

STUDY OF HISTORY OF MAYA INDIANS

Smithsonian Institute Throws Light on Race of People Who Lived in Mexico Centuries Ago.

MORLEY DIGS INTO PAST

WASHINGTON, March 18.—The Bureau of American Ethnology of the Smithsonian Institution has recently issued a text-book, an archeological primer so to speak, for the study of the ancient writings of the Maya Indians who have inhabited the Atlantic coast plains of southern Mexico and northern Central America from time immemorial.

The author of this new book, Mr. Sylvanus Griswold Morley of the Carnegie Institution of Washington, believes that his work will be welcomed by students of the writings of many previous investigators, designed to meet the needs of the specialist rather than the beginner, are in the main too advanced and technical for general comprehension.

History of People. In the first chapter Mr. Morley writes briefly on the habitat, history, and manners and customs of the Maya, in order that the student may gain a general idea of the remarkable people whose glyphs and calendar systems are presented for study.

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Customs of Interest. Mr. Morley mentions many of the Maya customs which are of interest. They digested and tattooed their faces in accordance with their religious beliefs; squint-eye was striven for, and the youths had their faces sealed to prevent the growth of beards.

Writing is Complicated. In talking up the introduction for students to the hieroglyphs the author explains that in Maya inscriptions the glyphs are usually arranged in parallel columns and read two columns at a time from left to right.

Clearaway of Odd Pieces of FURNITURE—Third Floor

TO make room for the new lines that are coming in. The saving advantages are most unusual. This idea:

Library Table, fumed oak; was \$25.00, reduced \$12.75

Mr. Morley says that the theory most generally accepted is that the Maya glyphs are chiefly ideographic, each presenting some complete thought, although they are sometimes phonetic also.

time reckoning, another to arithmetic; he then enters into a detailed study and translation of the inscriptions found on monuments, and finally takes up the texts drawn from the codices or hieroglyphic manuscripts.

It was due to Mr. Morley's researches that the oldest dated antiquity in America was recently identified and described by the Smithsonian institution, the Tuxtla statuette dated 100 B. C.

DUNN IS NOT STRONG FOR PAROLE FOR EARL HAYES

Chief of Police Henry Dunn has received an inquiry from a Nebraska sheriff regarding the chief's judgment in the matter of a parole to a Nebraska farmer for one Earl Hayes, an auto bandit who pined his trade in Omaha in December, 1914, and was sentenced, as a result, to several years in the Nebraska penitentiary.

MAN WHO WOULD ADOPT WAIFS FAILS TO SHOW UP

Though Uncle Sam and Mexico may be on poor terms little Luigi, Anita and Adolphi Redas, tiny Mexican orphan wards of the county, are having a splendid time down in the town.

MANY FEEDERS ARE BEING SENT TO STATE FEED LOTS

The Burlington and Northwestern roads are carrying large numbers of young feeding cattle from the South Omaha yards out into the central and western part of Nebraska, where they will go into the feed lots to later be returned as canteens.

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Sunday, March 19, 1916. BURGESS-NASH STORE NEWS FOR MONDAY. Telephone Douglas 137.

NOW!---Let's See What's Going On at BURGESS-NASH

This is MEN'S WEEK

At Burgess-Nash A WEEK set apart to emphasize our preparedness for the Spring and Summer. Every section of the store devoted to men's wear is in gala dress.

- Men's Hand Tailored Clothing from \$13.65 to \$40.00. Men's Hats, Burgess-Nash and "Stetson" brands, \$2.00 to \$10.00. Men's Shoes, Burgess-Nash Specials \$3.50, to Banisters at \$8.00. Men's Shirts, "Ideal" and "Star" Brands, at \$1.00 to \$7.50. Men's Hosiery, 25c to \$2.00 the pair. Men's Gloves, 39c to \$2.00 the pair. Men's Neckwear, 50c to \$2.50.

Real Morocco HAND BAGS at About Half Price--\$2.95



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"Select a Warner's"

WHEN a woman asks us what corset we think she ought to have, ten chances to one this is our reply: A Warner. Then comes the question of choosing the model that will fit her correctly.

Quartette of Beautiful Effects in Fine New Wash Fabrics

CONFINED for Omaha to Burgess-Nash; you will be delighted when you see them. Imported Marquisette at 49c Yard. Also silk and lisle suitings and Haitian lace effects, plain shades, white or tinted grounds printed with field flowers; for afternoon dresses.

This Is Certainly Going to Be a Wonderful Season of White

THE dye situation makes it a certainty—But then there is nothing prettier than snow white costumes. Our display of white goods is extremely large and varied, including voiles, organdies, lace cloths and novelties from the most elaborate and exquisite designs.

