dcep-set eyes were bewildered.

it to me," he threatened

jeopardize the White Eagle.

miracles do sometimes happen.

(To be continued.)

Sewing For Saints

ing dust upon the shelf.

Mazie V. Caruthers, in New York

The meek little customer entered a

pears, please; how much?"

BEGIN HERE TODAY John Ainsley, a man of education my memoirs understand now why I but is fighting the pest. and breeding, becomes a master crook had to wait until after dark. In day--preying upon other thieves. In ar- light my bundle of books and pillows ranging with a "fence" to dispose of a and everceat would not have deceived of the oldest of mammals, has been tions in the text. The Color Books of box of jewels which he stole from the White Eagle, a crook, Ainsley is overheard by Swede Thomassen, a murder-

phones the White Eagle, telling him wrenched his revolver from his hand that the man who robbed him and a and dominated the situation. partner will be dividing the jewels at 9 o'clock in his—Ainsley's—apert ment. Then he tries to hold Thomas-

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY. And Thomassen was shrewd enough to realize that any attack upon me would be better deferred until just as he was leaving. My servant, despite know your voice. Why?" my instructions to her, might come to I swept the jewels from the table, tors, the janitor—some one like this backed to the door. "It is too long a might call, and if I were not present story; my dear Duc," I answered.

"Neverthals to the work of the work.

It was some years ago when Dr. Charles A. R. Campbell, an employe of the Health Department of the Health Depart to receive him, embarrassment might! arise for the hiding murderer.

I had persuaded him that he should stay here until ten o'clock, so I felt "Perhaps, Monsieur le Duc. Meantime fairly confident that he would make no attack upon me until shortly before Fapers; perhaps then you will under that hour. And the White Eagle was stand.

and invelf, off viands that I prepared. And at a quarter to nine we had fin- park, I saw the White Eagle and Loished and were smoking after-dinner cigarets in my bedroom. I had advised sitting in here, because it was for his departure approached, began to yield to the strain of the situation. murderer collienplating another tended to kill me and take all the An- promise exacted from me prevented return of darkness. derion lewels—it did not seem absurd to him that one rotem should be less to him that one rotem should be less conspicuous than another. It was the farthest room from the entrance door, and anything said or done was less likely to be heard in my bedroom. In the victim also of the White Eagle's likely to be heard in my bedroom. In-deed, he thought that I was playing deliberately the chance that I, too,

At just before nine o'clock I started would be killed, Why? Have I not an argument. I said that he had said that when I surrendered honesty taken the more valuable of the jewels I clung to honor? Could I permit a and that we ought to divide them again. From his peckets he produced his share. He was glad for the dispute. He wanted to work himself up, Had I expected to regain the Andercold-blooded though he was, to a point son jewels once the White Eagle set termite in the dark? To say nothing where my murder would seem more his eyes upon them?

table. As I did so, I heard the faint-est of sounds, the mere clicking of a the abandonment of this life. And I the farmer's crops. lock as a key was turned in it. And was still young enough to think that But his efforts are so I raised my voice, drowning the

"Damn it, Thomassen," I cried, "you can't get away with this." turned upon me with a glare of sneer- talk. Even in that excited moment of Northwest, or he may be the ordinary

hand went to his hip pocket. He was have been had not Thomassen come to left to the teeth or talons of predain his shirt sleeves. In pretended fear blackmail me. Nevertheless I thought tory reptiles, birds and whatnot. I backed away from him until I reach-that they would be easy enough. ed the window, And as I did so, the I was a fool. But then, I was a White Eagle, followed by that com-thief. And a thief is a fool. But I He insists an active interest in the panion of his who had masqueraded did not look at future difficulties then, conservation of toads must be taken as a hunchback the last time I saw I was wondering if the White Eagle. reading Thomassen's identity in the him, Lotier, entered the room.

