

EMPEROR IN ADDIS.

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Haile Selassie returned to his capital on the fifth anniversary of its capture by Italy. A more striking example of the triumph of right over wrong has not been witnessed by this generation. The loyal subjects whom he plans to uplift welcomed him back.

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The commander-in-chief in East Africa, General Cunningham, tendered the congratulations of Britain. Ecclesiastical dignitaries paid homage on behalf of the Coptic Church. Abyssinia rejoices to have thrown off the Italian yoke.

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The Duke of Haraḡ heir to the throne, saw with what dignity the Emperor bore himself in his hour of triumph. During his exile, when it seemed impossible he would ever return, Haile Selassie planned an enlightened Ethiopia. His people now assembled outside his palace and heard that, with British help, the Negus will educate them and modernise the country.

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(FLAG) It is 2,000 years since a man of peace said, 'The Meek Shall Inherit The Earth.' A meek man has now regained a throne which boastful conquerors vainly attempted to usurp.
