

fastened. The crops of barley or oats are gathered from the small patches of land, which are tilled by the women, who carry on a brave struggle against the drifting sands and fierce winds.

Our two following illustrations present

introduce modern and more convenient contrivances. When the Spanish conquerors took possession, they found no beast of burden as they had found the llama in Peru. It was the tall, muscular Indian of those mountainous regions



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a remarkable contrast in methods of mountain travel.

The primitive means of transport on the high table-lands and mountainous districts of Central America will exist till a railway running north and south, midway between the two oceans, will

who was the beast of burden then. And so he is to-day. A leather thong, with a pad over his forehead, keeps the load of from six to nine stone in its place. A callous growth on the forehead and the disappearance of the hair are the result. For passenger travel a kind of sentry-