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Ian Hay, a teacher, who turned journalist, has just given the world a book which competent critics declare to be one of the two best books on the war. His book, "The First 100,000 of the War," has not yet reached Canada, except a few advanced copies, but it is highly praised in Great Britain. This is not Hay's first effort along literary lines, his two previous novels, "A Man's Man," and "Pip," having won a big place for their author. Hay was formerly connected with Durham School, where he specialized in athletics, thereby winning his way to the hearts of the students.

CAPTAINS OF STEAMERS CAPTURED BY GERMANS

CAPTAIN EVAN JONES AND CAPTAIN DAVID BARTON ON THE DOCK AFTER LEAVING THE APPAM.

HERE ARE SHOWN TWO CAPTAINS OF STEAMSHIPS CAPTURED BY THE RAIDER THAT CAPTURED THE STEAMSHIP APPAM. CAPTAIN JONES WAS COMMANDER OF THE BRITISH STEAMER TRADER WHICH WAS SUNK. CAPTAIN BARTON WAS COMMANDER OF THE STEAMER CORBRIDGE, WHICH WAS CAPTURED AND CONVERTED INTO A COLLIER BY THE GERMANS. THE PICTURE SHOWS THE CAPTAINS AFTER LEAVING THE APPAM AT NEWPORT NEWS.

A Few Tips About Sago

Where and How It Grows and Where It is Produced.

Sago is made from the pitch of a tree trunk. This tree—the sago tree—is a kind of a palm, like the date-tree and the cocoanut tree. It is found in the East Indian Islands, where it gives food to many thousands of people, particularly in the large island of New Guinea, where a great part of the population is almost entirely dependent upon it.

The sago tree grows in swampy places either by the sea or in little hollows by the hillsides. It is thicker than the cocoanut palm, but it does not grow quite so tall, being about thirty feet high when full grown and perhaps twenty inches in diameter. What looks like the root of the sago-tree is really a creeping underground stem, from which a spike of flowers grows when the tree is ten or fifteen years old. For some years, while the plant is young, the upright growing stem is covered and completely hidden by large spiny leaves.

These are like enormous feathers, of which the centre stems, or mid-ribs, corresponding to the quill of the feather, are from twelve to fifteen feet long, and in their widest part as thick as a man's leg. They are used like bamboo by the natives for building houses, and also by making the roofs and floors of houses that are built of other kinds of wood.

The bases of the mid-ribs widen out and wrap round the stem like a kind of sheath, as almost all leaf-stalks do to some extent. But the sheaths of the sago-tree are so large that, when they are broken off and trimmed, they are like large baskets or troughs—wide in the middle, where they have grasped the stem, and narrow at the ends, where they have joined the tree or are rolled up to form the mid-rib of the leaf.

It is interesting to remember this, because the natives actually use the sheaths as baskets and troughs.

The hollow stem of the growing sago-tree is not more than half an inch in thickness, and it is filled with a light, pithy matter from which "sago" is made.

This pithy matter varies in color from a rusty tinge to white Strings of harder, woody fibre, run through it like straight veins, and these are of no use for making sago, The pith is best for use when the tree is full grown and just about to flower, and it is then that the natives cut it down.

HOW THE SAGO IS OBTAINED.

The tree is cut close to the ground and as it lies on the soil, its leaves are cut off and a portion of the bark is shaved away from the upper side of the trunk so as to lay the pith bare.

A native takes a club with a sharp stone in the end of it and beats the sago-pith with it. By this means he breaks up fibres and the pith into little chips, taking care that they are kept within the trunk. From time to time these chips are placed in one of the sheaths of the mid-ribs and carried away to be cleaned. The beater continues to break up the pith until there is nothing left but the hollow tree trunk.

The sago is separated from the fibres in the pith by aid of water. The natives take two sheaths of the sago plant and make them into water troughs. They set them up upon little frames, one sheath a little higher than the other, with one of its narrow ends projecting like a spout over the lower sheath.

A kind of net-like bark or skin, obtained from the cocoanut tree, serves as a strainer or sieve, and is stretched across the upper sheath or trough. The natives empty the broken pitch into the trough above the strainer and pour water upon it.

The soft part of the pith is a kind of starch which dissolves in the water and so flows through the sieve, and down the spout into the lower trough, but the fibres are held back by the sieve. In order to get all the sago-starch out of the pith, the sago-maker kneads and squeezes the pith until nothing but fibre remains. This is waste, and is thrown away.

When the sago-laden water falls into the lower trough it is left for a time, and the sago sinks into the bottom of the sheath as a soft reddish sediment, while the clear water rises to the top, and by-and-by trickles over the side of the sheath. When this trough is nearly full the sago-starch is taken out, made into rolls, and wrapped in the leaves of the tree.

SAGO CAKES.

The sago thus prepared is known as raw sago, and is used by the islanders without being further refined. they boil it in water, and eat it with fruit and salt, or they bake it in cakes in little clay ovens. When these cakes have been well dried they will keep for years; a man can make in a few days sufficient sago-cakes to last him a whole year. It has been calculated that a single tree will produce about eighteen hundred of these cakes.

The sago which we use for puddings is made by refining the raw sago. When our grandfathers and grandmothers were young, the best raw sago used to be mixed with water and rubbed into small grains. At the present time the sago, after being moistened, is passed through a sieve into a shallow iron pot, placed over a fire, and in this way the round pearly sago which we use is produced. As this sago is half baked in this operation, it will keep for a very long time.

OUR MEN LOVE THE "HYMN OF HATE."

A midshipman was taking a party of captured German officers from a U boat, which had just been snared, and which was being towed astern by another pinnace. The officers sat huddled astern and seemed very uneasy.

One of them asked the midshipman if they were to be shot, and was much relieved when he replied, "No, you were doing your duty, and we do not treat our prisoners like that." With increasing uneasiness the German officers begged that they might do or give something to show their gratitude.

At last the midshipman said, "Oh, all right, then. Sing us the 'Hymn of Hate,'" Whereupon the Germans, apologizing that "they had sod moch voices," stood up unsteadily and solemnly howled the "hymn" through to the intense delight of the crew of the pinnace.

Swedish Ship Seized.

London, Feb. 11.—A Stockholm despatch to The Daily Telegraph says that the Swedish steamship Friga with coffee and piece goods for Gothenburg, has been seized by the Germans and taken into Swinemunde.

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