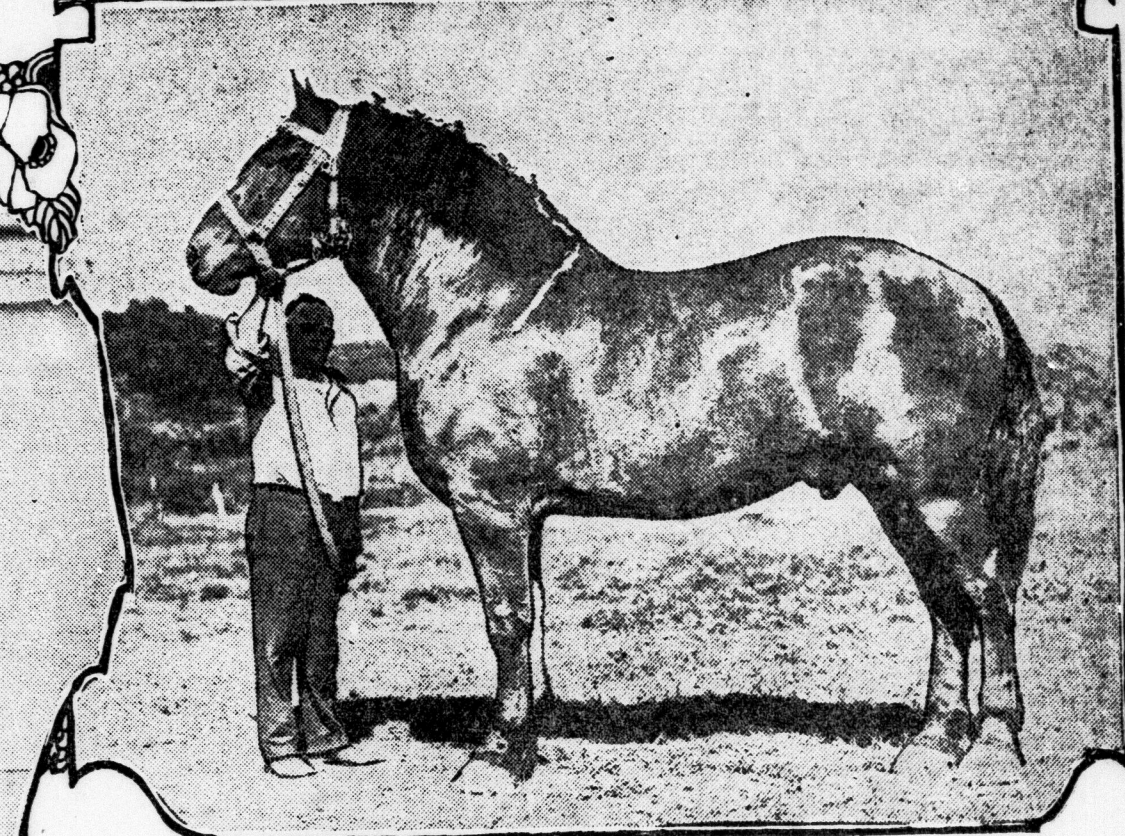
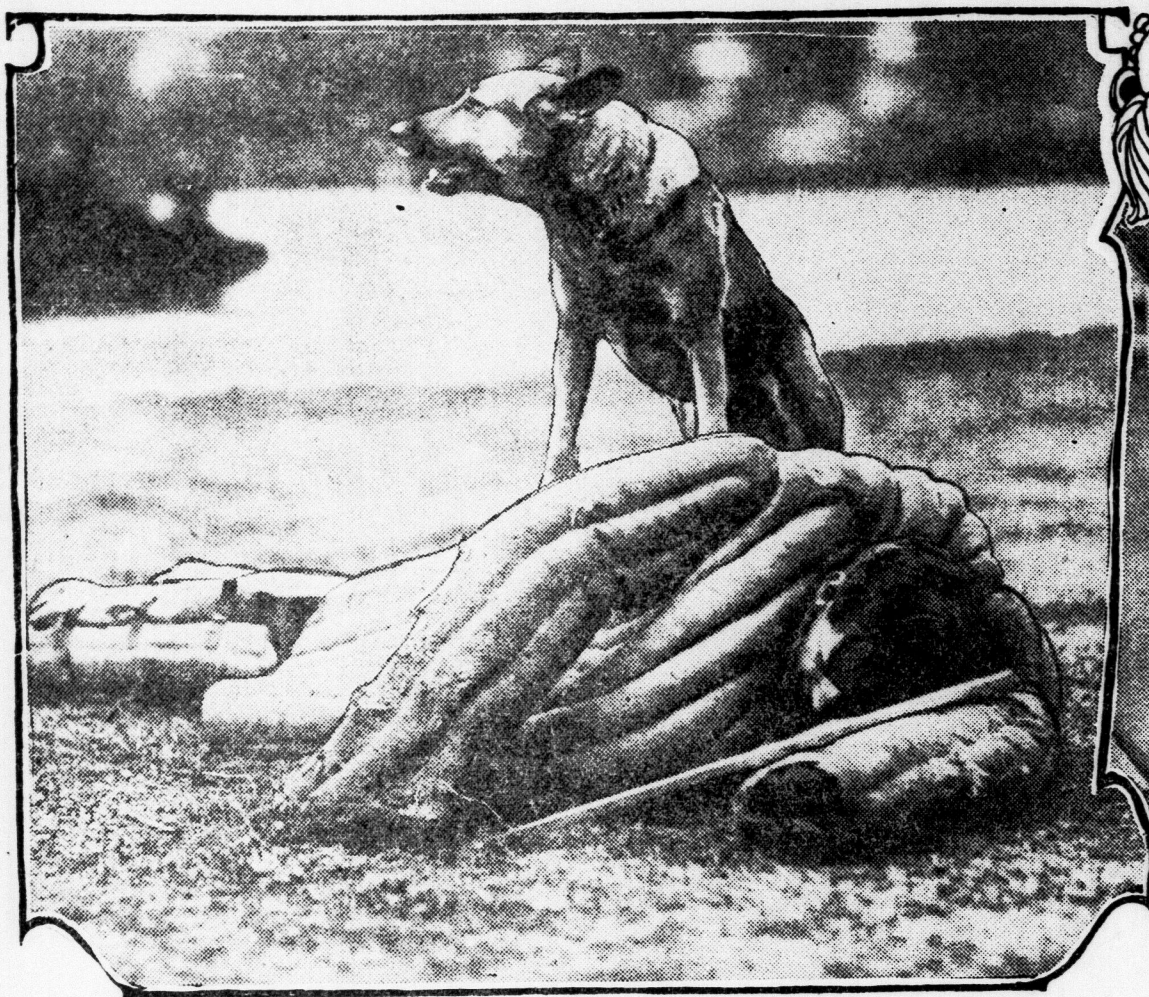
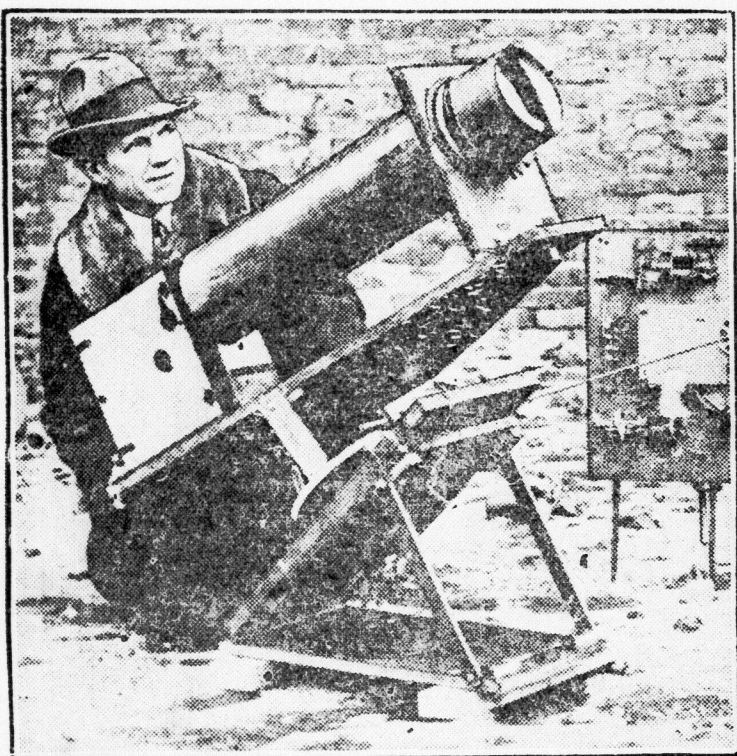


