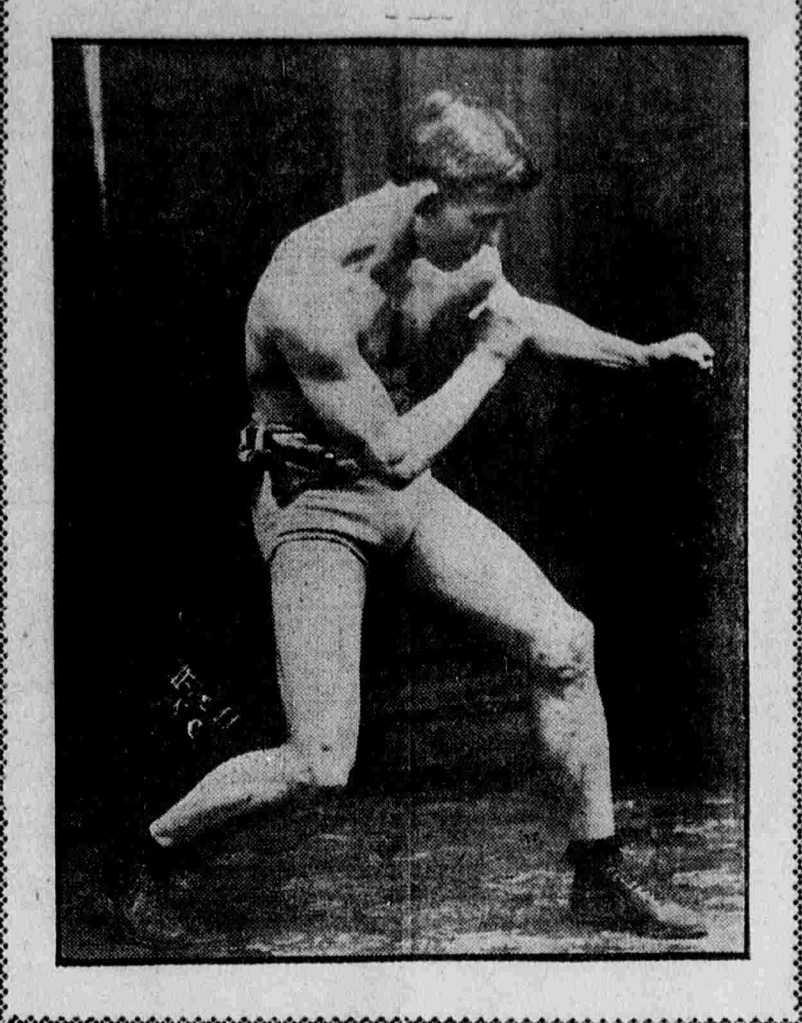
Why I Lost My Job.

Reasons Why Thousands Like Me Cannot Satisfy Their Employers.

"I believe my fate is not unlike that of thousands of other workers who lay low their places for reasons they do not know, and probably would not believe. When their last pay envelope comes along it is usually 'Your services no longer required.' If the truth be told, the reason for their unemployment is that their usefulness was destroyed because of some mental worry, bodily ailment or general indisposition. These things, as we all know, are the most fruitful causes of failure in all walks of life. The battle of Waterloo was lost because of a headache. In this quick age our minds must be clear, rapid, active, and free from outside influence or worry, or else we go down to failure with the throng of 'floaters' who go from one place of employment to another, giving no satisfaction to others or to themselves, constantly growing older and less useful, with no ambition, no will power, and no hope. Every man requires from every other man the best that is in him. But no man can use or get the best that is in himself until he is first free from all fretful indispositions and worries. That was my trouble. I was full of worry. That's why I lost my job. My stomach in the first place was all ways out of order, and I was worried about it and my mind grew cloudy, and slow. I made mistakes, and grew grouchy. That was the end. There are thousands like me, going about with 'quick lunch' faces, dyspeptic manners, and repulsive attitudes. No employer wants such men's services. Take my advice. A healthy stomach is half the battle, for it keeps your mind clear, and your face rosy. I have a healthy stomach now and hold a good position, and my employer is satisfied, and so am I.

