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By EDGAR RICE BURROUGHS Author of the Tarzan Tales.

SYNOPSIS

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CHAPTER VII-Continued

T IS thus," he said. "that jungle folk die. We go cautiously for a lifetime, and then, just for an instant, we forget, and

He ground his teeth in mimicry of the crunching of great jaws in flesh. "It is a lesson," he resumed. "You have learned that you may not for too long keep your eyes and your ears and your nose all bent

In the same direction." That night the son of Tarzan was colder than he ever had been in all his life. The pajama trousers had not been heavy; but they had been much heavier than nothing.

And the next day he roasted in the hot un, for again their way led much across wide and treeless plains. It was still in the boy's mind to travel to the south and circle back to the goast. In search of another outpost of civilization.

He had said nothing of this plan to Akut, for he knew that the old ape would look with displeasure upon any suggestion that savored of separation.

For a month the two wandered on, the boy learning rapidly the laws of the jungle,

FARMER SMITH'S

his muscles adapting themselves to the new mode of life that had been thrust upon them. The thews of the sire had been transmitted to the son-it needed only the

tardening of use to develop them. The lad found that it came quite naturally to him to swing through the trees. Even at great heights he never felt the slightest dizziness, and when he had caught the knack of the swing and the release he could hurl himself from branch to branch with even greater agility than the heavler Akut.

And with exposure came a toughening and hardening of his smooth, white skin, browning new beneath the sun and wind. He had removed his pajama jacket one day to bathe in a little stream that was too small to harbor crocodiles, and while he and Akut had been disporting themselves in the cool waters a monkey had dropped down from the overhanging trees, snatched

up the boy's single remaining article of civilized garmenture and scampered off

For a time Jack was angry; but when he had been without the jacket for a shor? while he began to realize that being half clothed is infinitely more uncomfortable than being entirely naked. Soon he did not miss his clothing in the least, and from that he came to revel in the freedom of now. They would envy him. Yes, how they and plane

Occasionally a smile would cross his face as he tried to imagine the surprise of his schoolmates could they but see him his unhampered state.

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head erect.

He felt sorry for them at such times; and again, as he thought of them amid the luxurles and comforts of their English homes, happy with their fathers and mothers, a most uncomfortable lump would rise into the boy's throat, and he would see a vision of his mather's face through a a vision of his mother's face through a blur of mist that came unbidden to his eyes. Then it was that he urged Akut onward, for now they were headed westward toward uarry

the coast. The old ape thought that they were searching for a tribe of his own kind, nor did the boy disabuse his mind of this conviction. It would do to tell Akut of his village. real plans when they had come within sight

of civilization. One day, as they were moving slowly along beside a river they came unexpectedly upon a native village. Some children were playing beside the water. The boy's heart leaped within his breast

The boy's heart leaped within his breast at sight of them—for more than a month he had seen no human being. What if these were naked savages? What if their skins were black? Were they not crea-tures fashioned in the mold of their Maker spears.

tures fashioned in the mold of their Maker as was he? They were his brothers and sisters! He started toward them. With a low warning Akut laid a hand upon his arm to hold him back. The boy shock himself free, and with a shout of greeting, ran forward toward the ebon lad's cious black-stalking him as Sheeta, the panther, stalked his prey, as the boy had

The sound of his voice brought every head erect. Wide eyes viewed him for an instant, and then, with screams of terror, the children turned and fled toward the nd downward upon the broad shoulders f his prey. In the instant of contact his ngers sought and found the man's throat. village. At their heels ran their mothers and from the village gate, in response to the alarm, came a score of warrions, hastily snatched spears and shields ready in their e struck

At sight of the consternation he had tened themselves in his neck, and muscular fingers closed tighter upon his windpipe. For a time the warrior struggled fran-tically, throwing himself about in an effort wrought, the boy halted. The glad smile faded from his face as with wild shouts and menacing gestures the warriors ran toward him. Akut was calling to him from

For a moment he stood watching them coming, then he raised his hand with the paim toward them in signal for them to halt, calling out at the same time that he came as a friend—that he had only nto the bush to one side of the trail.