I uttered an exclamation of simul- morrow's papers, would appreciate the ated surprise. Thomassen whirled fact that I had deliberately made him of fields and woods, by the careless considerably enlarged this year and and saw the intruders! His gun leap- an instrument of justice. I thought ed from his pocket, but the White that he would; the French are notable machinery and by other perils of their sists of two sections, a "Review" and Eagle fired first. I heard Thomas- for their romantic imagination. The sen's death-cry, and then I went White Eagle, if he knew all the facts. through the window, smashing the would appreciate them, and admire glass. I dropped to the ledge below. me. I broke the twine that secured the Indeed, I admired myself. I had clumsy effigy in place and hurled it extricated myself from a nasty situaemitted a shrick, the despairing cry of sider that my execution of Thomassen

room. Clinging desperately to the mode of life, but they would forgive of discomfort and proceeds on an im ledge, I looked up. The White Eagle's me this chapter. For I had risked my mediately different dietary. face appeared through the broken own life rather than let Thomassen go glass. He looked down; in the shadows below he saw a dark mass; he I do; but this time, in the matter of



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# A New Friend

The Lowly Bat Now Found to Aid Man in War Against Mosquitoes

The mesquite offensive may be con- the World War are undoubtedly furlucted with a can of kerosene sprinkl- nished by the Color Books publishe ed in the water barrel, with an air-during the war," says Alfred vo plane puffing poisonous dust over Weggrer, German semi-offical war swamps and marshes, or even with historian, in the August Current Hislittle fish introduced into breeding tory. "These publications, from start places. Now comes word from Texas to finish, contain only a small fragthat the ancient and much maligned ment of the documentary material

Even the Bible brands the bat as ments were abridged and disfigured unclean and from ages past this, one by various omissions and transposi regarded as a thing of evil. Man the three great powers, England, Rushas left it to its desolate caverns and descrited towers, shunning it as a sym-ency to leave out anything that might He uttered an ejaculation of ferocomes to Ainsley's clous delight. He turned back into bol of wickedness and ruin, and wo throw an unfavorable light on their Thomassen comes to Ainsley's crows dengin. The turned back into men have run from it in terror, become apartment and demands half of the the room. And like a cat I rose upon men have run from it in terror, become own policy, or that might tend to ex-

This little creature has never known these characteristics, contains forged anything from mankind but unpopularity. There is, however, another "The alarm will be raised in five creature of the night which men minutes," I told them. "But unless loathe even more, the mosquito, and correct tests, based upon faisificain his apartment until the White you give me two minutes' start, I'll here the bat has found a chance to redeem itself. Where bats have been Responsibility and Sanctions, whose The White Eagle stared at me. His used to fight mosquitoes there have been people who at first declared they ference in 1919 was made the basis of cuit-riding parson "from up on the "Nom de Dieu, why this? It is you who telephoned me to come here. I the animals, but later, it is said, they Versailles Treaty, fixing sole blame on changed their minds when aware of

the results of the work.

of the Health Department of San Andence presented, still endorse the retonio, set out to find a way to lessen port.". "Nevertheless, one day you shall tell danger from malaria by eradicating From the doorway I laughed at him. nosquitoes. His idea was to investigate the plan of using bats. The comnumber of the surviving members of mon species of this animal lives on the committee in the August issue. -two minutes. And read tomorrow's insects, catching them on the wing; Baron Rolin Jaequemyns, Belgium and stomach tests show that when mosquitoes are plentiful they are the ining all the new evidence summar Then I went through my livingroom, through the front door, and took bat's main article of diet. One bat ized by Dr. von Wegerer, concludes: We dined, the loathsome Thomassen the stairs three at a time. Outside, I may thus kill more than 1,000 mosqui-

hailed a taxi. As we drove into the tees in a night. Dr. Campbell undertook to find out tier emerge from the building. But how this appetite might be bent to there was no other taxi. They could the use of man. He envisioned large escape, but they could not catch me | colonies of hats, brought under cultithe most-recluded room in the apart- for both of which facts I was extreme- vation like bees, so that they might ment. And Thomassen, as the hour ly glad, for it had not been my plan to be used where needed and on an effective scale. At eventide they would fly from the quarters assigned to them, I had merely intended to see that clear the atmosphere of mesquitoes, murder I was certain that he in justice was done to Thomassen. The then turn back to the roost until the

