

SUN POWERS CAR.

Quite the smartest electric brougham in London, way back in 1912, this superb horseless carriage has got a new lease of life. It's getting its power from the sun. And that very thought made the sun so coy that he hid behind clouds for close on a month. Dr. Escoffery (an American) fitted ten thousand solar cells to the roof, using the electricity they generate to charge the batteries.

Now, all aboard. The 1912 seating arrangements wouldn't please Mr. Marples, but that's by the way. If the idea catches on sun-power units can be made for about £1,000. Just imagine, no petrol to buy. You can hardly believe it. We don't want to pour cold water on his cells but isn't the doctor trying out sun power in the wrong country?