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**CHILD'S STORY OF THE HUMAN RACE**  
*By Uncle Ray*

**Chapter 19—What Did Children Do?**  
 In all ages there are children. Let us remember that! Historians almost always speak only of men and women, but we are also interested in knowing what children did in ages past.  
 In the Stone Age, as always, we can be sure there were plenty of babies. We can also be sure they cried from time to time and woke up their parents at night.  
 We know that the little ones learned things as they grew up. Parents were the main teachers. You will all be interested in realizing that children of the Stone Age never went to school. There were no books or school buildings. Every day was a holiday.  
 What do you suppose the boys and girls did with their time? I'm sure they played much of the time—for all children like to play, and they seem to know how without being taught.  
 No one can say for sure what was the first game they played. It may have been tag. What child could miss the idea of tag? To touch a playmate and dare him to catch you, seems to be almost as natural to children as for ducks to swim.  
 "Playing hunter" must have been another popular pastime. Children like to behave like their parents, and what is more probable than that the boys made little spears and pretended to go out and hunt bears or lions? Perhaps other boys sometimes pretended to be fierce beasts and either ran away from the young hunter or fought him. Boys of the Stone Age also probably made slings, and had contests to see who could hurl a stone the farthest.  
 Girls doubtless made up "the audience" most of the time, but sometimes I suppose they joined in the game and pretended to be huntresses or wild animals.  
 Children's main "work" was probably picking berries and gathering firewood. When they did either of those things, they had to be careful of real wild beasts.