# Common Toad Hero of the Night verdict."

Plant-Destroying Insects Are the Nightly Diet of Bufo Boreas, Expert Declares

Washington.-Bufo is the farmer's friend-a hero of the night. What, if not heroic, is he who meddles with a "is only partly true, though exaggerwhere my murder would seem more justifiable. Even men like Thomassen that I had prepared myself to die in and those "thousand-legged worms" I laid my share with his upon a their defence. For the money that called millepeds. He eats them and

kind. Bufo is only a toad, usually war that might have been avoided at Of course, Thomassen's body would thought of as squat, fat and warty. be found in my apartment. The police The four-letter word is his family would seek for me. Suspicion would name, and as toads go he may be a His, blue eyes, slightly bloodshot, inevitably be aroused. Leedon might Buto boreas, the common toad of the my escape, I realized that matters garden variety that gets kicked "I can't, ch?" he demanded. 'His would not be as easy as they would around, run over, plowed under or

Remington Kellogg, government b ologist, says such abuse is not right. if these useful animals are to escape extermination by the draining of their breeding places, by the burning over This handy little brochure has been operation of automobiles and farm now comprises 120 pages. It con- and window glass. present-day environment.

The toad, Kellogg says, is a great gourmand of plant-destroying insects. He is mainly terrestrial and nocturnal, prolonging into the night the general welfare of insectivorous birds afto the ground below. And as it fell, I tion with credit. Certainly! I con- ter they have called it a day. Sometimes he may get a good insect one a man hurtling to death. And then it was an execution—is the most that preys on other insects, and there my effigy thumped upon the ground highly commendable act of my life. I The books with which I had weighted had kept my word to a murderer, but done by his law of average. While if made it sound like a human body. I had also kep faith with myself. My he is less susceptible to stings than I heard an exclamation from the respected forbears might condemn my other vertebrates, he makes no denial

> THOUGHTS ON LEARNING The chief art of learning is to at Thomassen, you must withhold your censure. You who understand may tempt but a little at a time.—J.

> > Of all learning the most difficult department is to unlearn.-Chatfield.

ner earthly life Miss Jane had cut Learning passes for and fitted, hemmed and shirred, among those who want both.-Sir W. To-day her sewing basket's gather-Temple.

edless rusty, useless shears, the It is not wise to attempt to make yardstick in its corner leansslave of a man of learning. And what can she be doing now to

occupy herself? Learning makes a good man better, With folded hands she'd never be conand an ill man worse. - John Garth. tent at all to sit around.

Or with the Blessed Damosels Never be eshamed to learn, ever throng the Golden Stair; from less men than thyself .-- K. ler fingers would be itching for the Eliazar. scissors and the cutting board, To keep on making pretty clothes for other folk to wear.

Briton's Book Asserts Sun, Not Earth, Moves

laybe the Heavenly Mansions have a A book attempting to prove that the shining little sewing, room, sun revolves around the earth has just And if so, while the others play been published in England. their harps and sweetly hymn, It was written by William Edgell, It was written by William Edgell, One watches all with care most true, of Gloucestershire, and sums up his Doubt not that he will give thee too, know 'tis there Miss Jane will sit, still sewing saintly samite robes experiments extending over thirty Or stitching shifts with loving care years. For the last two years he has for baby cherubim!

Star and night after night he has watched for some sign of motion. Has the star budged? It has not. ruiterer's' and said-"I'll take two But the case of the sun is different. "Two In the morning it was shining in Mr. shillings, please," said the assistant. Edgell's front garden and in the even-The little man bore the shock brave- ing it was over the back garden. The ly: "Here," said he, producing a half- argument is impregnable, but the book crown. "Keep the other sixpence; I contains added proof in experiments took a grape while you weren't look, with oranges, smoke, pendulums,

had a telescope trained on the Pole

## **Evidence Shows** Parson, Teacher German Guilt Create Model Ozark Village "The most important bases for a

available, and the individual docu-

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Germany, cannot, we admit, be held

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judgment on the question whether Germany was solely responsible for Develop Community Center Lost Corner of Arkansas Mountain Fastness

