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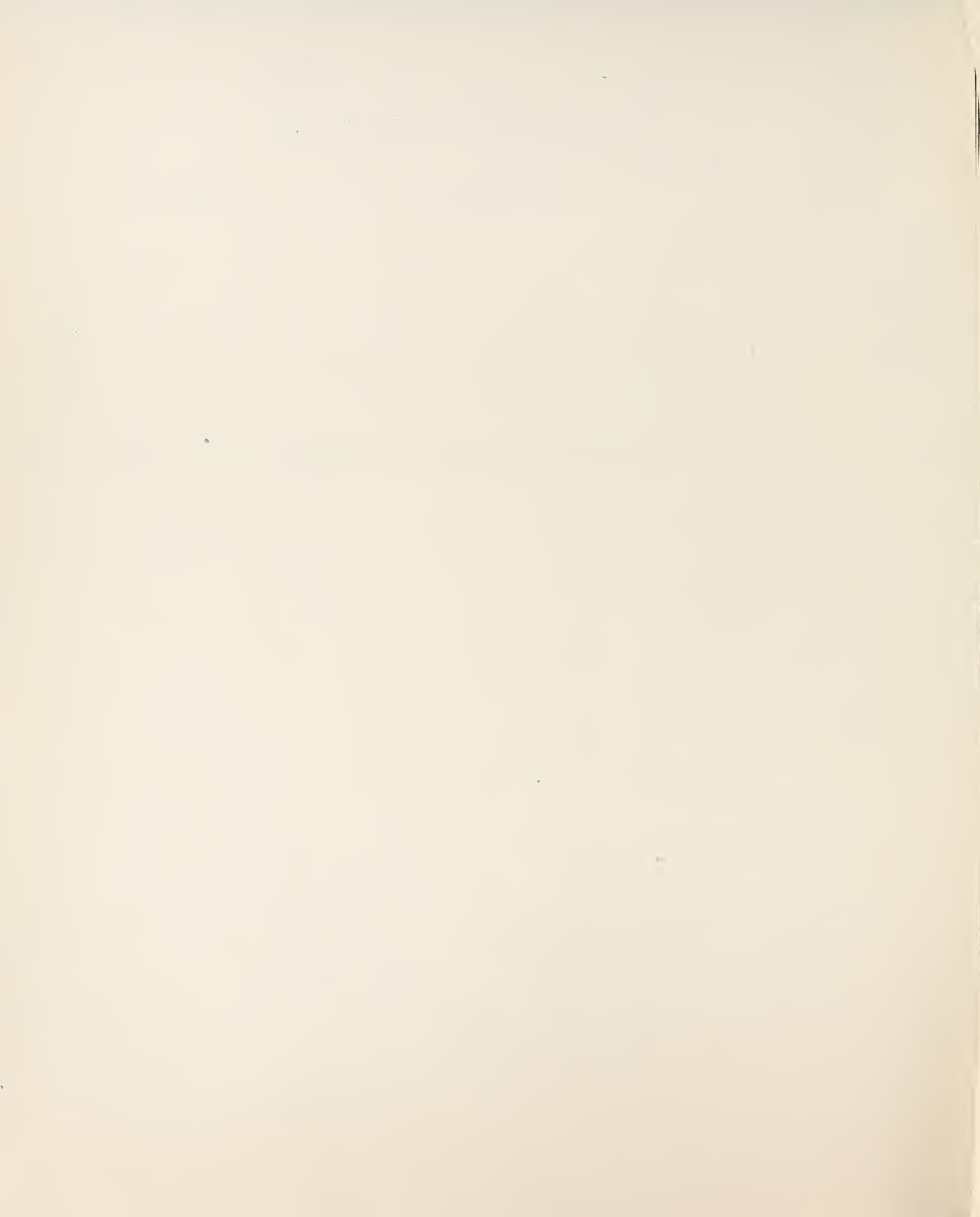