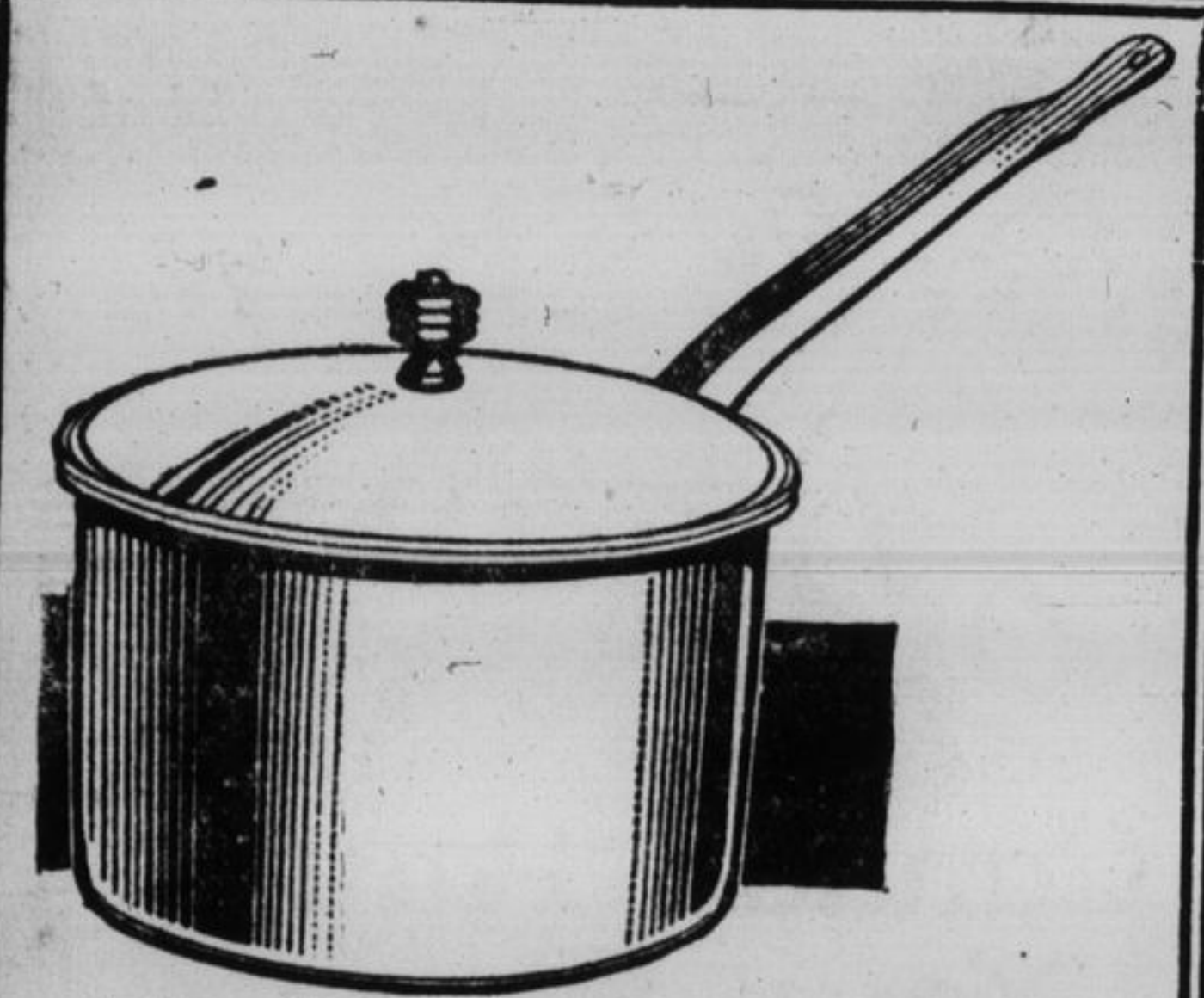
Here are two boys "playing hunter" in Stone Age days. The boy on hands and knees is pretending to be a bear.  
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**GIRL SUFFERS HORRORS AT HANDS OF TRIBESMEN**  
**Exciting Rescue by Woman Surgeon and Friendly Tribes in North India.**  
 Simla, British India, April 27.—The story of the sufferings of Molly Ellis, youthful daughter of the British commander at Kohat, while in the hands of Afridi tribesmen, after she had seen them kill her mother in the early morning of April 14th, is told in despatches from Peshawar, where she is resting under the care of her father and Mrs. Starr, the woman physician who played a large part in her rescue.  
 After their murderous raid the kidnapers fled to the hills above Kohat, half driving, half carrying their captive up the steep rocky paths. Throughout the following day she could see the searchers passing in automobiles below her. Her only protection from the severe cold of the hills was a coat belonging to a brutal Afridi named Shahazada, the man who killed her mother.  
 The next four days were a nightmare of alternate travelling and hiding, with the girl in an ever growing state of exhaustion from her physical efforts and the apparently hopeless outlook. Her feet were lacerated from tramping over the stony tracks, and once in the course of the terrible journey she fell fainting at the top of a snow covered mountain pass, upon which Shahazada lost patience and drew his dagger to kill her, being restrained only by his companions. After six days of travelling they reached her captors' home in the Tirah country. Meanwhile a search by friendly tribesmen was in progress under the direction of Kull Khan, a native official, who on the 20th reached Kanki Bazaar, the home of a famous and influential mullah, or Mohammedan religious leader, named Mahmud Akhundzada, where, after much pressure, he ascertained that the captive was held in a mountain fortress eight miles away. Kull Khan managed to have conveyed to the girl a parcel of comforts and a letter of encouragement, and in return learned that she was being reasonably treated by the women of the tribe.  
 Mrs. Starr at this time was near Kanki Bazaar under a native escort, having arrived after adventures which seemed to threaten her mission with failure, and the mullah, apparently fearing trouble, sent a letter to her party ordering them to turn back. This letter was ignored, and the party reached Kanki.  
 Shortly afterward Kull Khan induced the mullah to bring about the transfer of the captive girl to the mullah's house, where she was eventually taken, being carried over the shoulder of one of the tribesmen. The meeting between the girl and Mrs. Starr was a joyful one, but the danger was not ended, for while they talked the abductors stood around menacingly insisting that Molly was still their captive.  
 Presently the captors learned that a party of Afridis friendly to the British had arrived at their village and were attacking it, whereupon Shahazada seized Mrs. Starr and hustled her from the room, threatening both her and Miss Ellis. The mullah became enraged at this insult to the sacred rights of hospitality under his roof and publicly cursed Shahazada and his fellows.  
 In this dramatic fashion the balance tilted to the side of the rescuers and the surrender of the captive was speedily arranged. The tribesmen's demands for a ransom and pardon were abandoned, and on Tuesday of this week Kull Khan and the other rescuers started with the girl on the journey to Peshawar, where there was a joyful reunion between Molly and her father.