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- \$75.00 Davenport, \$57.50. Covered with splendid grade of tapestry, loose cushion construction, 72 inches long; was \$75.00, reduced to \$57.50. Dressing Table, fumed oak; was \$14.50, reduced to \$9.50. Dressing Table, American Walnut; was \$25.00, reduced to \$15.75. Dressing Table, mahogany; was \$30.00, reduced to \$20.00. Dining Chairs, with genuine leather seat, reduced to \$1.95. Dining Chairs, golden oak; were \$5.00, reduced to \$2.75. Dining Chairs, fumed oak; were \$5.00, reduced to \$3.50. and other pieces reduced in same proportion.

The New Embroideries

PRESENT a fascinating display for Monday. Dainty fine bastes, organdies and voiles with point Venise lace combinations, 27 to 40-in. wide, 75c to \$2.00 the yard.

Georgette Crepes

A big new selection has just been received of this much sought material, all the new as well as staple shades.

Baby Carriages and Go-Carts for "HIS MAJESTY"

TIME now for baby to be out of doors to get the sunshine and the fresh air, so we have planned for Monday the opening of the baby carriages for 1916. A fine, large, new stock of go-carts and carriages.

The Glorious New SILKS For Easter Gowns

A GREAT many women have told us that they were really worried for fear there would be very poor selection of Easter silks. That they expected the foreign condition, the dye situation and all such would interfere.

- New Minuet Silks, \$1.95 Yard. Smartest colorings in sport stripes, very desirable for suits and skirts, 36 inches wide. Chiffon Taffeta Silks, \$1.50 Yard. Newest stripes and smart color combinations, also a full range of plain shades, 36 inches wide. Silk Suitings, \$1.25 and \$2.50 Yard. Especially for suits, such weaves as Falles, Gro de Londres, taffeta, satin Francaise, poplins, etc., 36 to 42 inches wide. Washable Lingerie Crepe, 89c Yard. Very desirable for waist slippers and underwear, pretty light shades, also dark street shades, also black and white; 40 inches wide.

Human Hair SWITCHES in Black and White Room at \$1.98

CERTAINLY a most remarkable offering, right in the face of the great advance in hair goods; and the unusual demand brought about by the new Spring styles in millinery.

"Modette" The New Summer Wash Fabric

OVER 100 new designs and colorings shown here—mercerized, non-shrinkable, 36 inches wide. There is not a stripe narrow or wide or a combination of floral and striped design missing. Modette has the proper weight and texture for making the smartest frocks, dresses and waists for summer wear.

Frocks for a Wonderful "SILKEN SPRING"

Prices range \$25.00, \$35.00, \$50.00, \$69.50 and up

SILK FROCKS to the right of you, silk frocks to the left of you, silk frocks all around you; in the Gown Section of the new department at Burgess-Nash. New, with that newness which strikes a responsive chord in the hearts of women whose youthful ideas reign everywhere.



Suits Which Will Crowd Wardrobe Trunk of Mlle Omaha \$25.00, \$35.00 and \$39.50

SUITS which flirt with the winds of March as bewitching forerunners of the bright and sunny days just ahead—Blue serges and twills and taffetas, light velours in the blossom colors, and velour checks in myriad combinations of soft pastel shades.

Spring's Favorite Top Coats \$15.00, \$19.50 and \$25.00

RICH examples in style, fabric and tailoring, of the coats women of extravagance are having made to order. The short, new styles, the longer coaching silhouettes with ripping postillon capes, and the chic compromise lengths which make a coat as useful in August as it is in March.

Art Embroidery Package Goods, 10c

THE sale price is but a fraction of the real value. The assortment contains baby pillows of linen lawn; baby bonnets; child's dress aprons; pillows; centers; child's hats; dressing sacs, etc. The values are extreme at 10c each.

March Sale of Refrigerators

IT'S refrigerator time and we know of no place where you can benefit more than by making your selection here. \$19.50 Standard Refrigerator, \$15.00. Enamel lined, side icing style, with three doors, made of hardwood, golden oak finish, solid brass nickel plated trimmings, 33 1/2 inches wide, 18 inches deep, 45 inches high; ice capacity 75 lbs. \$19.50 value at \$15.00.

Five Cents First Payment and the Sewing Machine Will Be Delivered to Your Home

COME—pick out the machine of your choice. Register and pay 5 cents—and you will secure immediate delivery of any of the high grade reliable sewing machines listed below. The balance you pay to suit your convenience in small weekly or monthly payments.



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