wanted to play with their children Of course, they did not understand a word that he addressed to them, and their answer was what any naked creature who was dead. had run suddenly out of the jungle upon

RAINBOW CLUB

their women and children might have expected-a shower of spears. The missiles struck all about the boy, but none touched

Again his spine tingled, and the short hairs lifted at the maps of his neck and along the top of his meals. His eyes nar-rowed. Sudden hatred flared in them to wither the expression of glad friendliness that had lighted them but an instant before With a low snarl, quite similar to that of a baffed beast, he turned and ran into the jungle. There was Akut awaiting him in a tree. The ape urged him to basten

flight, for the wise old anthropoid knew that they two, naked and unarmed, were no match for the sinewy black warriors who would doubtless make some sort of search for them through the jungle. But a new power moved the son of Tar-zan. He had come with a boy's glad and open heart to offer his friendship to these

ople who were human beings like himself He had been met with suspicion and spears. They had not even listened to him. Rage and hatred consumed him.

When Akut urged speed he held back. He wanted to fight, yet his reason made it all too plain that it would be but a foolish sacrifice of his life to meet these armed men with his naked hands and his teeth. Already the boy thought of his teeth, of his fighting fange when reashility of combat fighting fangs when possibility of combat Moving slowly through the trees, he kept

his eyes over his shoulder, though he no longer neglected the possibilities of other dangers which might lurk on either hand or ahead—his experience with the Honess did not need a repetition to insure the per-menonent of the bases it had bases. Bablind nanency of the lesson it had taught. Behind he could hear the savages advancing with abouts and cries. He lagged further be-hind until the pursuers were in sight. They did not see him, for they were not looking

among the branches of the tree for human The lad kept just ahead of them. For a mile, perhaps, they continued the search and then they turned back toward the

Here was the boy's opportunity, that for which he had been waiting, while the hot blood of revenge coursed through his veins intil he saw his pursuers through a scarlet

When they turned back, he turned and followed them. Akut was no longer in sight, Thinking that the boy followed, he had gone on further ahead. He had no wish o tempt fate within range of those deadly

Slinking silently from tree to tree, the boy dogged the footsteps of the refurning warriors. At last one dropped behind his fellows as they followed a narrow nath oward the village. A grim smile lit the ad's face. Swiftly he hurried forward until 'he moved almost above the uncon

sen Sheeta do on many occasions Suddenly and sliently he leaped forward

The weight of the boy's body hurled the lack heavily to the ground, the knees back knocking the breath from him a Then a set of strong, white teeth fas-

o dislodge his antagonist; but all the while he was weakening, and at the while the grim and silent thing he could not see clung tenaciously to him and dragged him slowly

Into the busin to one side of the trail. Hidden there at last, safe from the pry-ing eyes of searchers should they miss their fellow and return for him, the lad choked the life from the body of his victim. At last he knew by the sudden struggle, fol-lowed by limp relaxation, that the warrior was dead.

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PURPLE DREAM



whole being quivered and thrilled. Invol-intarily he leaped to his feet and placed me foot upon the body of his kill. His chest xpanded. He raised his face toward the searchs and opened his mouth to voice a drange, welrd cry that seemed screamin ithin him for outward expression. But o sound passed his lips--he just stood there or a full minute, his face turned toward to sky, his breast heaving to the pent rithin him for

motion, like an animate statue of ven eaned The silence which marked the first grea

all of the son of Tarzan was to typify all his future kills, just as the hideous vic-tory ery of the bull ape had marked the kills of his mighty sire.

CHAPTER VIII Beasts and Men

AKUT, discovering that the boy was not close behind him, turned back to search for him. He had gone but a thort distance n return when he was brought to a sudder ind startled halt by right of a strange figure

noving through the trees toward him. It was the boy-yet could it be? In his hand was a long spear, down his back hung an oblong shield such as the black war-riors who had attacked them sud worn; and upon andle and arm were bands of iron and brass, while a lots-cloth was twisted, about the youth's middle. A knife was through the rough its folds. thrust through its folds.