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Kingston, Ark .-- A tiny village o sia, and France, clearly show a tend-75 population, not even listed on of ficial maps of Arkansas, is a model rural community. Located in the hills of Madison County with the only way jewels. He makes himself completely the ledge, swung to the window-sill, lieving that its one purpose in life is at home in Ainsley's apartment and before Lotier could cry a warn-to entangle itself in the human hair. The waits for the money. Ainsley tele-ing, I was upon the White Eagle, had the window state of the window sta documents which serve the same pur-

Isolated, indeed, is Kingston for pose. The remaining official docu- about four months in the late spring ments are characterized in part by in- and early summer, when the lone road is submerged by the waters from tions, for which the Committee on War Kings River. The community project began eleven

would rather have the insects than the famous War Guilt clause of the Dry Creek settlement," first rode into town and preached his initial sermon pefore a "brush arbor meetin'." Six-Shooters Pop.

who drew up the report whether they The natives did not take kindly to his stranger and his first sermon was preached to an accompaniment of discharging six-shooters and ill-suppress-This challenge to the War Guilt ed whoops. But the strange things Committee of 1919 is answered by a the parson said in his talk interested the natives. "We must live by the doctrines of

eighborly love. We must respect the member of the committee, after exampobility of honest labor. Creeds and lenominations are but slight things. The being and spirit of Jesus Christ, our Saviour, is the great thing." does it give rise to one single new fact What Kingston needed most, he sald, was more love and less liquor. needed a free church, schools and iospitals for every one, and a road ommittee, declares that "the Germans o join it with the world beyond South will never eliminate from the record

Mountain. of history the responsibility which A few years later a youngish schoolweighs on them-nation and Emperor master, Otto Ernest Rayburn, drifted -both for having deliberately preparnto town. He had just returned from ed and undertaken the war, and for the World War to Branscum, Mo. He he abominable crimes which they had used his last, dollar to buy scrap committed." Konstanty Skirmunt (Polumber, nails, four empty beer kegs and) says: "All documents and disand the loan of a saw and hammer. closures subsequently published con-With these he built a raft, boarded i firm the inherent soundness of that and floated down the White River.

Trader Hikes In. "No evidence that has yet been ad After days of drifting he landed a luced annuls Germany's real responsihe village of Cotter and hiked sixbility," declares Preston Slosson, Assoteen miles over the mountain to Kingciate Professor of History in the Uniston. When autumn came Rayburn versity of Michigan, in the same issue. Of all the main arguments set forth opened a school. Forty-four pupils with ages averaging a little more than by Dr. von Wegerer, he adds, only one has any element of truth, viz., that twenty years, answered roll call. The pupils were orderly, intelligent and "these documents were so incomplete as to be totally misleading," and this very much in earnest. The first two years of school the teacher lived as did the preacher, upon the benevol ated. The other documents are false ence of the countryside.

After talking the situation over the "The tribunal of history may very parson and the schoolmaster called a probably acquit Germany of the major countryside mass meeting and disguilt of desiring a general war." he says in conclusion, "but I cannot see how it can ever acquit Germany of meeting house all in on people were hard to convert to the idea, but these two leaders, not to be any date to Aug. 1, by accepting the outdone, chucked off theid coats - and British proposal for a peaceful settlestarted digging the foundation. That was five years ago. Just re-

cently the community building, a thing of permanence and beauty, was finished. After Bouher and Rayburn undertook the job they got together a few carpenter's tools and called for voluntary labor. Slowly the hill folks began to respond. A sawmill that had been discarded was rigged up and ing hillside and sawed for the build, course is completed. ing of the big house. Merchants in "

Plant is Worth \$40,000 "Condensed Statistical Record" of A large church in Rochester heard of the enterprise of the struggling and Ontario. The "Review" deals with the volhill town and sent a donation of ume and value of the Dominion's ex-\$9,000. When a professional conternal commerce. Its fluctuations distractor, on valuating the building, in tribution and routes, of transportaspected the completed structure he Months of Europe cross the sea tion are examined in respect to both leclared that the lumber used alone Touring France and Italy, current conditions, and recent variawould have cost more than \$40,000 at Months of magic 'round us spun ions. Several of the analyses are the lowest current market price now published for the first time: Can