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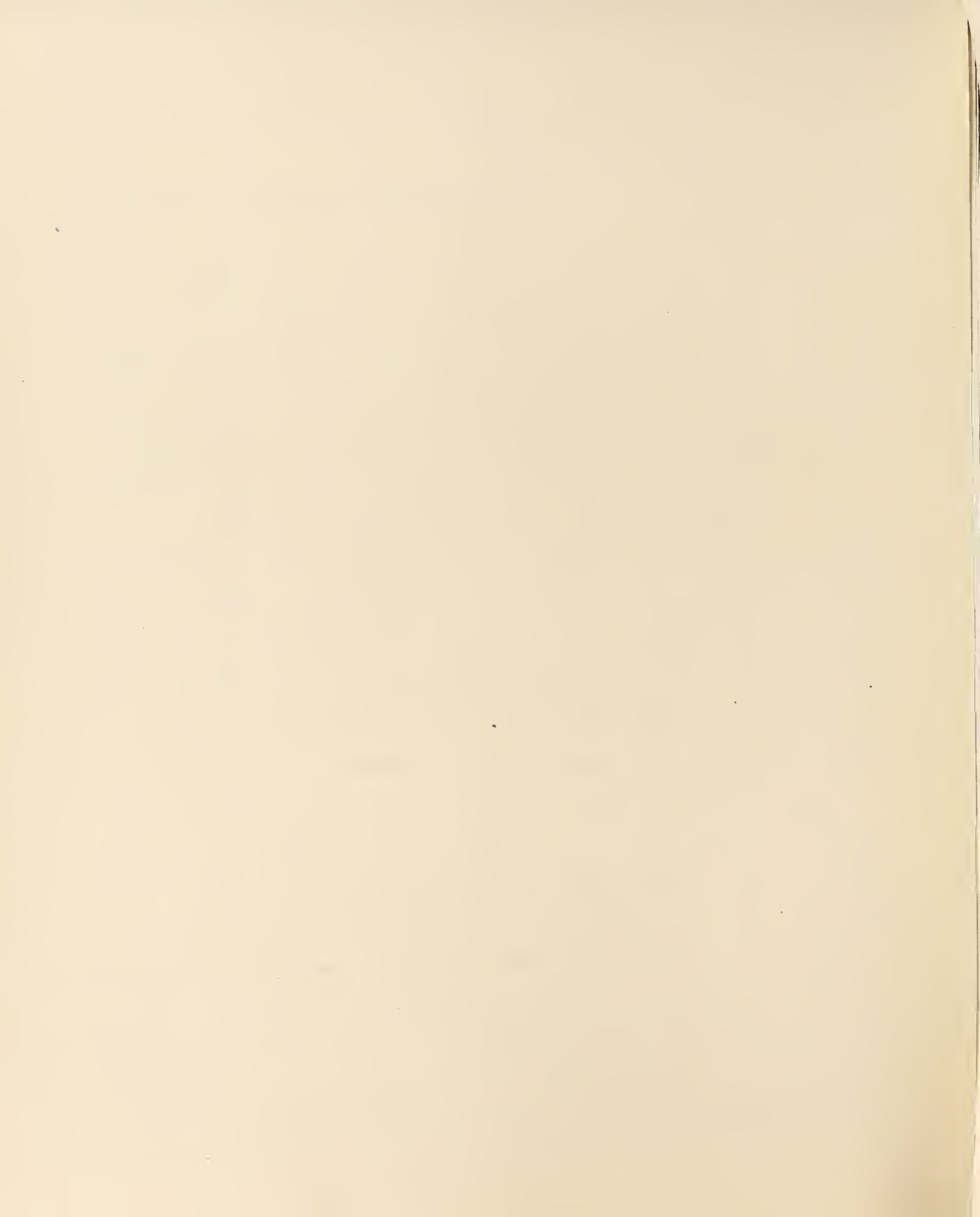