**PROVINCIAL HIGHWAYS.**  
 Report Issued by Department of Public Highways.  
 April 25.—At this season of the year and until the frost is entirely out of the ground the condition of unpaved roads may change very rapidly owing to the sudden failure of the foundation and the development of soft spots. It is expected that the frost will be entirely out of the ground within the next few weeks, and in the meantime it is impossible for road reports to be completely accurate for any length of time.  
 Toronto to Kingston—Toronto to Pickering township, fair. To Port Hope, good. Port Hope to Belleville, good-gravel road. Frost still going out leaving road soft in spots. Please avoid heavy loading. Belleville to Kingston, good. Five miles of old road in Ernestown rather rough. No detours.  
 Kingston to Quebec Boundary—Kingston to Gananoque, good. Prescott to Quebec boundary, Johnstown to four miles east of Morrisburg, good. From four miles west of Morrisburg to Farran's Point, passable but heavy. Farran's Point to Maple Grove, fair. Maple Grove to Glen Water, good. Glen Water to Quebec boundary, fair except for half a mile east of Summerstown, which is very heavy.  
 Whitby to Lindsay—Road fairly good.  
 Port Hope to Peterboro—Passable gravel road. Frost going out. Please avoid heavy loading.  
 Picton to Foxboro—Picton to Belleville, good. Old road rather rough. Belleville to Foxboro, good. Old road fairly rough. No detours.  
 Kingston to Ottawa (via Smith's Falls)—Kingston to Smith's Falls, road well dragged and in good shape for motor traffic. Smith's Falls to Port Elmsley, road good. Port Elmsley to Perth, road fair, with exception of one and one-half miles west of Port Elmsley, which is new grade. Perth to Boyd's Corners, road good. Boyd's Corners to Carleton Place, road good, with the exception of two miles east of Boyd's Corners which is new grade. Carleton Place to Bell's Corners, road good. Bell's Corners to Ottawa, road heavy. Motor traffic is advised to keep off road from Perth to Smith's Falls until frost is out.  
 Ottawa to Prescott—Road heavy.  
 Toronto to Hamilton (via Lake Shore Road)—Concrete throughout. (via Dundas street) Toronto to Cooksville, good. From end of pavement three-quarters of a mile west of Cooksville, newly graded to Sixteen Mile Creek, rough. Sixteen Mile Creek to Clappison's, good. Hamilton to Puslinch, good.  
 Hamilton to London—Hamilton to Brantford, excellent paved road. Brantford to Paris, good gravel road. Paris to London, gravel macadam road in good condition, except first hill out of Paris, which is very heavy, but in passable condition, and one spot immediately east of the eastern limits of the city of London, which is heavy but passable.  
 Hamilton to Niagara Falls—In good condition outside of small detour at Parkdale avenue into the city of Hamilton.

**Custer Survivor Found.**  
 Washington, April 28.—One more survivor of the Custer massacre has been unearthed by the Pension Bureau.  
 He is Shuh-shee-ahsh, a Crown Indian, now living on the Crow reservation in Montana, and is drawing a pension for services in the Indian campaigns of 1876 and 1877. Recent investigation of his case resulted in a pension certificate being issued. He escaped by mingling with the Sioux and Cheyennes.

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