After the five years required for Bring at last a sad unrest, ada's progress and her present josicompleting the building Kingston now Put hearth-loving hearts to tion among the great trading nations had a fully equipped high school, one of the world are explained in particuoffering thoroughly modern justruc. Ah, but if there dawn, a day lar detail. More particularly, the 'Review" treats of the following among other subjects: Relation beween Trade in Raw and Manufacured Products; · Seasonal fluctuations; Trade by Continents; Imports by Principal Countries; Exports by ple's college is held and preparations Or is it mist before our eyes? Principal Countries; Trade Balances; are now being made to epen a junior And like music sweetly sung. Principal Commodities Imported; Imcollege. ports for Canadian Industries; Princi-

pal Commodities Exported; Trade via school system that helps Kingston to Anglo-Saxon to the bone. the United States; Canada's Position receive nation-wide comment. Some We admit the hearts' turmoit in International Trade; Canada's of these are the library of 5,000 vol- As our feet press England's soil; share in World Import Trade, etc., etc. umes in the far wing of the com- Ah, forgive us. Paris, Rome; munity building, the print shop in This is England; this is Home. "The "Condensed Statistical Record" of Canadian Trade has been enlarged the old schoolhouse, where practical this year so that it now covers eighty- training is provided in the printing three (83) countries, the commercial arts and where "The Kingston Mirexchange with which is segregated ror," a weekly newspaper; "The only official report containing trade "The Thinker," a philosophical quar-others. statistics in this form. There are also

and dealt with in detail. This is the Ozark Life," a monthly magazine, and his own way, is also in the way of

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ta wealth in value of mines, wheat poultry products alone. growing, factories, production of paper and extent of railroads.

by the fact that 82% of the country's garding future growth. national debt is held within Canada, yet since the Great War, Canadians 400 miles of the Arctic Circle, have invested \$1,250,000,000 in other eighteen hour day during the summ countries. At the same time there compensating for the shortness of the has been an increase of \$600,000,000 season itself. All the mines now d in bank deposits, and the same veloped in Canada might be encoun amount spent on automobiles.

The northern sections of Canada, square miles. far from being the wilderness commonly pictured, produce from mines,

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tario teachers who have come to Quecussed plans for a community build, bec to learn French, the medals to be ing-schoolhouse, church; bookroom, awarded to the two who show the The hill greatest progress during the co the four weeks that they will be here. Department of Foreign Affairs, while the other has been given by the Quebec Department of Public Instruction. The teachers have arrived in Ouc bec for their course at the Sillery Convent, and were officially welcomed by llon. Cyrille Delage, superintendent of public instruction for the province. There were 50 assembled in the convent when Mr. Delage arrived with F. C. A. Jeanneret, of Toron.o, to whom pine, oak, wild cherry, el mand sassa- he handed the medals, to remain in ras were brought from the neighbor, his custody until after the four weeks.

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# England

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tion in printing, manual training, When our paths lead England-way, blacksmithing, farm management, ag England with her hedge and stream. riculture, Smith Huges vocational, Moors and downs and Devon cream; health and domestic sérvice. are now 225 students and eight Grey-stone walls a-drip with flowers. teachers. During the summer a peo Thatch and heather; cloudly skies-Ours-the same old English tongue; There are other things besides the Here a Darky meets his Joan,

-- By Hall Carrington Brent

Within the short space of fifty years | forests, and fields unlimited weath he ploneering spirit, inherent in The Canadian Government paid the pioneering spirit, inherent in Hudson Bay Company \$1,500,000 f. Canadians has resulted in the develop. Western Canada lifty years ago, as ment of resources until now Canada one Province of that territory la anks second in the world in per capi. year produced \$3,000,000 worth

steady and without boom feature The prosperity of Canada is shown even bankers being optimistic

Wheat can now be grown within passed in an area of one hundred mineral-bearing area of the count exceeds 260,000 square miles

erly, are published by Otto Ernest Rayburn, superintendent of schools. The latest addition to Kingston is a community health centre, located in the old church. Four thousand dollars's worth of instruments and a nedical library of 1:000 volumes have been donated to this, the only health center in the county. The qualified nurse, who has charge of the hospital, also works in surrounding neighbor hoods. Supplies for expectant moth-

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