left on earth, and that is a thing

which does not appeal to the rulers of

EVER RAISE "KAFIR CORN?" EAR GROWS ON TOP, CROP NEVER FAILS. AND IT SURE MAKES A HIT IN OKLAHOMA.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Guthrie, Okla., Dec. 27.-Kafir corn has been causing more excitement in Oklahoma than the war in the Balkans. Everywhere in the state farmers, bankers and merchants are assembling to hear the gospel of Kafir corn-it is called "gospel" in Oklahoma.

One of the big trunk line railroad companies has lately sent through more than 40 counties a special train equipped in every way to demonstrate the value of Kafir corn and to make plain the safest and surest way to cultivate

The principal speaker on this agricultural gospel train was John Fields, a newspaper editor, once director of the United States agricultural experiment station at Stillwater. He knows more about Kafir corn and its possibilities than any other man in Oklahoma. For the last five years he has been campaigning to induce farmers to plant Kafir corn.

Indian corn is an uncertain crop in many parts of Oklahoma because of the possible lack of rainfall at the, right time during the growing season. Kafir corn, however, never fails, whatever the season, and is becoming more and more a staple crop on Oklahoma

bankers that for every \$100 loaned to a acreage. Industrial agents of railfarmer the latter should be required to roads and agents of the state board of plant a certain number of acres of kafir agriculture are telling the farmers how state, and this year the acreage of ing of something that has not been kafir in Oklahoma was equal to the grown, and in that way a swelling of entire acreage in the United States in the resources for the fattening of live-

stock, and finally a making bigger of THE YIELD WILL AMOUNT TO the bank account of the farmers, mer-30,000,000 BUSHELS. The planting of kafir corn in Okla- homa,



SAMPLES OF KAFIR CORN, AND chants, bankers and laborers of Okla- JOHN FIELDS, WHO PREACHES fifty-one millions of Austria-Hungary

Ceylon's Strange Tribe of Handsome Men and history. Less than fifty years ago it was the predominant German power. The dynasty and the ruling aristocracy Ugly Women

English missionaries, travelling in once strong bodies have the same seem conscious of the fact that the this Germanic island, from Memel on the interior of beautiful Ceylon, re- tired and fagged-out look. port the finding of a race of Veddahs The women are far less particular among whom the male is beautiful about personal appearance than are among whom the male is beautiful about personal appearance than are they will. They give them the most mania, which, however, has far more and the female homely and coarse, the men. The women are satisfied to comfortable corners in the dwellings, in common with Slavdom than with All the scant refinement the people take an old piece of cloth which they wind about their waisis reaching to comfortable corners in the dwellings, in common with Slavdom than with and never eat until their lords and Germanism. Russians, Czechs, Poles, possess is found in the male. The the feet. The women's nair is neavy, taken the choice bits of food. They female does all the manual labor, often but instead of wearing it in long rarely quarrel with their husbands,

physiques, being tall, judged by our standards.

pansion, long, sinewy arms, and light, well-shaped limbs. Their faces and

in their large hands, with their long, tapering fingers. It is not surprising show such magnificent strength, for they spend much of their time handling the bow, hunting, and fighting. They seldom quarrel with their neighbors, but their

and they are such skilled that after they have been hunting for a few days they usually get plenty of game for their own families and even enough to give feasts to their

neighbors. When practicing with bow and arrow they often throw themselves on ground, handle their weapons their toes, and shoot backwards over their heads. They sometimes use this method in hunting their game and more often when attacking an

Women Old and Ugly at Twenty. The women of this race are as un attractive as the men are handsome They are so hardworked that gener ally speaking they are old and ugly As children they are strong and fresh-looking, but by the time they reach womanhood their faces become haggard and shrivelled and carved with deep lines of care. Their

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goes to war, and the male sits curls about their shoulders they draw believing it is man's privilege to rule minor Slav peoples hem the Germans and the "fish" line attached firmly to it there will be no difficulty in getting soes to war, and the male apabout looking after his personal appearance.

curis about their shoulders they draw
it back tight and fasten it in a knot
at the back of the neck. They are
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When not working The largest of them are manage to keep them all busy with the siping. standards. The largest of them all busy with the siping.

