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SERIAL STORY

NEW YORK JUNGLE

BY WRAY WADE SEVERN

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YESTERDAY: Searching for the whimpering dog, Sidney and Marta discovered a secret passage-way from Adam's room to the Jungle. Sidney goes down, convinced that someone has just preceded him. Marta follows. There is no one in the Jungle. Suddenly Marta points to a figure of the huge ape—it is casting a double shadow.

CHAPTER XIV
THE man who cast that shadow had heard them enter the Jungle, or at least he had heard something that had caused him to hide. He might be armed. Might even be the murderer.

But he could not watch their movements from his hiding place behind the ape. To crane his head toward the fireplace would reveal his identity. He would realize that.

Cautiously, Sidney maneuvered toward the lionsess where he could command both the door and the fireplace. From that vantage point he could fire if the fellow moved in either direction to escape. Marta followed.

At the block on which the lionsess stood, Sidney halted and waited. He did not think they had been observed. Even in the half light he could see the dried blood from the wound Adam had received when he fell against the scimitar. He knew that Marta, too, had observed it.

She steadied herself against his shoulder. He could feel a trembling in her body and he wished for the hundredth time that he had insisted upon her remaining in her room.

Then he forgot about her. Forget everything but the need for vigilance. The shadow had begun to divide.

He's going to make a dash for the door. He'd not dare try for the fireplace, Sidney declared. He heard us move in that direction

even if he didn't see us. He heard a gasp behind him. Marta's hand slipped gently from his shoulder. Turning quickly, he caught her unconscious form in his arms.

For the second time that night she had fainted. She had overestimated her strength. Stifling a betraying exclamation, Sidney eased her noiselessly to the floor. It took but an instant, but he had had to turn his back to the ape.

When he turned around again, the ape cast only a single shadow. The hall door was swinging.

He knew Murphy, a state trooper, was on guard in the kitchen. Unless this mysterious intruder had the quickness of a cat, he would run into trouble as soon as he reached the upper hall.

Grasping his pistol, Braitwood rushed into the hall. It was pitch dark. He found the stairs and bounded up.

The door at the top was locked. He banged on the panel with the butt of his revolver and shouted. In a moment he heard hurried steps. Togi, half dressed, opened the door. Behind him stood Henry Barkes, in pajamas. Both had bare feet.

"What happen, Mister Braitwood?" the valet demanded, his voice trembling.

"Someone was hiding in the Jungle. He ran up these stairs and locked the door on me so I couldn't follow him," Sidney said. "Run down and look out for Miss Hempfield. Togi. She has fainted."

"Barkes, where's that damned trooper?"

"Trooper no good. Work day, work night. Go to sleep, I think," Togi sneered.

The commotion had wakened Murphy and he blustered into the hall demanding what the racket meant. He took charge of the search.

But if the shadow had been made by an outsider, that outsider had already escaped. They covered every inch of the rambling old house, and found no trace of an intruder.

"MAYBE you and Miss Hempfield saw the shadow of something outside the window," Mr. Braitwood. Murphy suggested. "A weather vane in the house next mine looks double in the lights, sir. After what's just happened, anyone might hear almost anything and see it, too. No one could have passed me in the kitchen and I'd have heard him run into the hall."

"You no fall asleep, Mr. trooper?" Togi accused.

"Sleep? Me! I never fell asleep on a job yet. What brought you into the hall so quick, little man?" Murphy eyed the valet with angry suspicion.

"My room right near basement stairs. I look into kitchen when I run out to see who at the door."

"Oh, yeah?" Murphy sneered. "Oh, lar!" Togi gave back.

Barkes, it developed, had slept in the library. Captain Plowman made a point of all remaining under the one roof until he returned. Though the chauffeur's quarters were over the garage, he had gone there only to get his pajamas, he said.

After Murphy had examined the shaft with a powerful flash, he changed his opinion concerning Sidney's imagination. Three sets of finger and foot prints were visible; Marta's, Sidney's and those of a stranger. The last were bad-

ly blurred.

"Your shadow was a wise guy," Mr. Braitwood. He wore gloves and came down in stocking feet. He sniffed the air. "Smells like chloroform up this shaft." Turning to Togi, he barked an order: "Get the people in the house into the library. I want to know what they say they were doing a few minutes ago."

PATRICIA LANGDON, Nella. Gundrum and Hugh responded to the summons. All except Gundrum, who apparently had not been to bed and was still fully dressed, were in robes. Their faces were tired and apprehensive.

"Did any of you just try to get out of the house unnoticed or do some dirty work in that museum just now?" Murphy demanded.

"If you used common sense, you would realize that women do not try to leave a house in their night gowns," Gundrum answered for the women.

"Long coats cover a lot, and there are rain coats in the hall closet. I spotted them," Murphy countered.