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BATTLING NELSON, THE DURABLE DANE.

Battling Nelson, the famous Dane fighter, is well known to Salt Lake. The above cut shows him in a characteristic fighting pose and as he will appear on Monday evening next at the Grand Opera House, Ogden, when he faces Jack Clifford in a 20 round fight. Nelson has made a wonderful name for himself in the pugilistic world since his memorable defeat of Spider Welch at the Salt Palace a few years ago. The Hewish fighter is confident of beating Clifford when they clash on Monday night.

Bowling Champions for 1907.

FIVE MEN TEAMS.

American-Furniture City, Grand Rapids, Mich.	2,775
Eastern-Corinthian, New York City	2,514
Western-Paulsons, Denver, Colorado	2,797
Canadian-Brunswick, Chicago	2,853

TWO-MEN TEAMS.

American-Richter-Bigley, Louisville	1,184
Eastern-Tutthill-Nelson, Brooklyn, N. Y.	1,230
Western-T. Voght-Everhart, Kansas City	1,289
Canadian-Stoke-Woodbury, Chicago	1,180

INDIVIDUAL.

American-Marshall Levey, Indianapolis	624
Eastern-F. Sauer, New York City	627
Western-J. F. Morris, Seattle	767
Canadian-J. Noonan, Quebec	618

ENORMOUS CROWDS.

Over 45,000, where the United added to their wonderful string of successes; but large as these attendances were, they were put completely in the shade the following day, Boxing day, Dec. 26. The crowds were so large that it will give figures and results in the league first division for the attendance on this popular English holiday.

ENORMOUS CROWDS.

Attendance.
Chelsea, 1; Middlesboro, 0.....60,000
M. Chester City, 1; Bolton Wanderers, 0.....30,000
Everton, 0; Bristol City, 0.....40,000
Newcastle, 2; Sheffield Utd., 3.....20,000
Sheffield Wed., 2; Sunderland, 3.....20,000
Birmingham, 0; Notts County, 0.....20,000
Preston N. E., 1; Blackburn R., 1.....18,000
Notts Forest, 3; Aston Villa, 2.....18,000

Total, eight games.....240,000

Southern league, nine attendances, total 57,000; English league, second division (9), 42,000; total 139,000. Grand total 28 games, 420,000.

A monument to the popularity of the "soccer" game on the old country, eloquent figures that no other ball game can show anywhere. These figures are all the more startling when notice is taken of the fact that cold rainy and chilly weather prevailed on Boxing day, and that the season is half through. The total aggregate of spectators at the three chief English leagues will be at the lowest estimate amount to the value of 7,000,000. On Jan. 11 the first round proper English cup will be fought, 64 clubs will be engaged and if favorable weather prevails an aggregate crowd of at least a half a million will be present at the 32 games.

RUGBY TRAIL MATCH.

This match played with a view of selecting the English team to oppose Wales, was played in West Hampstead, Saturday, Dec. 21. The North was completely overwhelmed by the south, who won by the score of 26 points to 2. The selection committee after the game were in a quandary as to the halfback position, as none on the field were reckoned to have the necessary powers to compete on even terms with the Welshmen, who have plenty of material at hand and seem as strong as yore. After the game a strong team to meet France in Paris, Jan. 1, was selected.

THE "ALL BLACKS."

The New Zealanders met with their eighth reverse at the hands of Northern Union clubs on Saturday, Dec. 26. The wire pullers' from Warrington, Lancashire, doing the trick winning after a stubborn game by the close margin of 8 points to 7.

ENGLISH TEAM FOR NEW ZEALAND.

The English Rugby Union at its last session held in London have decided to send a team to McDonald this spring. The team will leave London some time in April. The first match (test) has resulted in a narrow victory for the Kargaroos by two wickets. The game fluctuated and once it seemed that the M. C. C. had the result well in hand, but a determined stand seventh wicket saved the game for the Australians. Scores: M. C. C. first inning, 273; second inning, 360. Australian, first inning, 200; second inning, 275 for eight wickets.