6 feet and 2 inches tall, while 5 feet cooking, caring for the house and The men are indolent when not perior to the Slav peoples. What they and 10 inches is considered only an building huts. When the women find hunting. They even find it an exertime they follow the men on their tion to make their arrowheads and hunts, and sometimes take part in a prefer to barter for them. This they war. They have plenty of courage do by going to a stream after mid-

The Veddah men seem to be in- men. different to their women, even when eyes are so keen and they are so older. The West-to-good as they grow villages, establishing schools eyes are so keen and they are older. The Vedahs are so haughty churches, teaching the men to work, fleet-footed and strong that they have that sometimes they cast them out and trying to make the women ap-

Few Domestic Squabbles.

wind about their waists, reaching to masters have had their fill and have

Some of these men are said to be fond of jewelry, and when they can fairly beautiful and physically far get nothing better they wear glass women while away the time making sive battle. If the Slavs were not ing them to the line. beads and iron bracelets. Many of their few simple clothes for them-the men have more than one wife, but selves and their children, or, seated a lost one. Hate of the German is before their huts chatting and gos- what most of them have in common.

well-shaped limbs. Their faces and features are large and bold, but strong and well - proportioned. Added strength is given by their expression, which is dauntless.

The most daring of these men steal their wives in the dead of night, capturing them from some neighboring tribe. The common way of sattless their wives in the common way of sattless their wives in their wives in their side of the stream find the provisions there, and the next night they come and leave some arrowants their wives in the dead of night, capturing them from some neighboring tribe. The common way of sattless the provisions there are not more than 85 million Germans, and their rate of increase is rapidly falling.

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In the last few years missionaries they are young and fresh-looking and have come in large numbers into their older. The Vedahs are so haughty churches, teaching the men to work, their ideas, the others listen to all now in great numbers in and

The women of this strange tribe back to their old ways and customs. GERMAN AGAINST SLAV; IF AUSTRIA FIGHTS SHE WILL NOT FIGHT ALONE is what Germany will not stand by and see, whatever happens. When the

Germany Does Not Want War With Russia, Over a Matter Like Servia's Claim-But Austria Is the Southern Bulwark of Germanism Against Millions of Slavic Peoples.

proclaimed, urbi et orbi, its unques-Berlin correspondent of the New York Evening Post. The "Nibelungen-Faith," many supremely cold. Both Govern-pledged with such a notable rattle of ment and people are heartly averse to steel in 1909, when Russia threatened war over such an issue. There is no vital Austrian, that is South German claim to the "Sanjak," newed from Bismarck's old place at the verge of war in three years, and if nothing else will serve. The Triple the Bundesrat table in the Reichstag, both times over questions that did not Alilance has always been a and Europe now knows, if it ever concern Germany in the least. In the power" alliance, so far as Russia i doubted it, that Austria, when she circumstances, it speaks volumes for concerned. If either Germany or Ausfights, will not fight alone. In 1909 the discipline of the race that Governtria is "backed" by Russia, which the same information was conveyed to ment and people are quietly resolved means, of course, goes to war with the Russian Government in diplomatic to fight, directly the "casus foederis" Russia, her ally must give her armed secrecy. It was effective then and will, arises, because they hold that the path That n. serable nervousness and doubtless, be effective again; for, al-half-sick tired-all-the-time condition though Russia is in better case to fight Germany Doesn't Want to Figure 1. up system. You grow irritable and than she was three years ago, and knows she can count with certainty on France, the terror which the German Russia. She has nothing to gain from war-machine inspires in Europe outweighs the temptation to wreak ven-

The German Government has again be beaten, even if she were alone. tioning loyalty to its allies, says the Servians shall have a seaport on the evidently regards the driving back of o attack Austria in support of Servia's lack of murmurers to point out that interest, which justifies the Vienna has been re- Austria has twice brought her ally to Government in setting fire to Europe Germany Doesn't Want to Fight

Russia. Germany does not want war with

The matter in dispute, whether the regardless of consequences. Germany

it, Russia having nothing that Germany would care to take. Victory ter diskiver dat you've had enough geance on Austria, especially as it is over Russia would have the effect of blessin's fer a good-size by no means sure that Austria would finally discrediting the last autocracy Atlanta Constitution.