ANNOUNCER: Uncle Sam's Forest Ranger

MUSIC: QUARTET, RANGER'S SCENE.

ANNOUNCER: Today Uncle Sam's Forest Rangers bring you another vignette devoted to one of the great men in the conservation movement in America - a man who recognized the vital need for conserving our forests and tried to wake others aware of this need. Today you will hear a short scene from the life of Carl Schurz, a German refugee who became one of America's great statesmen and now I'm going to ask Ranger Jim Robinson of the Pine Cone National Forest, whom all of you know, to tell you about his story for today. Jim, will you take your seat?

JIM: (FADING IN) Thanks, Everett - Well, folks, as I've told you our story today is about Carl Schurz. Even though he wasn't a native of our country, Carl Schurz worked and fought for it as hard as any man ever did and in recognition of his great services you'll find monuments erected in his and schools named after him in this country today. In the year 1848 when Carl Schurz was a young student in Germany a new revolution was being set up to establish a republic there. Schurz joined the revolutionists and became a staff officer in their army. He was ordered to a fortress called Rastatt, which stood on the banks of the large Rhine. Almost as soon as he arrived a siege was begun by the Prussian government forces who were determined to wipe out the rebels. For some weeks the fortress held out against the Prussians, but was finally forced to surrender. In the night when the surrender was to be completed and the rebels were to march out and lay down their arms young Carl was looking out the window of his room in the fortress. His servant boy, Albin, was packing their belongings



SCHURZ: (FADING IN) Adam, come here.

ADAM: (FADING IN) Yes, Herr Lieutenant.

SCHURZ: You see that field on this side of the river?

ADAM: Yes, Herr Lieutenant.

SCHURZ: That is where the Prussians will position our arms. And when we have laid them down we will be shot.

ADAM: (ALMOST WEEPING) Yes -- Herr Lieutenant.

SCHURZ: But across that river is France -- and freedom.

ADAM: But you cannot get to the river, Herr Lieutenant.

SCHURZ: Yes I can, Adam -- Just outside the fortress is a sally port which leads to the river. You have used it.

ADAM: It is near the house of my cousin.

SCHURZ: Quick, get my pistols and sabre --

ADAM: I shall go with you, Herr Lieutenant.

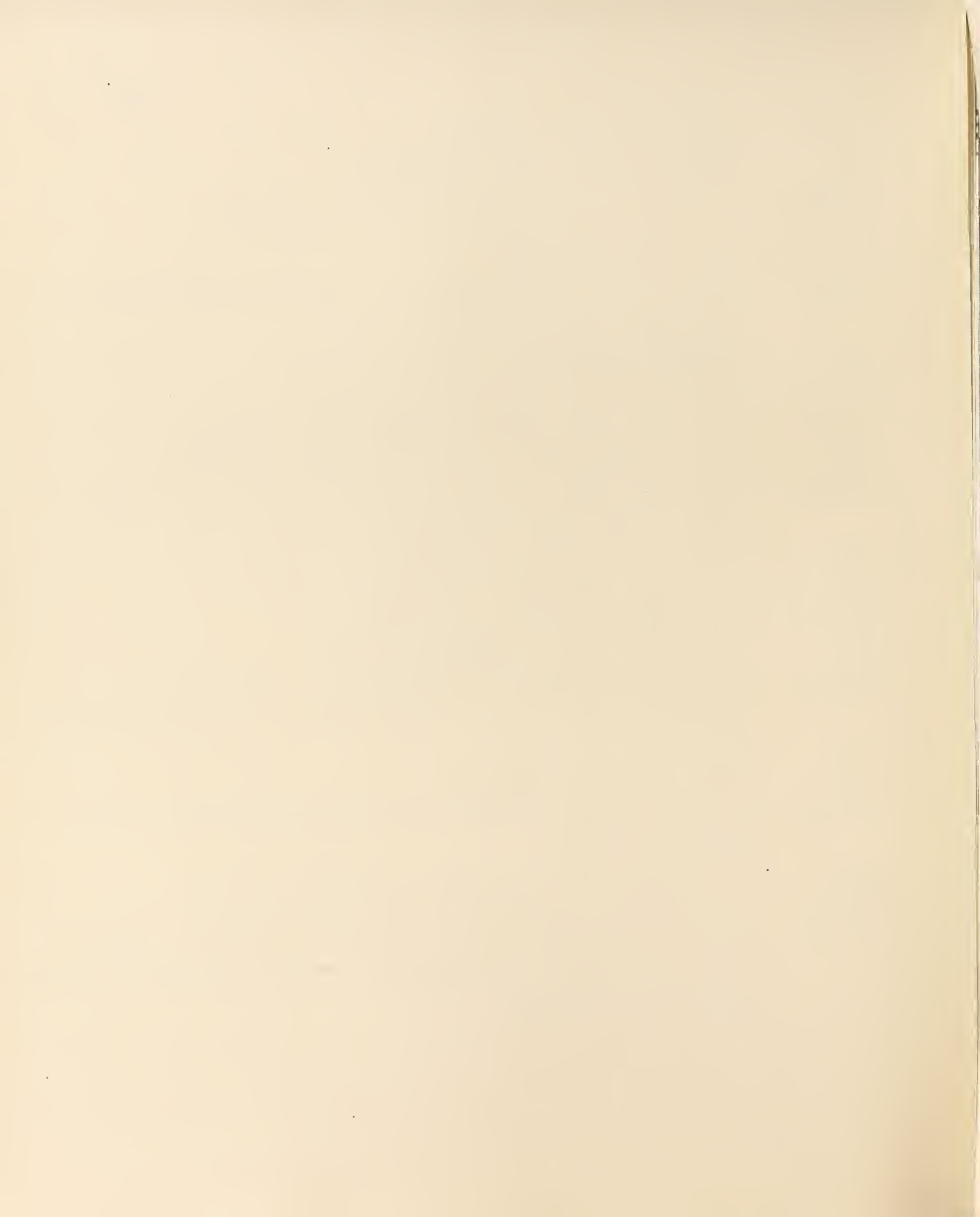
SCHURZ: No, Adam. You are not a revolutionist. The Prussians will not shoot you.