Victory Tower Completed; World's Largest Horse; First Cougar Shot



Lubber, recently acquired by a Nebraska firm, is said to be the largest horse alive. He stands 21 hands high and weighs 3,000 pounds. He is a 5-year-old bay gelding with black points.

The Alsatian League of Great Britain hold their trials at Crystal Palace, London. Photo shows Madame C. Jullien's Fritz Von Blauenstein guarding a "criminal."



The largest motion picture camera in the world will be used to photograph the total eclipse of the sun on January 14, 1926, at Benkeelen, Sumatra. Capt. Barnett Harris, U.S.R., of the Harvard eclipse foundation, is shown.



President Clark Griffith of the Washington baseball club, with the family of his wife's widowed sister (right, back row) which he and Mrs. Griffith have adopted. Several years ago they took two of the kiddies. Recently they went to Montreal, where the children live, and adopted the remaining five.



Rena Jane Frew (right), chosen radio Diana of America, at the New York show, greeting Mrs. Harold Erickson across the microphone at the Chicago exhibition.



Grettir Algarsen, Canadian leader of the British Arctic expedition, who, it is now reported, was deposed of his captaincy on reaching the polar region.



Since the recent removal of the scaffolding which cloaked the classic beauty of Victory Tower, the above is the first published view of the now complete memorial which crowns Parliament Hill, Ottawa. The 53 bell carillon is still to be installed. The old buildings were destroyed by fire, February, 1916.



Above (center) is Mrs. Jesse Burnett of Indianapolis, whose 267-word essay on "What the Motion Pictures Mean To Me" wins her a trip around the world. There were 250,000 contributions. The distributors' association, of which Will Hays (left) is president, sponsored the contest. Her husband (right) goes along.



Wilhelm Backhaus, noted pianist, arrives in New York from England. Photograph of Mr. and Mrs. Backhaus.



To "Bill" Hart and Lester Sloan went the honor of bagging the first mountain lion in California this season. The state gives a bonus for each one slain.



Freddie Spencer, champion bicycle rider of America, with Bobby Walthour, Jun., his teammate in the six-day race, starting November 29, at the new Madison Square Gardens, New York.