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"Snapping" Lions in the Jungle.

By PAUL J. RAINEY.

Photographing wild animals in their native haunts is to me the finest sport in the world.

But it is a sport over which one must take time. For example, to secure the series of African hunt cinematograph pictures now being shown to thousands of people at the Philharmonic Hall, Great Portland Street, London, meant an expenditure of something like £50,000, and a year spent in the depth of the African jungle.

My expedition consisted of 80 white men, 300 black men, 135 camels, 40 horses, 50 dogs, 54 oxen, and 150 sheep on the hoof. At Mombassa the complete "safari," or hunting journey, was arranged. Hardy African tribesmen noted for their endurance, and other worthy qualities, accompanied the expedition, some as employees and carriers, and the remainder for the love of the sport.

The expedition included also a hundred American bearhounds. The first thing I did was to get two lion cubs which I captured only after a desperate struggle with their mother. They were used to acquaint the dogs with the scent of a lion. For three or four days these young cubs were led through the grass, and into the jungle for a mile or more.

Dogs to Hunt Lions.

The dogs were then put on the scent and easily took up the trail. So adept did they become in tracking the spoor of a lion that within a short time they were sent out on a lion hunt, and easily ran their quarry to bay.

Amazing, indeed, are the ways of these wild beasts among which I have spent so much of my time. Take, for example, the water-hole within ten degrees of the equator which furnishes water to them, and where I took a series of photographs. They

make their way to it from as far as forty miles.

An amicable or truce exists between them, and the water hole is neutral ground, where they meet, with an understanding that so long as they are there they shall respect each other's peace, always preserving a certain order in drinking if a number come down together.

Thus the rhinoceros is given the preference even by the elephant; then the lions, leopards, and other big cats take their turn. The giraffe and other harmless beasts always stand at a distance in respect to their more powerful brethren; but at no time do the lions attempt to molest them, and they are seemingly immune from attack while drinking.

Lions, are, perhaps, the strangest beasts of all. One of my hunters once told me that he was sitting before his tent when a magnificent lion stiffened for the spring, leaped, and missed him. It then slunk into the forest looking thoroughly ashamed. The next day the hunter (so he said) came unexpectedly on the lion before a stream. It had up-ended a log of wood, and was practising long jumps.

Although I accept no responsibility for this story it is too good to miss telling. Seriously, however, on one occasion when I was taking a picture of a lioness the beast charged at me. One of my party fired, but the lioness was only checked, and it was not until she was within three feet of the camera that she was dropped by the marksman. That photograph, I consider, in the circumstances, to be the best I ever took.

Risks the Camera Men Run.

Another remarkable picture I obtained when a rhinoceros charged. It was stopped by a bullet and feigned death and a splendid photograph of the final shot striking the animal was secured. A poorly placed shot or an instant's delay may mean death or maiming to the man behind the camera.

With such an expedition as this, one comes across some curious animal friendships. One day I found a little gazelle asleep in some high grass. He was

easily captured and brought into camp. He was fed on milk by means of a nursing bottle made with a piece of rubber tubing and a pickle bottle. In a few days he became very tame, and would follow at my heels.

The gazelle selected a bearhound as his most intimate friend. This dog took so great an interest in his little friend that he would not permit any of the other dogs to molest it.

Next to lion hunting, bagging the cheetah or hunting leopard was the best sport. For this our bearhounds were given their full chance. In one morning the pack brought down three of these fierce creatures.—P.W.

Amusements.

CRESCENT PICTURE PALACE.
 To-day the Crescent Picture Palace is showing a special Lubin Feature in two reels: "The Shadow of Traagedy," this great drama is staged and acted in the best Lubin way. "His Wedded Wife" is a story written by E. R. Carpenter for the Vitagraph Co. To inherit a fortune a young woman marries a man she doesn't know, they have never seen each other since they meet later, fall in love and rejoice in their mysterious union. "The Long Lane" is another interesting story and "Sophie's Legacy" is the greatest comedy you ever saw, one huge scream from start to finish. Mrs. Hanford sings a new song. This is a great big show, go to the Crescent and see it.

GREAT CANADIAN SINGER AT NICKEL TO-DAY.