ADAM: But I wish to go with you.

SCHURZ: You have nothing to gain by it. If we are caught you will be shot for a rebel.

ADAM: I know the river well, Herr Lieutenant. I could --

SCHURZ: Adam, you are a good friend. We shall go together -- Wait -- there's Neustadt. He will go with us -- (CALLING) Neustadt, where are you going?



PERSONAL (OFF) (OFF) (OFF)

JOHN: The President will have the book.

ROBERT: Thank you for the information.

JOHN: Thank you very much. I will be glad to help.

ROBERT: Goodbye.

JOHN: Quick, come get the book and messages. We will have you.

JOHN: (PAUSE) Yes, from Washington.

ROBERT: I will get my rifle and machine gun and we will meet you in
some place.

PAUSE FOUR SECONDS

(SOUND EFFECTS TO BE USED)

FAD IN SOUND OF MUSIC TO FOLLOW

JOHN: (SOUND EFFECTS) The President's book is here. We will be glad to
help.

JOHN: It is so good. We will be glad to help.

ROBERT: Thank you very much. I will be glad to help.

JOHN: It will be good to see you. The book is here. We will be glad to
help.

ROBERT: Thank you very much. I will be glad to help.

JOHN: Thank you very much. I will be glad to help.

ROBERT: Thank you very much. I will be glad to help.

JOHN: I will be glad to help.

ROBERT: Thank you very much.

JOHN: Thank you very much.



ADA: It looks like...
see the boy.

MASTAD: He'd better be quiet. The Russians are...
river.

SOUND OF WADING IN WATER STONE

VOICE 1 (DAL) (OFF) Hello! Who goes there?

VOICE 2 (DAL) Good friend.

SCHURL: (WHISPERING) It's a patrol. They're guarding the river.

ADA: What can we do?

MASTAD: We can't cross the river here.

SCHURL: We'll have to go back into town.

ADA: The Russians will be there.

SCHURL: This would be a nice...
Don't we hide there?

ADA: We can try.

SCHURL: Come along then. (WADING) Go quietly as you can.

FADE OUT SOUND OF WADING - PAUSE 3 SECONDS - FADE IN WADING

SCHURL: Hello! The...?

MASTAD: There might be a patrol... if the...?

SCHURL: Perhaps there is.

ADA: If we can get over the...
in the barn.

SCHURL: That's what we'll do... I wish I had...
with me. It's possible.

MASTAD: We can't do it.



SCHURZ. I have no choice.

ADAMS. Wait, I thought I heard somebody.

NEUSTAD. There's a manhole above us.

SCHURZ. If we're quiet we can get to the end of the sewer without being hearing.

THERE IS A LARGE SPLASH AS THE CARBINE FALLS INTO THE WATER.

VOICE 1 (SAM THOMPSON) (OFF) Hello there? — Who's there I say? — You down there in the sewer --

SCHURZ (WHISPERING) I dropped the carbine in the water. You go ahead while I keep the guard busy here. Go on.

