

Big Game Hunting? Ah! Lend Ear to Stories of Army Officer at Fort

Major J. K. Boles Has Repertoire of Tales of High Adventure in Philippines, Indo-China and Borneo.

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Some one may dare to mount a mule at the saddle horse roundup Oct. 15 at Gregg farm. Someone else may venture to ride with E. W. Kiger's side-saddle. That will be something to talk about afterward; perhaps something to sooth.

But it's for Major J. K. Boles of Ft. Benjamin Harrison, chairman of the awards committee, to startle the ears with stories of riding water buffalo in the Philippines on big game hunting trips.

To be exact, the animals are caribou, and they venture where horses can not survive. "You've never seen such mud as you'll find in the rice paddies," Major Boles said. "You might imagine the animals are boisterous, but they've been domesticated until they have respectable manners." After all, it might be safer to ride a buffalo than a mule.

Major Boles found it real sport to saddle a buffalo and penetrate the marshy depths in pursuit of timuara, which is one of the deadliest of the bovines hunted by big game enthusiasts. And incidentally, he put me right on the idea of a buffalo. What we think is an ordinary buffalo is a bison, he says. Buffalo or bison, let's still ride a horse.

Major Boles has done big game hunting in every country in which he's been stationed. In Africa, Indo-China, Borneo and the Philippines, he's shouldered his gun and defeated the deadly animals in life and death struggles. In his den at the fort, he has the head of a salamandar of Indo-China, which recalls a mighty struggle. The foot of an elephant he uses as a door-stop.

Sights **Mouse Deer** **Herd**
One of the most exciting experiences, while not at all terrifying, was the sighting of a herd of mouse deer in Borneo. The deer are tiny, about the size of a tom-cat, Major Boles said. "For a minute I thought I was looking through the wrong end of my field glasses," he explained.

"I planned to save the hide to use on my desk, but after we'd relished the delicacy of our dinner, I learned that the cook had utilized the whole animal," Major Boles said. "I didn't have another chance to kill one."

Wings **Shooting** **Medals**
Besides hides and mounted trophies, Major Boles has medals and cups, which were awarded to him in various international shooting matches. His most prized awards were won in 1931, in the international matches at Poland, when he was the only American competing. He won both the single and double shoots in the "running deer" events, being the only man who ever won both contests.

Other contestants used double barrel rifles, but he stuck to his own, with which he had to throw the bolt to eject the empty shell and put in another cartridge in the chamber for the second shot.

Tapestry **Is** **Trophy**
But he was accurate and speedy enough to win with this disadvantage. The running deer is a target shaped like a deer. It is manipulated on a trolley and moves rapidly across the range, in leaps and bounds, up and down hills.

In the doubles event he was given an exquisite silk tapestry, interwoven with gold, a reproduction of a rare Polish tapestry. A large crystal cup was the award in the singles contests.

"It shines like diamonds when it's dusted," Major Boles said, with a twinkle in his eye. "But no one is allowed to move anything in my den. It doesn't always sparkle."

Mothers **Attend** **Tea**
New pledge mothers of Lambda Chi Alpha Mothers Club of Butler university, were entertained Wednesday at the active chapter house, 4721 Sunset avenue. Bruce McIntosh, national secretary of the fraternity, gave a talk, and a musical program was given by Misses Margaret Barragy, Rosalie Fogarty, and Rosanna Davey. Tea was served.

Mrs. Klinge **Hostess**
Mrs. Elmer Klinge, 3621 College avenue, entertained members and guests of the Wy-Mo-De Club to-day with a card party.

Daily Recipe
COCOANUT DROP COOKIES
3-4 cup sifted cake flour
1/2 teaspoon combination baking powder
2 tablespoons butter or other shortening
4 tablespoons sugar
1 egg, well beaten
1 tablespoon milk
1 cup shredded cocoanut

Sift flour once, measure, add baking powder and salt, and sift again. Cream butter thoroughly, add sugar gradually, and cream together until light and fluffy. Add egg, mixing well.

Add flour, alternately with milk, a small amount at a time. Beat after each addition until smooth. Add cocoanut. Drop from teaspoon onto greased baking sheet. Bake in hot oven (400° F.) four to five minutes. Makes two dozen cookies.

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Mrs. Hodge Worsham (right) and Mrs. Raleigh Fisher (left)

Fortnightly Literary Club to Study Books, Authors

Various types of literature will be subjects of meetings during the season of the Fortnightly Literary Club. Programs following the president's day observance Tuesday will be devoted to discussions of Virginia Woolf, T. S. Eliot, George Bernard Shaw, Willa Cather, James Stephens, Romain Rolland, Lion Feuchtwanger, Selma Lagerlof and Gracia Deledda.

Other subjects will be generation novels, critical studies of Ralph Waldo Emerson and Mark Twain, "An American Poet," and psychological biography.

On the two guest days, Dec. 12 and May 15, subjects will be "In the Land of the White Heather" and "Recent Spanish Dramatists." On

the program of the anniversary celebration, March 20, will be "The Irish Movement," by Mrs. Robert Winslow. Mrs. A. D. Hitz will discuss the Nobel prize, election day, April 17.

Officers for the year are Mrs. Frank B. Fowler, president; Mrs. Winslow, first vice-president; Mrs. Timothy Harrison, second vice-president; Mrs. John S. Wright, recording secretary; Mrs. Joel Whittaker, corresponding secretary, and Mrs. Harry Miesse, treasurer.

Committee chairmen are Mrs. George A. Kuhn, program; Mrs. Harold E. Sutherlin, room and finance, and Mrs. Herbert Foltz, membership. Meetings are held at the Propylaeum Club.

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