Following the test match the M. C. C. opposed Victoria and after three days of very heavy scoring the match ended in a draw. Scores: M. C. C. 694 for nine wickets; Victoria 498 seven wickets. For the Englishmen, Rhodes (York), top scorer, 162 not out; Hayes, 88; Hobbs, 22, both of scoring and fielding; (Kent) not out, 60, helped to compile the mammoth score. For Victoria two centuries were compiled, Tarrant, 136, and Armstrong, 117.

COACHES CRITICIZED.

Injured Football Players Should be Removed from the Field.

The past football season, as is the case each year, has been productive of more or less comment on the actions of the coaches of the various teams, particularly those of the more important eleven. This year the criticism has centered to a large extent upon the retention of men in the line-up after they have received some injury which, while not itself serious, has prevented them from playing in as clear-headed a way as they usually do. Several cases of this kind were to be noted in the larger games of the fall, notably in the Yale-Princeton game, when Hamer, one of the Yale halfbacks, was kept in play after he was so dazed that what he did was more by instinct than by any reasoning of his own. An incident of the same kind was to be found in the Yale-Harvard game, when Capt. Parker of the Crimson team was not taken out and replaced by a fresh player until after his dazed playing had lost the team much valuable ground.

A Yale graduate has come forward with a criticism on this feature of the fall's play, which sums up the situation pertinently as follows: "Why in the name of common sense do coaches insist upon keeping a player in the game after an injury has incapacitated him? Is it because the coaches' long-pondered and finally immutably fixed estimate of a player's ability blinds them to what is painfully evident from the stands? Except in the case of a few phenomenal 'stars,' it is safe to say that no player is better than his understudy by more than a small margin, and this margin is more than neutralized by an injury. Greater freedom in substituting fresh men would serve many desirable ends: It would lessen the possibility of permanent injury, diminish the amount of maddening at present too frequently exacted of players, save the tortured feelings of many a friend and relative; reward many more of the deserving substitutes and open up the game to more than the charmed circle of the 12 or 13 elect."

AS TO LONGBOAT.

Englishman Thinks Indian Runner is Rather Overrated.

"England outclasses America in distance running." This is the opinion of Alfred Shrub, England's champion runner, who adds that he has failed to find a real good runner here.

Speaking of the runners of America, Shrub says: "Longboat will never be a champion. I have tried him out for three miles, and I ran him off his feet in that distance. He has no speed, and I am sure I could run him right out inside of 10 miles if he would run me. He is overrated, and the track that he made his great record on is not much over 17 miles long. If I had a man that I could really good, but I have run the best that could be provided. Almost all of my runs have been where I have had no wind, and no rain, and I have taken on two miles, and I have had no difficulty in winning. The best men I met in this country were Kenaly of Boston and Sullivan of the same place.

"Distance running in America is not at all what it is in England. Over there we run pretty much all the year around, while in America a man must lay up in the winter, and so he does not get anything like the practice that the men get on the other side. We do not run so far, either, and mostly we keep to the 10 miles. That distance is far enough to run."

AUTOMOBILE NOTES.

Boston's show will be held during the week of March 7 to 14.

The average daily attendance at the Paris show was 30,000 persons.

A motordrome on the Brooklands basis is being proposed for Berlin, the site to be probably at Tellow.

About 90 per cent of the machinery in foreign automobile factories is of American manufacture.

A French motorist who recently died while his touring car to his chauffeur as a reward for faithful service.

A motor boat of the hydroplane type recently made a speed of 34 miles and hour on the River Seine near Paris.

Motorcycles and motor boats will be given prominent places at the Philadelphia sportsman's show from March 9 to 14.

Connecticut boasts of a dog catcher who has provided himself with an automobile wherewith to chase the festive canine.

A London garage located in the theater district, besides quarters for cars, provides dressing rooms for both men and women.

A German photographer is touring Europe with a complete outfit, including a dark room, mounted on a motor car chassis.

