

FEAST AFTER THE FAST - - Mussulman troopers of  
the Spahi Regiment prepare for the end of Ramadan,  
the Mohammedan month of fasting.

-France-

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Picture.:- Prior to to-day, Mohammedans have been  
rigorously fasting--

--for Ramadan, the ninth month of the Prophet's Year.  
Now comes--

--the great feast of the faithful after these--

--thirty lean days. Sheep are spitted and roasted  
whole in the open air at Compiègne Barracks, France for--

--the Mussulman of the 6th Spahi Regiment. Until to-day  
for a whole month, they have eaten nothing from the  
fading of the stars at--

--dawn to the evening when the stars again are  
visible. Ramadan is--

--the month in which the Prophet Mahomet received the--

--first part of the Koran, the Mohammedans'--

--scriptures. They all seem pleased that this day  
has arrived.

The carcasses are cooked, the Spahi officer has  
tasted them, and declared them good food for the faithful  
and the next thing is for them to celebrate the great  
annual feast by falling to and enjoying a long-delayed  
and long anticipated meal. Good eating! May good  
digestion wait on appetite.