When the boy saw the ape he hastened forward to exhibit his trophics. Proudly be called attention to each of his newly won possessions. Boastfully he recounted the details of his exploit.

"With my bare hands and my teeth I killed him," he said. "I would have made friends with them, but they chose to be ny enemies. And now that I have a spear I shall show Numa, too, what it means o have me for a foc. Only the white men and the great apes, Akut, are our friends. Them shall we seek, all others must we avoid or kill. This have I learned of the jungle.

They made a deteur about the hostile village, and resumed their journey toward the coast. The boy took much pride in his new weapons and ornaments. He practiced continually with the spear, throwing it it some object ahead hour by hour as they traveled their loltering way, until he gained a proficiency such as only youthful muscles may attain to speedily.

All the while his training went on under the guidance of Akut. No longer was there a single jungle spoor but was an open book the keen eyes of the lad, and those other indefinable spoor that elude the senses of civilized man and are only partially apreciable to his savage cousin came to be H

amiliar friends of the eager boy. ould differentiate the innumerable pecies of the herbivora by scent, and he ould tell, too, whether an animal were ap-proaching or departing merely by the wax-ng or waning strength of its effluxium. Nor did he need the evidence of his es to tell him whether there were two up-wind, or vere a hundred yards away or half a

Much of this had Akut taught him; but far more was instinctive knowledge-a pecies of strange intuition inherited from his father. He had come to love jungle life. The constant battle of witz nd senses against the many deadly foer that lurked by day and night along the pathway of the wary and unwary appealed to the spirit of adventure which breathes strong in the heart of every red-blooded aon of primordial Adam. Yet, though he loved if, he had not let

his selfish desires outweigh the sense of duty that had brought him to a realization of the moral wrong which lay beneath the

dventurous escapade that had brought him

to Africa. His love of father and mother was strong within him; too strong to per-

mit unalloyed happiness which was un-

eceive funds for his return to London There, he fait sure that he could now per-suade his parents to let him spend at least a portion of his time upon these African estates which from little careless remarks dropped at home he knew his father pos-

That would be something-better, at least, than a lifetime of the cramped and cloying restrictions of civilization.

cloying restrictions of civilization. And so he was rather contented than otherwise as he made his way in the di-rection of the coast; for while he enjoyed the liberty and the savage pleasures of the wild, his conscience was at the same time clear, for he knew that he was doing all that has in his nows to return to his all that lay in his power to return to his parants. He rather looked forward, too, to meeting white men again-creatures of his own kind; for there had been many occhalons upon which he had longed for other companionship than that of the old ape. The affair with the blacks still rankled in his heart. He had approached them in

such innocent good-fellowship and with such childlike assurance of a hospitable welcome that the reception which had been accorded him had proved a shock to his boyish ideals. He no longer looked upon the black man as his brother; but rather as only another of the innumerable fors of the bloodthirsty jungle—a beast of prey which walked upon two feet instead of four But if the blacks were his enemies

there were those in the world who were not. There were those who would alway: welcome him with open arms; who would accept him as a friend and brother, and with whom he might find sanctuary from very enemy.

Yes, there were always white men ewhere along the coast. opths of the jungle itself, there were whit

men. To them he would be a welcome vis-itor. They would befriend him. And there were also the great apen-the friends of his father and of Akut. How giad they would be to receive the son of Tarzan of the Apes! Le hoped that be would come upon them before he found trading-post upon the coast. He wanted to be able to tell his father that he had known his old friends of the jungle; that he had hunted with them; that he had joined with them in their savage life and fierce, prim strange coremonies of which Akut had tried

to tell him It cheered him immensely to dwell upon It cheered him immensely to dwell upon these happy meetings. Often he rehearsed the long speech which he would make to the apes, in which he would tell them of the life of their former king since he had left them.