Victor Breyer, who managed the Grand Prix for the Automobile Club of France, is paying a short visit to the United States.

The European contestants in the New York to Paris race will sail Feb. 2 for New York, whence the race will start Feb. 15.

The Nizam of Hyderabad, who rules over more than 97,000 square miles of India, owns 19 automobiles of seven different European makes.

In sharp contrast with Berlin, which has decided not to have any show this year, London already has arranged for a show at the Olympia, both in 1908 and 1909.

The good roads movement has taken a new lease of life in Indiana, especially in Miami county, where contracts soon are to be made for 28 new highways.

The government of the state of Rio Grande do Sul, Brazil, has granted concessions to several syndicates which will operate automobile lines between cities not reached by railroads.

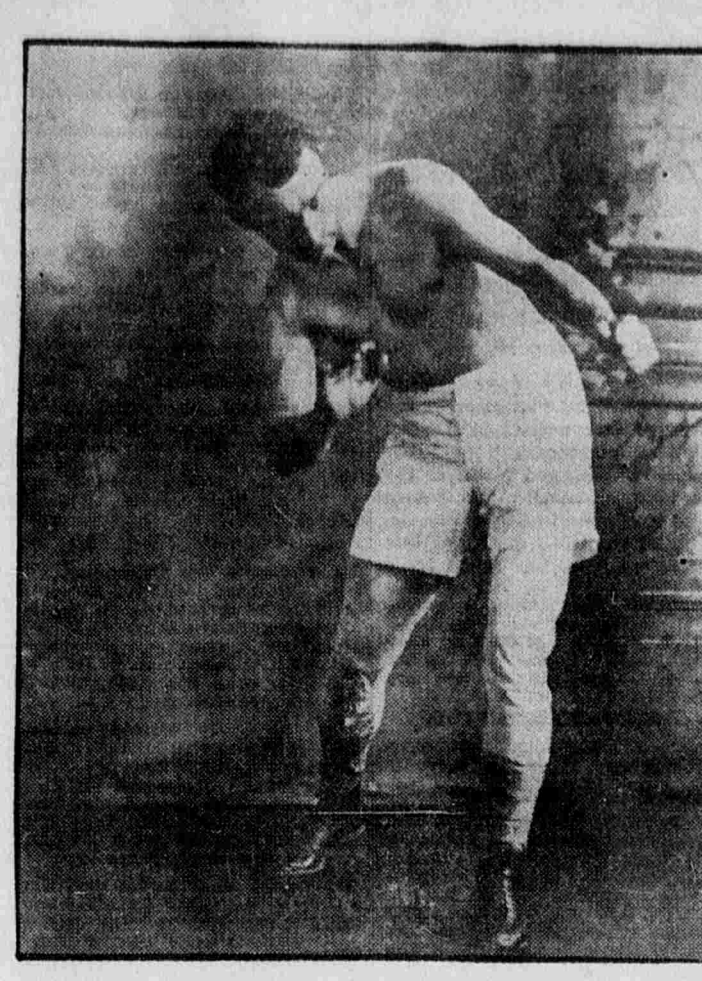
A promoter of Butte, Mont., has ordered three touring cars, equipped with camping outfit, to use in transporting prospective customers to the various properties under his control.

One thousand invitations were issued to socially prominent individuals and officials for the private view of Importers Salon, in New York, just prior to the show's formal opening.

June 9 to 17 has been fixed for the 2400-kilometer Prince Henry Tour in Europe.

A consular report from Smyrna tells of the increase of motor boating in Asiatic Turkey, where American craft seem to be the favorite, despite the almost prohibitive transportation charges.

Through the efforts of the New York Automobile Trade association two more steamship lines have agreed to



JACK CLIFFORD, WHO MEETS NELSON.

The above cut shows the fighting pose of Jack Clifford, the Grass Valley lightweight, who faces Battling Nelson in the roped arena at Ogden Monday evening. Clifford is well known to Salt Lake and Ogden fight fans as he has fought in both cities. He has been away from these parts for a long time and his friends claim he has greatly improved since his last performance here.

