The "Aristocrat of Fruits"
The "aristocrat of fruits," the avocado called "calavo," is grown in California, Florida and Texas and is considered a "native" fruit in those sections. For generations West Indians regarded the avocado as a staple food, using its pulp on bread like butter.

Montreal, Largest in Canada
Montreal is the largest city of Canada, modern and its financial center, but gayly French in its way. It is an interesting combination of French and Scotch, the two most important elements in the founding and building of the city.

Courts of Final Jurisdiction
Practically all countries have a court of final jurisdiction, but only those with government authorized under constitutions similar to that of the United States have courts empowered to void a legislative act on the ground that it is unconstitutional.

Founded Fur-Trading Site
It was at Fond du Lac, now a suburb of Duluth, that agents of the German-born Astor founded the fur-trading site which brought millions of furs from the woods of north central United States and laid the foundation for the vast Astor wealth.

The Great North Road
The Great North road, between Auckland and Wellington in the North Island of New Zealand, was built as a military road by the British at the time of the Maori war, about 1860. An interesting part of the road passed the 1,000-foot eminence known as Taupiri hill, a sacred burial ground of the Waikato Maori kings. When the road was first built so strong was the taboo on this hill that travelers approaching the hill were required to leave the road and pass the hill by canoe on the Waikato river, returning land travel after they were well past.

The Panther
The name panther applies to no specific species of animal, in the sense, for example, of the word "tiger," which identifies a particular kind of beast, writes G. R. Turner, in the Kansas City Times. It is a generic name that serves to describe several related species, among which are the cougar of North America, the jaguar of South America and the leopards of Africa and Asia. The so-called "black panther," supposed to be one of the most difficult of all animals to tame, is in reality merely a black-coated leopard.

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Associate Judge, Arthur D. Willard, Frederick;
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