At other times he would play at meeting At other times he would play at meeting with white men. Then he would enjoy their consternation at sight of a naked white boy trickled out in the war-toga of a black warrior, and reaming the jungle with only a great are as his compainion. And so the days passed, and with the traveling and the hunting and the climbing the boy's muscles developed, and his agil-ity increased until even phiegmatic Akut marveled at the provess of his pupil.

marveled at the prowess of his pupil, And the boy, realizing his great strength and reveling in it, became careless. He strode through the jungle, his proud head erect, defying danger. Where Akut took to the trees at the first scent of Numa, the lad laughed in the face of the king of

beasts and walked boldly past him. Good fortune was with him for a long time. The lions he met were well fed, perhaps, or the very boldness of the strange creature which invaded their domain so filled them with surprise that thoughts of attack were banished from their minds as they stood, round-eyed, watching his ap-proach and his departure. Whatever the cause, however, the fact remains that on many occasions the boy passed within , few paces of some great lion without arous ing more than a warning growl,

But no two lions are necessarily alike in character or temper. They differ as

WISE WOMEN

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greatly as do individuals of the human fami-Because ten lions act similarly under nilar conditions, one cannot say that the youth lion will do likewise—the chances are that he will not.

The lion is a creature of high nervous development. He thinks, therefore he rea-soms. Having a nervous system and brains, he is the possessor of temperament, which is affected variously by extraneous causes. One day the boy met the eleventh lion. Targan's son was walking across a small plain upon which grew little clumps of bushes. Akut was a few yards to the left of the lad, who was the first to discover the presence of Numa.

"Run, Akut," called the boy, laughing "Numa lies hid in the boy, laughting Take to the trees, Akut! I, the son of Tarzan, will protect you," and laughting again, he kept straight along his way, which led close beside the brush in which Numa lay concealed.

The ape shouled to him to come away but the lad only flourished his spear an executed an improvised war dance to show his contempt for the king of beasts. Closer and closer to the dread destroyer he came until with a sudden angry growt, the Hon rose from his bed not ten paces from the

A buge fellow he was, this lord of the ningle and the desert. A shaggy mane clothed his shoulders. Cruel fangs armed his great juws. His yellow-green eyes blazed with hatred and challenge.

The boy, with his pitifully inadequate pear ready in his hand, realized quickly tured flenh

that this lon was different from the others be had met, but he had gone too far now to retreat. The nearest tree key several yards to his left—the lion could be upon him be-fore he had covered half the dutance, and that the beast intended to charge none could doubt who looked upon him now.

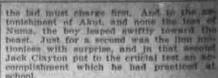
Beyond the lion was a thorn tree-only a few fest beyond bim. It was the nearest anctuary, but Numa stood between it and ils prev

The feel of the long spear-shaft in hand and the sight of the tree beyond the ion gave the lad an idea—a preposterous dea, a ridiculous, foriorn hope of an idea; ut there was no time now to weigh char

-there was but a single chance, and that as the thern tree. If the lion charged it would be too late-







Straight for the mayage brute he ran, his

spear held butt foremost across his bo Akut shricked in terror and amazonis The lion stood with wide, round eyes, awalt ing the attack, ready to rear upon his him feet and receive the rash creature will blows that could crush the skull of buffalo

Just in front of the lion the boy pinced the butt of his spear upon the ground, gave a mighty spring, and, before the bewildered beaut could guess the trick that had heau played upon him, salled over the lion's head nto the rending embrace of the thorn tres-accerated but safe.

Accepted but sure. Akut had never before seen a pole vault. Now he leaped up and down within the safety of his own tree, screaming Launts and hoasts at the discomfited Numa, while the boy, torn and bleeding, sought some po-sition in his thorny retreat in which he might find the least agony. He had saved his life, but at considerable cost in suffer-

It seemed to him that the lion would never leave, and it was a full hour before the angry brute gave up his vigil and strode majestically away across the plain. When is was at a safe distance the boy extricated simself from the thorn tree, but not without nflicting new wounds upon his already tor

(CONTINUED TOMORROW.)

This is war time, my dears, and we hear a lot about trenches, preparedness and forts, but the fort which I wish to talk to you about today is an EF-FORT.

WHAT IS AN EFFORT?