That was logical. Anyone planning an escape might—had he known about the shaft—have descended that way when he heard Sidney prowling about the upper halls. He could have passed Togi's closed door, gone through the kitchen without awakening Murphy, and have left the house by the front entrance. That is, if Barkes had not heard him. Barkes said he had heard nothing until Sidney shouted and pounded on the door.

But why should anyone wish to escape? Why the chloroform? The questions could not be answered.

It developed that Gundrum, too, had heard the dog but he said he thought the animal was outside. Neither Nella nor Sidney mentioned they had known of Gundrum's visit to Pat, but Nella said that she had had an unhappy dream and had awakened crying. Perhaps that had sounded like a

dog's whimper. "What did you dream, Miss?" Murphy asked kindly. "I dreamed I heard my uncle cry for help," the girl said in a low voice. "I saw him. His face was like an animal's after prey. It frightened me. I cried out."

Like one in a trance, she stood suddenly still, staring as if at a vision.

(To Be Continued)

County Board to Publish Registrants

EASTLAND, Oct. 23 (Spc)—The Eastland County Selective Service board, composed of John Turner, chairman, and Jay Mitchell vice-chairman of Eastland, and E. M. Howard of Rising Star, secretary, has established offices on the second floor of the Eastland county courthouse between the district attorney's office and that of the county school superintendent, where Leon McPherson, chief clerk, may be found at any time during office hours.

Jay Mitchell member of the board, advised that the list of 3115 names of Eastland county registrants together with their serial numbers will soon be ready for publication. The list and numbers will also be posted on a bulletin board at the draft board office.

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Cisco Chapter Of Homemaking Gives Program

The Cisco chapter of the Future Homemakers of Texas presented the high school chapel program Tuesday with Miss Edna Hageman, president, announcing the numbers. Miss Hageman preceded the program with several facts concerning the working of the Future Homemakers, their aims and achievements.

Future Homemakers is a state, national and international organization. The state club is divided into areas and areas into chapters. The Cisco club is in Area II. The chapter is organized on the basis of classroom units, all of which compose the entire chapter. The club work and homemaking course function as one.

The chapter is headed by an executive council composed of President, Edna Hageman; vice president, Gradyne Berry; secretary, Mary Elizabeth Slatton; treasurer, Marion Elmore; parliamentarian, Jimmy Jean Hensley; historian, Jo Ann Harris; and reporter, Alma Lou Smartt. Chairman of different committees make up an advisory council.

The club is a standard organization, the outstanding purpose of which is to improve living and home conditions and to develop the individual girl.

A state rally is held each year for the purpose of bringing together in friendly competition every chapter in the state. At the same time, the boys' FHT clubs meet.

Membership of the association is of three types: Active, associate and honorary. The Cisco chapter consists of 65 old members and 43 new members, who were welcomed and initiated into the club on October 11.

The group presented the following program Tuesday: Accordion selections by Patsy Jim Putnam; reading by Mary Alice Hukel; selections by a quartet composed of Alice Farley, Jeanette Myrick, Doris Thomas and Cathryn Johnson; reading by Patsy Jim Putnam; tap dance by Billie Jean Dean; reading by Bernice Baucus; a song to chapter members by Louise Archer, accompanied on the guitar by Zora Lee Johnson; piano selections by Helen Childress; and the chapter song, "Sing Your Way Home," led by the quartet and sung by the FHT.

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Methodists In Meeting At Church Tuesday

The Methodist Women's Society of Christian Service met at the church Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock with Mrs. John Shertzer, leader of the program, and Mrs. J. E. Crawford presiding. Program topic was "Uprooted Americans."

Devotionals were given from Matthew by Mrs. Carrel Smith, and from Luke by Mrs. J. T. Fields. Three hymns were sung, and sentence prayers heard.

"The Genius of Exodus," was an article read by Mrs. Shertzer, followed by a review of "Migrant Lands," by Mrs. F. A. McMillan.

Those responding to roll call were Meses J. E. Crawford, Homer Ferguson, J. T. Fields, L. E. Vaughn, J. T. Anderson, R. M. Adams, P. O. Brown, Jimmy Allen, F. A. McMillan, B. M. Holland, S. H. Narace, M. A. Northup, Roy A. Langston, R. H. Heizer, Carrel Smith, Joe Wilson, T. J. Dean, Joe I. Patterson, C. D. Dickerson, H. B. Allen, John Brown, C. E. Hickman, John Shertzer and B. E. Morehart.

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The club pen was presented to Julia Jane Cannon for the honor of being selected best all-around freshman in the homemaking club. The presentation was made by Gradyne Berry, vice president.

Group Two Meets With Mrs. Mobley

Group Two of the First Christian Women's council met Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock with Mrs. James Mobley. The meeting was opened by singing a hymn, after which Mrs. J. E. Elkins led in prayer.

After a devotional from the sixth chapter of Ephesians by Mrs. C. R. West, Miss Alice Bacon presided over a business session, during which plans were made for the church dinner to be held tonight. The remainder of the hour was spent in doing Red Cross work.

