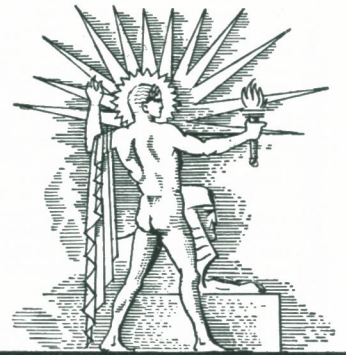
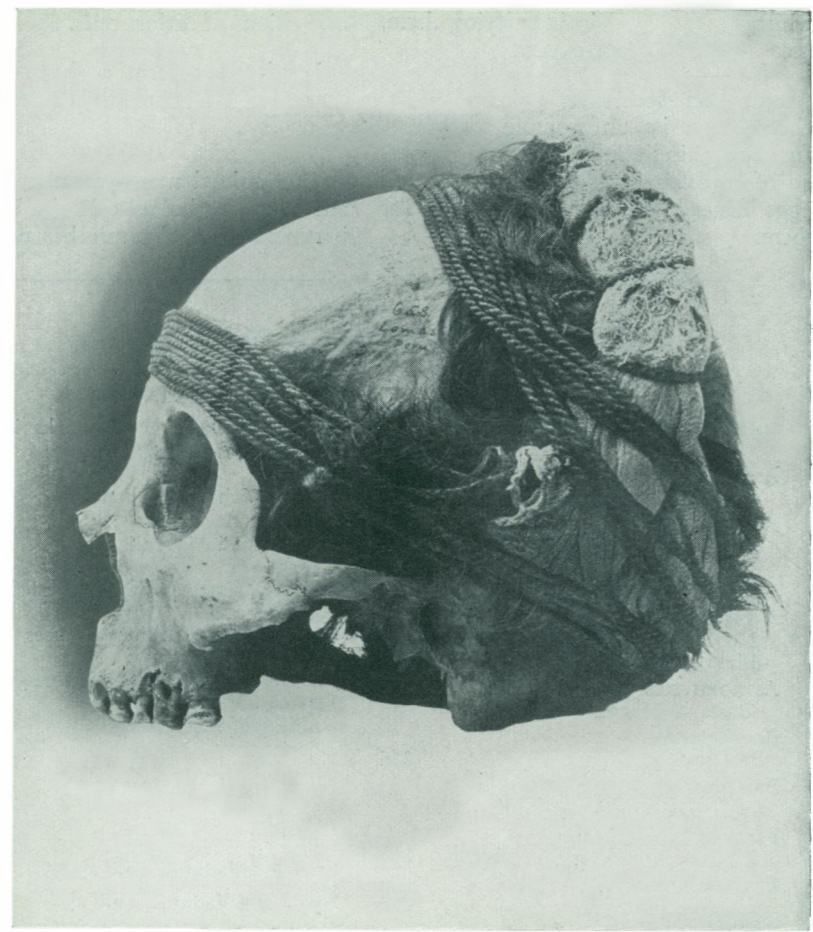


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DO YOU KNOW THAT

The British scientific world plans to celebrate the centenary of Michael Faraday's discovery of electro-magnetic induction, September, 1931.

Contrary to popular belief, comparatively few boomerangs are of the type that circle and return to the thrower.

The difficulty of finding horsehair in this automobile age has driven many birds to substitute string as nest building material.

Ninety-six per cent of diamonds are "finger-printed" by their imperfections which may be used in identifying them, according to a gem expert.

Nutrition specialists point out that cheese won its unfavorable reputation for being indigestible because it was so often eaten in addition to meat and eggs instead of as a substitute for them.

African medicine men linked the mosquito with malaria when European scientists still thought the disease due to inhaling gases from swampy lands, according to a British official of East Africa.

In some African tribes, the chief is the official rain-maker, and is supposed to command rainfall and sunshine.

Next year will mark the one hundredth anniversary of the discovery of chloroform.

A good many fishes change color when disturbed, due to contraction and expansion of color cells.

Beech trees form a shade so dense that other trees and bushes nearby rarely survive.

One animal may "catch" warts from another, a pathologist of the U. S. Department of Agriculture has proved.

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