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(a). Picture :- GERMANY. Dresden holds an international regatta for canoes on the River--

--Elbe. Any sort of--

--canoe will do. Canadian racers - - Eskimo kajaks, or folding canvas portables. They're all--

--here, brought from every watery part of the world. For this race they--

--have all entered, and every kind of paddle stroke--

--is demonstrated. The most successful crews are the Czecho-Slovakians.

The worst losers were awfully upset,--

--but managed to swim home in time for the next day's racing.

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(b). Picture :- ABYSSINIA ! Emperor Haile Selassie is busy--

--lining up his fighting men.

They are very picturesque, but rather assorted.

They have all stropped their--

--spears and put new flints in their muskets--

--in case of fire. The Emperor has--

--said they don't want

--to fight, but by jingo, if they do !

Italy has said more or less the same,--

--and they both mobilise for war. Funny stuff these politics.

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