Trotting and Pacing Records for Season.

TROTTING.	
Two-year-olds—Colt, Trampfast, by The Trump	*2:12 3/4
Filly, Helen Hale, by Prodigal (2:16)	2:13 3/4
Gelding, John Grey, by Prodigal	*2:22 3/4
Three-year-olds—Colt, Gen. Waits, by Axworthy (2:15 3/4)	*2:06 3/4
Filly, Bell Bird, by Jay Time	2:11 3/4
Four-year-olds—Colt, Codero, by Bingen (2:06 3/4)	2:09 3/4
Filly, Maxine, by Elyria (2:25 3/4)	2:17 3/4
Gelding, Bud Bonner, by Prodigal (2:16)	*2:13 3/4
Fastest—Stallion, Mainshaft, by The Director General	*2:05
Mare, Sonoma Girl, by Lynwood W. (2:20 3/4)	*2:05 3/4
Gelding, Major Delmar, by Delmar (2:16 3/4)	2:04 3/4
New performers—Stallion, Tregentle, by Simmons (2:28)	2:09 3/4
Mare, Sonoma Girl, by Lynwood W. (2:20 3/4)	*2:05 3/4
Gelding, Highball, by Dr. Hooker (2:23 3/4)	*2:06 3/4
Half-mile track—Stallion, Quintell, by Actell (2:18 3/4), and Onwis, by Birchwood (2:15)	2:14 3/4
Mare, Sweet Marie, by McKinney (2:11 3/4)	*2:07 3/4
Gelding, George G., by Homeward (2:13 3/4)	*2:06 3/4
PACING.	
Two-year-olds—Colts, Ray O'Light, by Searchlight (2:08 3/4)	2:13 3/4
Filly, Beulah Posey, by Baron Posey (2:21 3/4)	2:18 3/4
Gelding, Lord Prodigal, by Prodigal (2:16)	*2:23 3/4
Three-year-olds—Colt, Shakespeare, by Jay MacGregor (2:07 3/4)	2:09 3/4
Filly, Betty Brent, by Wiggin (2:19 3/4)	2:10 3/4
Gelding, Hymettus, by Zombro (2:11)	2:08 3/4
Four-year-olds—Colt, Dr. Munson, by Gam. Wilkes (2:19 3/4)	2:08 3/4
Filly, Elsie H., by Belwood Allen	2:10 3/4
Gelding, The Duke, by Newton Boy (2:19 3/4)	2:09 3/4
Fastest—Stallion, John A., by Eddie Hal (2:15)	2:03 3/4
Mare, Citation, by Norvalson	2:03 3/4
Gelding, Angus Pointer, by Sidney Pointer (2:07 3/4)	2:01 3/4
New performers—Stallion, Straight Advice, by Free Advice (2:10 3/4)	2:05 3/4
Mare, Reprochaels, by Direct Hal (2:04 3/4)	*2:04 3/4
Gelding, Hidalgo, by Warren C. (2:04 3/4)	2:04 3/4
Half-mile track—Stallion, McKaig Simmons, by Simmons (2:28)	2:08 3/4
Mare, Eleanor, by Waltz (2:23)	2:08 3/4
Gelding, Angus Pointer, by Sidney Pointer (2:07 3/4)	*2:06 3/4
*World's record in races.	
*Against time.	

allow gasoline trucks the same freedom of their pliers in that city as horse-drawn vehicles.

An Akron (O.) firm, one of the largest rubber manufacturing concerns in the United States, has decided to compete with French tire-makers on their own ground, and has opened a branch office in Paris.

Because of the shortage of gasoline in India the Motor Union of that country was forced to abandon its reliability trials, which were to have been held the past week, until the first week in February.

That autos can go wherever horse-drawn sledges can go has been proven by the ascent of the desolate, snow-clad peak of Mt. Menevre, in the Alps. A 30-horsepower car made the summit at a lively clip.

In an advertising contest conducted by a New York coffee importer the first prize of \$2,000 was won by the advertising manager of an automobile building company, who decried freak schemes and advocated the persistent use of daily newspapers.