Forbes Law Duguid, the great Canadian baritone who is well known all over the Dominion makes his first appearance at the Nickel Theatre this evening. He is the leading Canadian singer of the day and has had great success wherever he has appeared. His work in America and England has been equally successful. St. John's is anxious to hear him. The pictures to-day are about the best ever given at the Nickel. There will be another episode of "Our Mutual Girl" in which Margaret is seen in air ship with Lieut. Porte. "The Runaway Freight" is the most thrilling picture ever shown here. "The Rescue" is a beautiful social drama, and there are two comedies "Ups and Downs" by the Keystone Co. and "Thanks for the Lobster" by the Vitagraph artists. You should not miss to-day's entertainment, it is absolutely a great show.

"OURS" IN THE WEST END.

There will be a first class program provided to-night at the popular theatre. Some of the pictures to be seen, instructive and amusing, the very cream of comedy pictures. The two new little singers, Miss M. Deniff and Miss G. Richards will appear in charming costumes and sing entire new songs in which they have been well trained by Mrs. Rossley. A grand evening's entertainment at a very small price.

THE ROSSLEYS.

A complete change of programme to-night, all new pictures, music, songs and sketches. The Rossleys will prepare an excellent programme for patrons until the arrival of the next new performers. Mr. Ballard Brown got a great send off and received many nice presents. The staff of both the Rossley Theatre were them on the train, and many hundreds of patrons are sorry to lose such capable artists.

BRITISH THEATRE.

The best-balanced programme as yet to be given will be shown at the above house, commencing this evening. One of the greatest two-reel photo-plays ever to be produced is from the studios of the British Co., famous as the sponsors of the beautiful work "Quo Vadis." George Ade, the most famous living American humorist, is also represented by one of his best satirical comedies entitled "The Fable of the Good Fairy." The social drama by the Lyceum, is truly a work of art and will be greatly appreciated by connoisseurs of first class acting and beautiful photography. "Hunger knows no Law" is a magnificent specimen of artistic skill in every sense. A truly great show.

Our Volunteers.

The total number of volunteers enrolled to date is 1,953, the following having enlisted on Saturday last:—

- Cyril E. Daniels, St. John's.
- Geo. Kirkland, St. John's.
- Robt. Collins, St. John's.
- Frank Tucker, St. John's.
- Art S. Hayward, St. John's.
- Howard Smith, Dildo, T.B.
- Edmund Brake, Humbermouth.
- John Murphy, Humbermouth.

The work of enlisting for the Reserve Force will be continued daily as usual.

Annoyance to Fishermen.

There are still several "growlers" between Flatrock and Cape St. Francis which are an annoyance to the fishermen in that neighbourhood. Codfish continues scarce on the local grounds and there are no signs of caplin yet. This morning boats got very small catches of "tom cods" or about enough for the consumption of fisher folk themselves.

BANKERS ARRIVE.—During the past week the following vessels arrived at Harbor Breton: The Banks; Stella, 600 qts.; H. M. Stanley, 600 qts.; Utowana, 850 qts.; Ormat, 680 qts.; Ella Blanche, 600 qts.; F. Smith, 680 qts.; Oregon, 750 qts. At Bay L'Argent—Philander, 650 qts., Wallace G., 650 qts. Caplin are reported plentiful all along the coast, and there is a good sign of codfish at Jacques Fontaine.

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TINNED MEATS. Ox Tongue, Lunch Tongue, Corned Beef, Roast Beef, Steak & Onions, Corned Beef Hash, Luncheon Beef, Bacon, Ham, Sausage, etc.	TINNED FRUIT. Peaches, Pears, Apples, Orsters, Lobster, Plums, Pineapple, Strawberries, Raspberries, Fruit Salad, Cherries, Greenhouses, etc.	TINNED FISH. Sardines, Herring, Oysters, Lobster, Salmon, Bleater Paste, Kipper Paste, Anchovy Paste, Sardine Paste, Etc., Etc.
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Diphtheria Epidemic.

Diphtheria is on the increase in city. Last week seven cases of the disease were brought under the notice of the Health Authorities. Three deaths occurred. Two of them were children of Mr. H. Shaw, Pleasant Street, aged 4 and 6 years, respectively. A sad circumstance in connection with the Shaw family is that Mrs. Shaw and another of her children are in hospital ill of the disease.