The hostess served refreshments at the close of the meeting to Meses W. J. Armstrong, John Bailey, J. E. Elkins, W. P. Moore, J. T. Scott, C. R. West, H. J. Wooldridge and Miss Alice Bacon.

Cisco Couple Are Parents of Girl

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Clark are parents of a daughter born Monday, October 21, at their home. The child has been named Jeanette Ione. Mother and baby are reported doing nicely.

Mrs. Clark is the former Miss Doris Surles, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Surles. The child's paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Clark.

Sewing Club With Mrs. C. L. Nix

The Stitch and Chatter club had its regular weekly meeting Thursday with Mrs. C. L. Nix. The guests enjoyed quilting and other needlework. The club will meet on Thursday, October 24, with Mrs. Elwood Lancaster, 1309 1-2 D avenue.

Present were Meses Jay Warren, D. E. Nix, A. A. Chancellor, J. M. Nix, Elwood Lancaster, Ernest Brock and the hostess, Mrs. C. L. Nix.

Parents of Son Early Today

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Dunning are parents of a baby boy born this morning at 7:20 at Graham sanitarium. The baby was named Robert Don.

Mrs. Dunning will be remembered as Alma Stroebel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stroebel of near Cisco.

Show Stopper



Mary Howard, wearing a red velvet hostess gown with scroll applique of gold kid, outlined in royal blue, and a gold kid belt, stopped the Garden Festival fashion show at Pickfair in Hollywood.

YWA Meets At Cole Home On Tuesday Night

The First Baptist Y. W. A. met Tuesday evening at 7:30 in the home of Miss Billye Cole and Mrs. Jack Abel. The meeting was opened with prayer led by Miss Willie Frank Walker, and Miss Freda Grist was welcomed as a new member.

Miss Mary Lee Daniel directed a program with parts by Meses Dorafae Collins, Miriam Ghormley and Louise Flaherty. The counselor, Mrs. M. B. Osburn, closed the meeting with prayer.

Refreshments were served to Mrs. Osburn, Mrs. Eldon Anderson, Meses Dorafae Collins, Mary Lee Daniel, Louise Flaherty, Miriam Ghormley, Jeane Snowden, June Dennis, Zona Surles, Willie Frank Walker, Freda Grist and the co-hostesses, Mrs. Abel and Miss Cole.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Leo Lipshitz has returned from a visit with relatives in Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. George Lingle of Pasadena, California, were in Cisco Sunday and Monday, greeting old friends. They are former Ciscoans.

Miss Roberta Moss of Denton expects to spend the week-end here with friends.

Mrs. A. E. LeClaire of Odessa is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Collins.

Mrs. M. E. Goldberg has gone to Odessa, where she will transact business.

Misses Catherine Cunningham and Anne Buckley expect to spend the week-end in Fort Worth.

BABY LOCATES LOOT

LINCOLN, Neb., Oct. 23 (AP).—The 17-month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Stockfield crawled under the porch Tuesday and crawled out later clutching a package of cigarettes. Investigation revealed a cache of cigarettes, candy bars and soda water which thieves had placed there.

The Notebook

Friday
The Twentieth Century club will meet at the clubhouse at 9 a. m.

Miss Mary Belle Clement, who graduated in 1939 from Cisco high school and is now attending Our Lady of Victory academy at Fort Worth, spent the past few days here.

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Cisco Host--

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...ation director, and Mrs. N. J. Salyer of Itasca. An evangelistic message was brought by the Rev. Clifford Williams of Haskell.

An outstanding feature of the interesting program was a colorful talk on "Life in China" by Miss Marguerite Mizell of Columbia, returned missionary from China. Miss Mizell illustrated her address and showed interesting objects brought back from the Orient.

Vocal selections by Mrs. Leslie Grimes of Abilene and Mrs. N. J. Salyer, completed the program.

Haze Helps--

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the occasional explosion of light bombs.

The southeast coast engagement involved more than a hundred planes, according to the estimates of ground watchers.

The attacking force included a formation of German bombers escorted by numerous Messerschmitt fighter-bombers, and was split quickly into many small and struggling units which were declared to have fled.

"I watched them streaking back to France," said a witness. "They weren't in formation any more—just going any way to get home."

Hearing on--

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against such a request at this time.

Luncheon was served to about 25 of the Bowen representatives on the mezzanine floor of the Laguna, and the hearing will be resumed at 1:30 for the completion of evidence.

Additional hearings have been set for this afternoon and tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock the examiner announced. It is understood that applicants and witnesses for the hearings will remain in Cisco during the greater part of this time.

Total attendance at the hearing from out of town was 47 persons, a count showed.

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He said he believed that if the guard were released from federal service at the end of the year's training, its function as a manpower reserve for the regular army would ultimately be taken over by the trainees from the draft program.

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