A removable top for motor boats, built on the same principle as a buggy top, is a novelty. Made of waterproof canvas or leather, it is mounted on a frame, which can be folded, while curtains button on the sides.

Seeing the old year out and the new year in was a novelty at automobile shows that was observed at the Importers' Automobile Salon at New York, at which a midnight supper was served by exhibitors to customers and friends.

According to a report from the American consul at Rio Janeiro, there is an excellent field in Brazil for American cars, the planters, having turned to the automobile in preference to the horse, buying French machines in large numbers.

BLISS DEFERRED.

A reporter, interviewing Thomas A. Edison about his remarkable \$1,000 a month house—a house that will be demolished and ready for occupancy in a few days—pointed out certain objections to the structure.

These objections caused Mr. Edison to smile.

"You have not yet seen my house," he said, "and you find fault with it. Isn't that rather previous? You, my young friend, are more previous than a girl my assistants have been telling me about."

"The first day of—let us say 1908—New Year's day—a man proposed to this girl, and was accepted."

"But," she said "I must insist that our engagement be kept secret a twelvemonth."

REFEREE POLLOCK MEETS FIGHTERS

Third Man in Ring for Clifford-Nelson Twenty Round Fight.

THE RULES ARE DISCUSSED.

Contestants Down to Weight and Ready for Gung to Sound—Notan Says He'll Be There.

Everything is in readiness for the big fight scheduled to take place at the Ogden opera house on Monday evening next, between Battling Nelson and the famous Dane fighter, Jack Clifford. Both men have practically completed their training and today are doing only light gymnasium work to keep in the form they have attained by days of hard labor on the road and in training quarters. Clifford is down to the required poundage, according to advices from Ogden, and is supremely confident of beating the durable Dane.

Manager Quinby has completed all arrangements for the bout and looks forward to a record breaking attendance. He received a telegram from Billy Graham, formerly manager of Nelson and whom Nelson "fired" and is now fighting in the courts for a settlement, stating that he would be at the ringside with \$5,000 to wager that Clifford beats the Dane. Fight fans will wonder at this, Nelson will be on hand for the fight, as mentioned and says: "I hope Nolan is there with \$5,000."

Albe Pollock of Denver, who is to be the third man in the ring is due to arrive from Denver this afternoon and hold a consultation with Battling Nelson relative to the rules under which the boys will battle. From here he goes to Ogden to have a conference with Clifford. Both men will thoroughly understand before hand how they are to fight so there will be no necessity of a long delay at the ringside.

The Rio Grande special will leave Salt Lake at 6 o'clock on Monday evening and the Salt Lakers who take it may count on one of the fastest runs ever made between the two cities because the special is certainly going to go some. Twenty minutes after the fight it will pull out of the Junction City, headed for home and the promise is made that it will be here in time for the last car. It is predicted that from 500 to 2,000 Salt Lakers will be on hand for the fight. Considerable money has been wagered on the result. On the coast Nelson is only a 10 to 5 favorite and there seems to be plenty of Clifford money in sight. Ogdenites and some Salt Lakers are figuring on a conference with Clifford, both chances and are placing their money that way. There is an abundance of Nelson money, and who have seen him at work being thoroughly convinced he is a long way from being "all in."

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SKATING AT HEATH'S.

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Forest planting in the Ohio valley offers many opportunities for profit. In eastern and southern Ohio, and southern Indiana much of the land is hilly and unfit for agricultural crops, and the native forest is being cleared away to make room for a stand of worthless trees and brush. Land has been cleared on steep slopes, and has now become so badly washed and gullied by the rains that it is no longer serves for good pasture, and is being overrun with sawgrass and briars. It is on this class of land that forestry will prove most profitable. The native trees already on the ground should be protected and thinned and waste corners which bear no forest growth should be planted to commercial trees.

In southern Ohio, Indiana and Kentucky it will pay to devote small areas of agricultural land to the production of a crop of posts, telephone poles, railway ties and other forest products. There are many trees suitable for this purpose.—American Forestry Association.

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