From the Sagona.

At noon yesterday Capt. Parsons, of the S. S. Sagona, now on the way to Labrador, wired the Reid Nfld. Co. as follows:—"Funk Islands S. W. about 20 miles; heavy ice around; ship making slow progress; weather calm and fine."
 Net is much liked for graduation dresses.

A raid upon the German town of Sphinxhaven, on Lake Nyassa, carried out by a force from British Central Africa, was successfully accomplished and a quantity of rifles, ammunition and stores captured. A German armed steamer was shelled and destroyed. The landing party returned safely, with but one man slightly wounded.

FLOUR DROPS IN PRICE.—We are told that flour dropped 60c. a barrel in some of stores in town Saturday.

Don Trappell Again Reported

THIS TIME A GERMAN PRISONER.
 Reports concerning Don Trappell, belonging to the Fifteenth Battalion, Canadian Expeditionary Force, and previously reported in the Casualty List, seem to be conflicting. A gentleman, belonging to the city, who saw active service in the Boer War and who is at present an officer in a British regiment, writing to a friend here makes particular mention of Don Trappell, whom, the letter alleges, was not killed in action, but was taken prisoner by the Germans. The British officer's letter has been shown to Mr. and Mrs. Trappell, who are delighted to hear that their son Don is still in the flesh. If such is the case, and it is earnestly hoped that his internment will be short.

Methodist Conference.

GOWER STREET CHURCH.
 To-day, 8 p.m.—Celebration of the Centennial of St. John's Methodist. Address by Rev. Dr. Bond.
 To-morrow — 10 a.m. Ministerial Session of Conference, 2.30 p.m., Stationing Committee, Church Parlor; Nominating Committee, No. 1 Class Room; Statistical Committee, Minister's Vestry; State of the Work Committee, No. 2 Class Room; 4.30 p.m., Sunday School Committee, No. 4 Class Room.
 8 p.m., Theological Lecture, by Rev. Professor F. W. W. DesBarres, B.A.

Arrived at Lewisporte.

The steamers Clyde and Home which had been detained by ice for several days at Brassers Harbour, Main Tickle, arrived at Lewisporte yesterday after a run of 18 days from this port. The ships report that the ice is still very heavy north of Twillingate, but that yesterday's wind would probably clear that shore. Both steamers will take up their routes to-day in Green Bay and Notre Dame Bay, respectively.

Here and There.

BEGINS WHALING.—The whaler Cachetol is now on the way from Trinity to Hawke's Harbor to begin the season's operations.

TRUE BRITISH.—A picture of Edwin, William, Herbert and Fenwick Cornick, of this city, who are now on active service, appears in a recent issue of the Montreal Star.

SAFETY RAZOR.—We are Sole Nfd. Agent for the Giant Junior Safety Razor—50c. with 7 blades. CHEESLEY WOODS, 282 Duckworth Street—msv28,tf

STRAYAWAY FOUND.—Yesterday afternoon a five-year old girl, who had lost her way, was found wandering near the old railway yard. She was brought to the East End Fire Hall where her parents called for her.

PRACTICE MATCHES.—The Cubs will play the Red Lions a practice game in Rennie's Field to-night at 8.15 to put them in readiness for their game against the Shamrocks on Wednesday afternoon. To-morrow night the Cubs will play the B.I.S. at the Cubs' ground.

SLIGHT FIRE.—At 10 a.m. yesterday the Central Fire Company were called by phone to Queen's Road where a slight fire was in progress in the house occupied by Miss Dudley. Sparks from the chimney had ignited the roof. Beyond the burning of a few shingles no damage was done.

DEDICATION CEREMONY.—The ceremony of the dedication of the organ of the C. E. Cathedral will take place on Thursday next, the Feast of St. John the Baptist. At 7.45 a.m. there will be Mattins, followed by the dedication ceremony and Holy Communion at 8 a.m. At 8 p.m. there will be a recital by the members of the Cathedral choir and other singers of the city. A collection will be taken up in aid of the organ fund.

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