Germany. They have always sought to soften the menace of the Triple Alliance for Russia by entering into special compacts with her—for example the Bismarck "reinsurance" agreement which, of course, is not worth the ink with which it was signed two years ago. No student of the German press can fail to remark that a moderate and reasonable tone is always maintained against the often unreasoning hostility of the Russian press, while restraint is conspicuous by its absence in dealing with France and England. Despite all this, and despite the efforts of the German Emperor to cultivate friendship with the Czar, the two countries are really hostile and inevitably find themselves in hostile camps. The imperial chancellor, in his Reichstag declaration, explained why Germany would go to war to protect Austria. We should be fighting in our own quarrel, for our own future, he said. And the Reichstag, barring the Socialists, cheered. Obviously, he did not mean that the exclusion of Servia from the Adriatic was Germany's own quarrel, or that her future was bound up in the Balkan question. He meant that Germany cannot allow Austria to be defeated by Slavs. If she fought Russia she might be defeated, and as she cannot be prevented from fighting Russia, Germany must fight at her It is a question of Germanism

against Slavdom. At present Austria-Hungary, although more than half Slav herself, is the southern bulwark of Germanism against the steadily-rising Slav tide. If she is crushed, Germany will be alone, exposed to the full impact of the flood, and the prospect is one which appeals to her s little that she will stake her future on a war rather than find herself in that position. The Germans are the central European race. On the west they have for neighbors hostile France, unfriendly England, and the sea. On the east and south they are bounded by Slavdom. Germany proper, the "Reich," is the northern, Austria the southern province of the German world. Berlin and Vienna are its north and German. The majority are Slavs are German, and for the north Germans, the Austrian is the natural ally against the Slav.

Hemmed in by Slavs.

men are more attractive, for they are the Baltic to Triest on the Adriatic Ruthenians, Bulgarians, Serbs, Croatoin. Economically and culturally, Ger-In culture, in all that goes to make up perior to the Slav peoples. What they time they follow the men on their tion to make their arrowheads and know he has taught them. In politics

tribe. The common way of getting their women is to buy them, paying for them with arrow points, bows and arrows.

Inght they come and leave some arrows allowing for their Turkish conquests, another 10,000,000. In Austria-Hungary them with each other as with the worlder. they are intelligently ruled and organized, and they are hungry suckers-up of the thing called culture. Some of these peoples have given proof of great political and military capacity-the Bulgarians, for instance. The southern altogether, but more often they rele- preciate their worth. The people who alert. In the last generation they have bowmen bows to the back part of the live in the villages seem to imbibe taken possession of Dalmatia, and are this wise instruction, and then go Triest. They threaten German Austria with strangulation. They are doing their best to cut her off economically from the Levant, and to render her impotent by their numbers within he own borders. Military defeat would probably seal the fate of Germanism south of the Bohemian frontier. Tha ong, silent wrestle between German eivilization and Slav numbers and patriotism breaks out into undisguised var, Hapsburg and Hohenzollern will stand together for the life of the race over which they rule. Time, of course is on the side of the Slavs.

The weak side of this argument

from the standpoint of the Reich, the North German, is that of the Vienna Government, knowing that Germany must stand or fall with Austria, may e tempted into egotistic adventures the Serb from the Adriatic, from com-pleting the Slav ring around Austria from the Baltic to the Adriatic, as a support to the limit of her power. It is evident that when the treaty comes to be renewed there will be no change in this provision.

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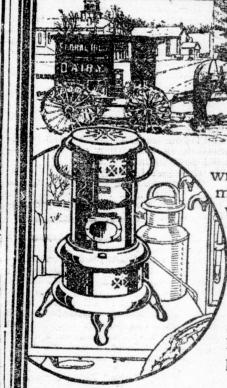
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