

A TALL ORDER - Men engaged on the never  
ending task of preserving the Forth Bridge.

-Scotland-

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Picture.:- For an early morning blow, a stroll along  
the top of this bridge is hard to beat ! It may not  
be your idea of pleasure, but for these men, it's their  
job of work ! The great Forth Bridge is to be spring--

--cleaned and painted, and a job's a job these days,  
anyway ! Still, thank goodness--

--theyre not all as high and mighty as that one !  
Just imagine clambering about with pots of paint at  
that height, but it takes more than that to make a  
Scotsman--

--lose his head. As far as I know this is still the  
longest and the most elevated rail span in the world - -  
including America (ahem !)

The whistle's gone, so they stroll back towards  
earth and the nearest glass of whiskey ! They  
deserve--

--it. It's not a job to paint all that ! It's a life's  
work !