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FORAGING OBLITERATED.

In the occupation of the soldier the matter of providing a sufficient and satisfactory commissary department, has always been the most difficult question to be solved. Foraging has always come in play, sometimes as a necessity and by general orders and at other times in a surreptitious manner to satisfy the longings of the inner man which could not content itself with the hard tack, hard bacon and hard coffee that usually predominates in army supplies.

The German nation, which has always been the most persistent in its work to perfect the army regulations and plans, has apparently solved this difficult problem as it is announced from Berlin that consideration of this problem has recently resulted in a decision to use the Kola nut in the future campaigns of Emperor William's army. The properties of this fruit are stated to be almost magical. It is at once a stimulant and a food, and contains within a given space more nutriment than any other natural or prepared comestible. In Africa, in the West Indies and in South America it is used as a kind of "stimulant condition." Provided with a few of these nuts in their pocket, the German soldiers are in future expected to be independent of the heavy loaf and sausage in their knapsack, or of the slow-moving commissariat wagons, and will be able to advance through the most desolate and desert country without fear of being starved.

While the adoption of the Kola seems to the sanguine young Emperor destined to sweep away the difficulties with which the feeding of an army in the field is attended, thereby simplifying the art of war, and reducing the science of invasion to the level of the meanest military capacity, there are certain features in connection with the nut which will demand the consideration of the Berlin War Office. The vegetarians assert that if we lived on fruits, we should lose much of the ferocity caused by a diet of meat, and would become sweet and gentle creatures incapable of passion, hate or any other wickedness. How, then, will the adoption of the Kola affect the fighting qualities of the German soldiers? On the other hand, it would seem that a nut diet develops the climbing capacities of those who use it, and that is likely to render the Teuton armies prominently adapted for mountain warfare. For the French Alpine Club officially recommends it as "a stimulant in mountain climbing expeditions." Nor is there any reason to doubt the correctness of this advice, since there are no more able climbers in the world than the nut-eating squirrels and monkeys.

PROBABLY there awaits for the expedition that is fitting out to explore the rivers of the Congo Free State in Africa, as large if not larger and more important discoveries than have yet been made in the famous dark continent. It is said that much of the territory has never been entered by white men, and, from the accounts brought to Stanley, the region is thickly peopled and contains a great central lake like the Nyanzas of equatorial Africa. It is probable that the leadership of the party will be given to one of the men who acted as Stanley's lieutenants in the Emin relief expedition. Either he can stairs or Jephson would be worthy of the honor.

It is not often that the old saws, in relation to charming beasts and reptiles with music receives veritable proof, but the prosaic telegraph relates an incident from California that bears out such a theory. The circumstance as related is that a musician returning in

the early morning hours from a dance, where his dulcet violin had furnished the inspiration for the swift patterning feet all night long, was confronted, on a narrow trail hewn out of the rocky side hill, by two huge rattlesnakes which completely barred his way. On turning to flee he found a third reptile in his rear, thus hemming him in to sure destruction. In sheer desperation he drew out his bow and commenced playing his violin, when their snakeships immediately lost their threatening aspect, gradually drew near until they were in close proximity to him. In uncontrollable fear he clutched his violin and bringing down the heads of the serpents, all close together, stung them so they were easily despatched although the violin was sadly marrred. The telegraph does not mention what the violinist bad done with his bow.

The officials of the Mexican government took special pains, during our recent national holiday, to pay marked attention to the United States legation and our minister to that country. Such action shows that Mexico is politic enough to appreciate the necessity of keeping on the most friendly terms with this country.

IMPORTANT NOTICE.

Some Pointers That Will Save Money to Housekeepers.

Go and see that beautiful gold watch at the "Golden Rule Bazaar," Julius Gradwohl the proprietor of the Golden Rule Bazaar, informs us that he has the Prize Baking Powder and No. 1 Japan tea, expressly put up for his business, and for the benefit of his customers, every box of baking powder will win a piece of fine chocoate, and also each pound of the tea will win a piece of fine chocoate, and customers who buy one pound of tea or a box of baking powder, which is warranted, will have a chance on that beautiful gold watch. He has also added a fine assortment of family groceries to his mammoth stock of glassware and crockery, which is the largest in the Willamette Valley, and to see Mr. Gradwohl at the Golden Rule Bazaar, and you will find that nothing is misrepresented.

MUELLER & GARRETT'S MARKET.

Peaches, Apricots, Cherries, Black Raspberries, Onions, Tomatoes, Lemons, Beets, New Potatoes, Cucumbers, etc.

All of the above fresh fruits and vegetables to be found at Mueller & Garrett's, the leading grocer. Call early and secure the best.

Spring Jackets at Cost.

I have a small line of spring jackets in colors I wish to close out and have reduced the price to cost. They are the latest style and a bargain. I also have a line of spring stockinet jackets for \$5.50 each, which is the nicest jacket for the price in the market. Samuel E. Young.

While we run largely to specialists our stock is always full of choice goods in our line. Spencer & Blackburn.

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ALL PERSONS HAVING UNSETTLED A/ccts with John Dieringer are invited to call at once and settle as he has got his men market and has retired from the business.

LOST.—In this city, a light-red élevéen jacket. Answer to name of F. G. Reed, and will be paid for his return to his owner. G. W. Wards.

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