ADAMS. But you will be --

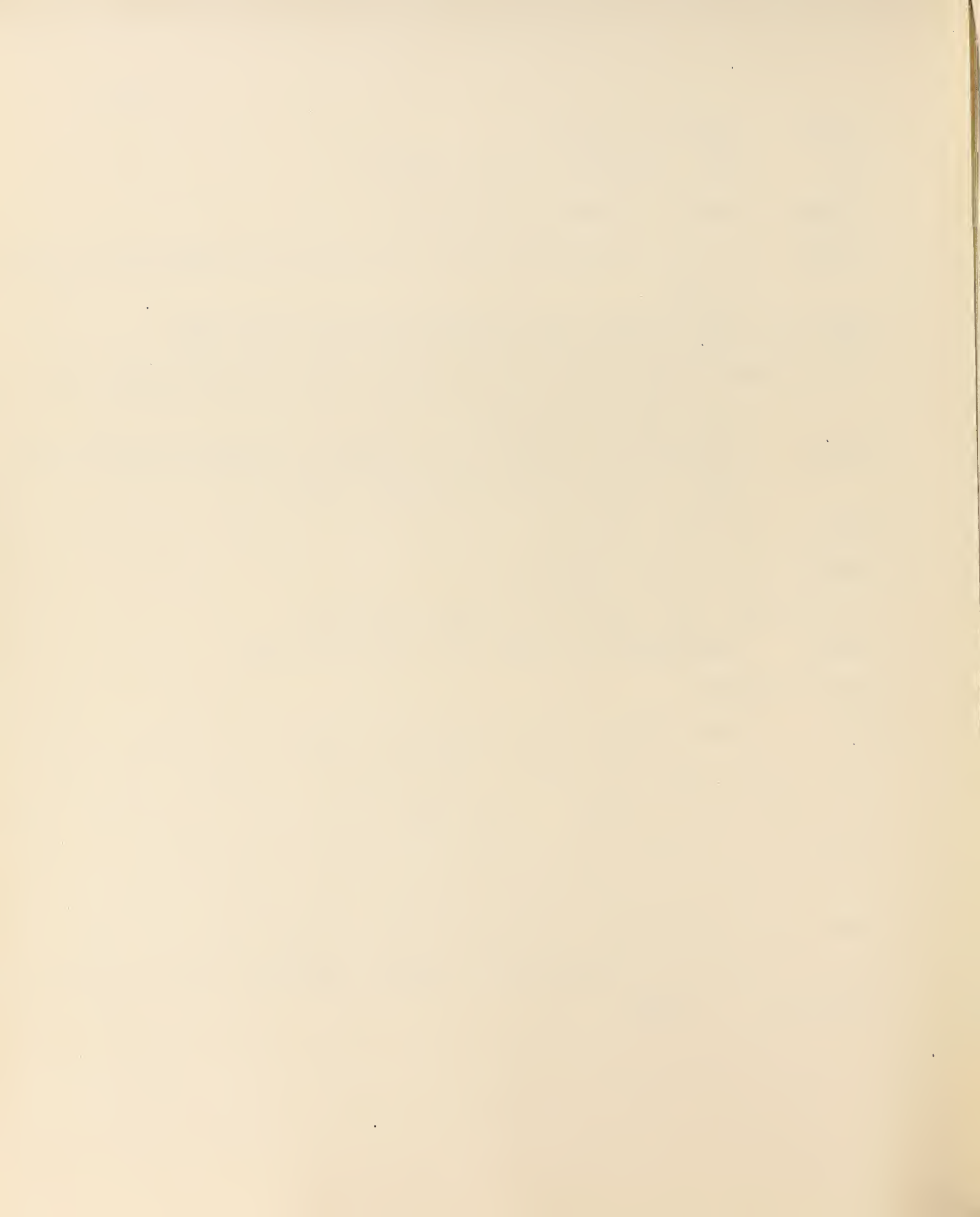
SCHURZ. Go on. I'll follow you.

