



SHOT GORILLAS CENTRE AFRICA

Fine Specimens Secured by Prince William of Sweden For Museum.

TELLS OF ADVENTURE.

LONDON, Dec. 9.—How he shot fourteen gorillas and thousands of birds and mammals in Central Africa is told in the Times by Prince William, younger son of the King of Sweden. The collection of museum specimens includes about 1000 mammals, 2500 birds and between 5000 and 6000 insects and other specimens. This is the Prince's own story:

The Belgian Government had generously given us a license to shoot fourteen gorillas. To our great satisfaction we were able to bag this lot. They were animals of both sexes and all ages. Our museum's gorilla exhibits will be the finest in the world.

Method of Hunting.

How should one hunt gorillas? One must, to begin with, have strong legs and a stout heart. Few animals give the huntsman sterner work. You must tramp about on the steep hillsides, clatter down steep ravines, and climb up on the opposite side, till you come upon a fresh trail. Then you must creep and crawl balance yourself from tree to tree, endeavor to imitate the movements of the quarry you are pursuing. With good luck, after a day-long pursuit, you may find yourself in the midst of a chattering group, of which you may bring down one or two ere the rest, with deafening screams and the rush of an avalanche, dart away through the woods, uprooting young trees and tearing away branches in their precipitous flight. They generally fly before man, and only turn when wounded. Then they rise on two legs and rush madly at their foe; otherwise they rarely quit their four-footed attitude.

Weighted 400 Pounds.

I must say, however, that the only gorilla I shot personally behaved somewhat differently. He rushed at me, with lightning rapidity, before I had fired. But I believe this was to defend his retreating comrades. He was a sturdy old male, bent on repulsing the intruder, and doubtless ignorant of the danger he was incurring. I felt bound to enlighten him, and above all, put a stop to his experimenting on me. Besides, there was not much time to deliberate. The beast had burst through the bush within a few feet from me. A .350 magnum bullet right through his lungs put an end to the old fellow's life. He was

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Mr. F. G. Simmons, 42 Cumberland St., Brantford, Ont., writes:

"For about eight years I suffered from anaemia. My circulation was poor, my face and lips were pale, and my hands and feet were always cold. I was weak and unable to sleep well. I had frequent headaches, seemed restless and easily worried or irritated. There was a tingling sound in my ears. Indigestion was also one of my complaints, and I was attacked by weak spells. I was to a doctor, who told me I was anemic, but as I did not get any better I decided to try Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, and after the first box I felt better and my headaches completely disappeared. I continued using the Nerve Food for quite a while. I am now well, and, cheerfully and happily recommend Dr. Chase's Nerve Food to people suffering as I did before and to people who are not." Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, 50c per box, all dealers, or Edmanston, Ltd. & Co., Limited, Toronto.

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I remember especially one night when we saw no fewer than 15 lions gathered round the animal we had set out as a lure. There was only one male, with a black mane almost trailing to the ground. Round him were his harem of lionesses and cubs. One heard a murmur of deep suppressed growls and crunching teeth as they tore the flesh from the bones of the lure between their jaws. When the great lion finally moved a little away from the glutinous assembly he received my shot in his side. In sudden fright the whole lot rushed towards the stone shelter behind which I stood, one lioness dashing at the barrel of my gun sticking out through the loophole and almost tearing my rifle from my hands. But they were evidently starving; they returned again and again to their prey, regardless of our repeated firing. In the morning eight lions lay dead on the ground before our shooting shelter.

Wambuba Natives.

Until quite recent years the natives of these tracts (between Lake Edward and Truma) were reputed for their savage character and cannibal propensities. Fearful orgies were frequent among them, and it was unsafe to venture into their country without a strong escort. Now they are tamed, and it does not enter into the head of a Wambuba to seek to injure a white man. They live their indolent life in the woods wherever clearings create open spaces for their villages. In limited areas round their huts the soil is cultivated with very primitive tools or even by hand. But the soil is fertile, and sufficient is harvested for their small requirements without much labor.

