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A terrible tale of the torrid zone was unfolded by Capt. R. H. Torrible the other day on the arrival of the steamer Denis, which plies between New York and Manaols, a port about 1,000 miles up the Amazon river. The skipper vowed by marine and other saints that never had he seen sights so strange, according to the New York Times.

On a river which empties into the Amazon, near Manaois, he said he saw myriads of electric eels so strongly charged with electricity that the broad bosom of the stream was flooded with light and the crew were able to read their pocket Bibles by the glow, which was estimated at 40 watts per eel. When seamen brought some of these high-voltaged eels on deck, Captain Torrible said, the ship's dynamos were short circuited and there was the dickons to pay until the cels were discon-

But Skipper Torrible hadn't finished. While the Denis was tled up at the pier, a boy who was working with a loading gang fell into the river. The luminous eels surged around him, and when he was picked up he was dead. A physician who examined the body said that the lad was the victim of an electric overcharge. Captain Torrible brought back with him a sundodging monkey, which prowled only at night. He declared that the simian, like an owi, was casual and apathetic by day, but when the sun went over the horizon the monkey had 20-20 glims and was an ultra-lively stepper. The captain took newspaper men into his cabin, where the pet was kept, and pulled down the shades. The sun dodger reacted to the gloom by appropriating and immediately eating a straw kelly recently purchased at considerable outlay by one of the report-

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