Aha! Hadn't thought of it that way, had you?

Well, ever since the 17th of May, 1883, I have had a lot of fun playing with words. There is no use trying to be a writer, especially a writer for children, unless you know how to put words together so that they will make people do things-even if the words only make people smile.

The other day I had a talk with a man in a second-hand book store. think some of the most intelligent beings in the world are salesmen in secondhand book stores. I hope the man who writes my life will not forget to put in something like this: "Farmer Smith was always haunting the old book stores, looking for things which would interest his 'Little People.' "

Let's see, what was I talking about?

Oh, yes! The friend of mine in the second-hand book store said he thought the most of us in this world tried to do things without EFFORT. In other words, WE DO NOT WANT TO TAKE THE TROUBLE.

Is this true of you, my dears? The reason I am talking this way is, I want you to take more interest in our questions and answers. I take a lot of pains making them up-the questions-and I do it with the thought of training YOUR MIND to think RIGHT. Please! Please !! Please !!! do not think that mind of yours is some far-away thing which you cannot get hold of.

YOUR MIND IS REAL and YOUR THOUGHTS ARE THINGS.

Start today-NOW-and don't be LAZY. Make an EFFORT. Start off with a little tiny EFFORT. READ our questions today. Answer ONE for yourself tomorrow. And then answer two the next day, and so on.

The strongest fort in the world is an EFFORT.

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FARMER SMITH.

Children's Editor, EVENING LEDGER. P. S .- If YOU love to "haunt" second-hand book stores, write me a letter. "I love you because you love the thin

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Speaking of Raint and towns, we m HERBERT MOYER. Pa., is fast becom s club centre. Margaret Lynch is the est registered member. Malvern, Pa extching up, too. Its newest represe tives are Alvin Wesley, Joseph Chicco Hyman Strake. We hope that these yo man will be quite as alive in their inte as are Thomas Smith and Raymond I

son, two of our other Malvern Rainbow 89. two of our other Malvern Bainbows. Bonsthing and is going to happen, at heast it seems sad now. Alice Matlack and binahest Humawell, of Germanitown, the wing best little friends in the world, aro wing to be separated. At the close of whoal, Alice is going to Dobb's Ferry to its (Dobb's Ferry is a vary protty place of the Hudson River), and Elisabeth is what to Henryville. Monroe County, to you have a lively time. Of course, just at this time they will not agree with our plate the Hudson Bries we are especting two and this time they will not agree with our plate. At any rais, we are especting two and the summer is hearyville. Monroe

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By Farmer Smith "What is that noise?" asked Willie Wide-Awake's mother one night when the lights were all lit.

WILLIE WIDE-AWAKE'S

Willie listened for a moment with all his ears and then said, "I don't hear anything. other dearest. "I thought I heard the LITTLE BED g." said the sweetest voice in all the

"Then I must be going, mother, dear, for do not want the little bed to cry." When Willie was tucked in bed he began o count sheep and had gotten as far as

2869 when one of the sheep just WOULDN'T jump over the fence, so Willie had to stop. Ha turned over in bed for what seemed to him the millionth time, when who should he see sitting on the bedpost but the Good Dream Fairy. In her right hand was the golden wand and in her left a tiny box. "Chew-cher-chew!" The Good Dream Fairy sneezed and the lid flew off the box

"Put one of these powders on the tip of our tongue and say 'Jack Robinson' " com-nanded the Fairy. Willie did as he was told and soon was

Willie did as he was told and soon was floating away in the most beautiful dream he had ever had, and all the while the Good Dream Fairy was by his side. "You are now in 5 Purple Dream," said the Good Dream Fairy, and, sure enough, he was, as you shall see if you tie a string around your finger to remind you to look right here tomorrow night or the next night. Well, if Willie Wide-Awake and the Pur-ple Dream are not here you can read about Billy Bumpus or Jimmy Monkey' and Willie will keep on dreaming.

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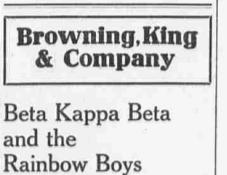


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