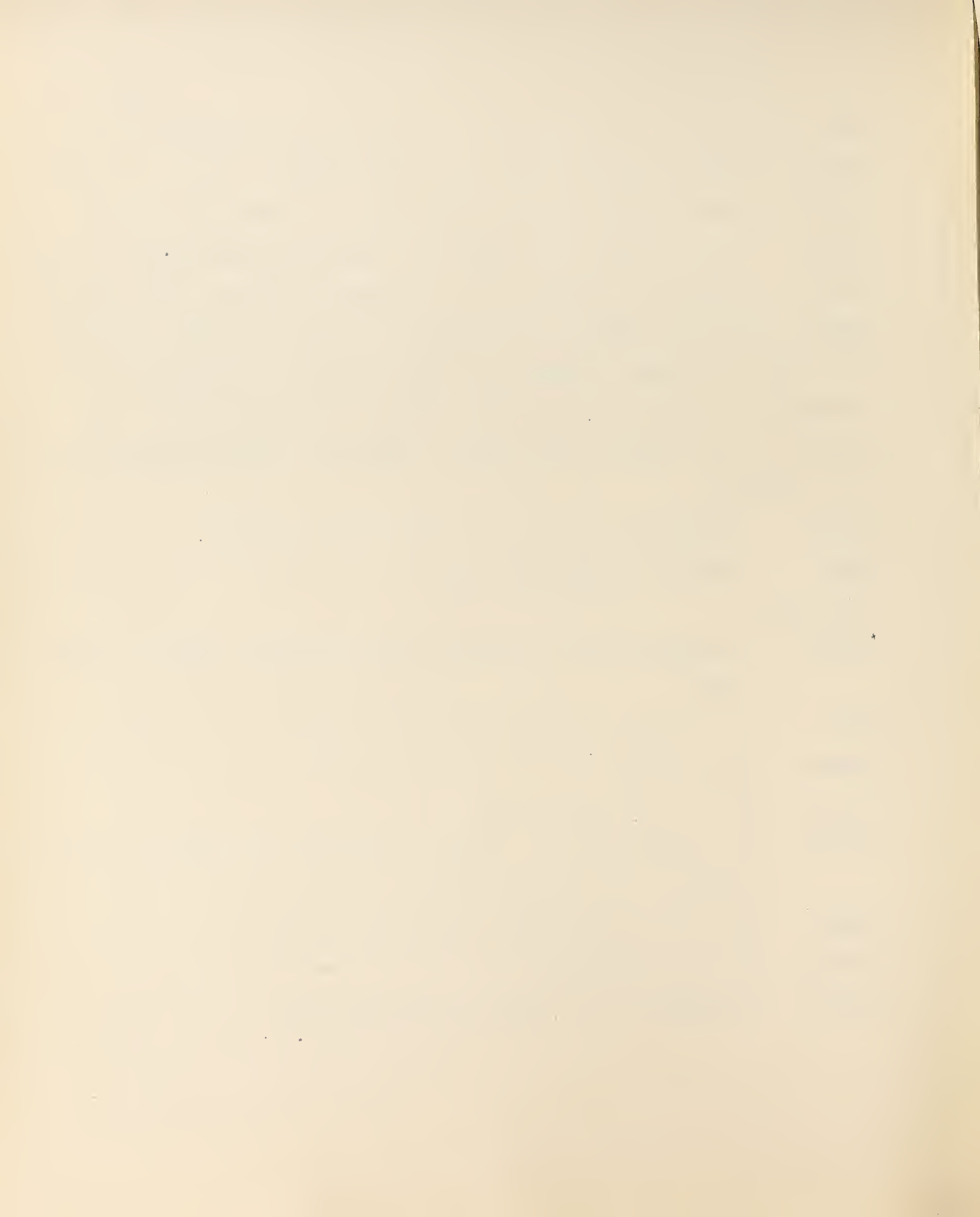
VOICE 2 (GAIL) (OFF, CALLING) Hey, guard, come here.