We also came in contact with the Wambuthi forest tribes. They are dwarfs of a very low culture level. Their huts consist of a loosely-knit skeleton of bamboo covered with branches and dry leaves. Utensils of any kind are unknown. A knife and very primitive earthenware is all they can boast of.

EARTHQUAKE SHOCK.

GUAN, Dec. 19.—A severe earthquake shock was felt here today. No damage is reported.

Sport Chat

The scoring records in the Intermediate Basketball League to date follow: W. Mitchell (Col. 18), 60; C. Blythe (Sons of Canada), 30; E. Mackintosh (Colts), 26; R. Astoria (Knights of Columbus), 23; E. Smith (Sons of Canada), 16; U. U. La Casse (Knights of Columbus), 14; H. Frizzell (Colts), 13; E. Davies (Elks), 12; S. Bazell-Jones (Elks), 11; E. Astoria, A. Astoria and W. E. Roberge (Knights of Columbus), 9; W. D. Smith (Elks), 11; D. Graham, T. Halverson and F. Morrison (Sons of Canada), 5; R. Davidson (Elks), W. Gray (Sons of Canada), and J. Mitchell (Colts), 4; T. Moloney (Knights of Columbus), George Shaw and H. L. Campbell (Elks), 2; D. Farrell (Knights of Columbus), 1.

Ladies' League: Miss S. Calderone (Maple Leafs), 16; Miss Leona Parker (Metros), 15; Mrs. H. Modley (Telephone Girls), 14; Miss Margaret Graham (Maple Leafs) and Miss R. Moloney (Checkers), 10; Miss Pete Tremayne, Miss Annie Kelly and Miss Vera Shockley (Metros), 8; Mrs. M. Sherman (Telephone Girls), 7; Miss E. Ross (Telephone Girls), 6; Miss A. Stephens (Maple Leafs) and Mrs. R. Moloney (Checkers), 4; Mrs. B. McDaniels (Telephone Girls), 3; Miss Louie Fisher (Maple Leafs) and Miss A. Rorvick (Checkers), 2.

Junior League: G. Blythe (Dry Dock), 29; J. Kelly (Tiny Tims), 18; C. Clapp (Tiny Tims), 17; W. Gavaler (King Edwards), 16; W. Lamine (Dry Dock), 12; A. Mitchell (King Edwards), 9; M. Budenich (Tiny Tims), 8; T. Fraser (Dry Dock), 7; R. Little (King Edwards), 4; D. Frizzell (King Edwards), 3; R. Jacobson (Dry Dock), W. Kergin (Tiny Tims) and G. Hills (Dry Dock), 2.

The Wanderers and the Great War Veterans play a Trail Shield billiard fixture this evening. The former team is hoping to make a good win in the tournament and thus close up the margin that divides them from the Trail who are at the top of the standing. W. J. Hemmings, who returned to town recently, was expected to have lined up with the Wanderers but he is now signed on with the Vets and will oppose them instead. He will be a decided acquisition to that team. The following players will represent the Wanderers: W. J. Nelson, R. H. Shockley, Col. S. P. McMorris, Fred Stephens, T. B. Hooper and J. W. Scott.

CARPENTIER HAS RECOVERED FROM RECENT ILLNESS

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—Georges Carpentier has recovered from his recent illness and has entered training for the bout with George Cook in London on Jan. 13, according to a letter to friends here.

NOTICE.

In Queen Charlotte Islands Land District, Recording District of Skeena, B. C., and situated on the West Coast of Moresby Island, B. C. Take notice that Septimus Ward, super-intendent, and Robert Ward, brother of Victoria, B. C., intend to apply for a license to prospect for natural gas and petroleum over the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted on the shoreline of Canoe Pass, about one mile south and one mile west of the S.W. corner of Timber License No. 1856P, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.

SEPTIMUS WARD and ROBERT WARD, Applicants. Dated October 7, 1921.

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