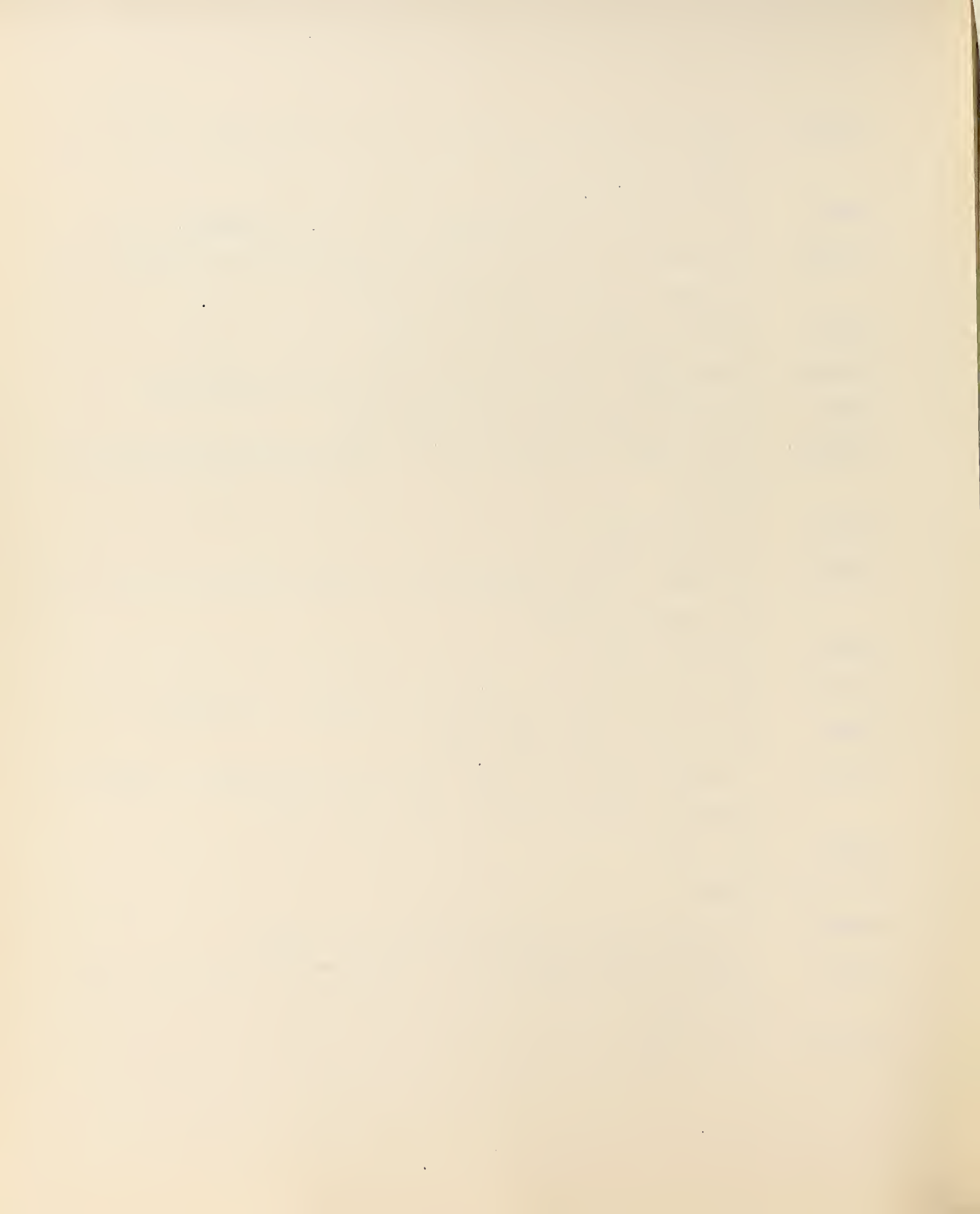
SCHURZ (WHISPERING) Go ahead, I'll come after you.

WHILE HE AND GAIL

JIM. After several days of hiding the fugitives were able to make their way once more to the river, where they met a boatman who took them across the river to safety -- Carl Schurz had long been filled with a desire to go to America. He thought the United States would give him the benefits of a free country which were denied him at home. The day after his marriage, he sailed for this country to make his home. Because of his daring exploits in the German revolution, he was arrested in America. (MORE)







DRAPER:

I'm not sure.

SCHUBERT:

It is almost the... of the... I don't know if... fair-minded man has... and... the... of...

DRAPER:

Op. Secretary... it is... to be... of... from a... point of view.

SCHUBERT:

It is more practical... the... in that... the... of... to... the... of... and... the...

DRAPER:

But... of... the... of... for...

SCHUBERT:

Today, they... matter... the... of... and... of...

DRAPER:

The... of... the... of...

SCHUBERT:

Mr. Draper... the... of... the... of... and... the... of...

DRAPER:

But... Mr. Secretary... the... of... the... of... of... of... of...

The efforts of Carl Sauer and the protection of the forests
 as public land were met with serious opposition. Politicians and
 newspapers threatened and allied with him. Still he stubbornly followed
 the cause. In 1911 and 1912, he received little or no support either
 from Congress or from the public. For while Sauer's work was laborious,
 some of his proposals were passed. A few thousand dollars were
 authorized from the Treasury. In 1913, the appointment of Carl
 Sauer for the protection and sound management of the public lands
 later lands have been put into practice, the many thousands of acres
 from which the forests were stripped have been reforested and will some
 day become as productive as the lands of the country as a whole.
 UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

ANNOUNCEMENT: Next week, John Sauer, Director of the
 United States Forest Service, will bring out the
 of Sauer's "The National Forest Reserves."
 Reserves. (This book is being reprinted by the
 Friday on the Park and Home Book Company, the courtesy of the
 National Forestry Service, with the cooperation of the
 United States Forest Service.

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