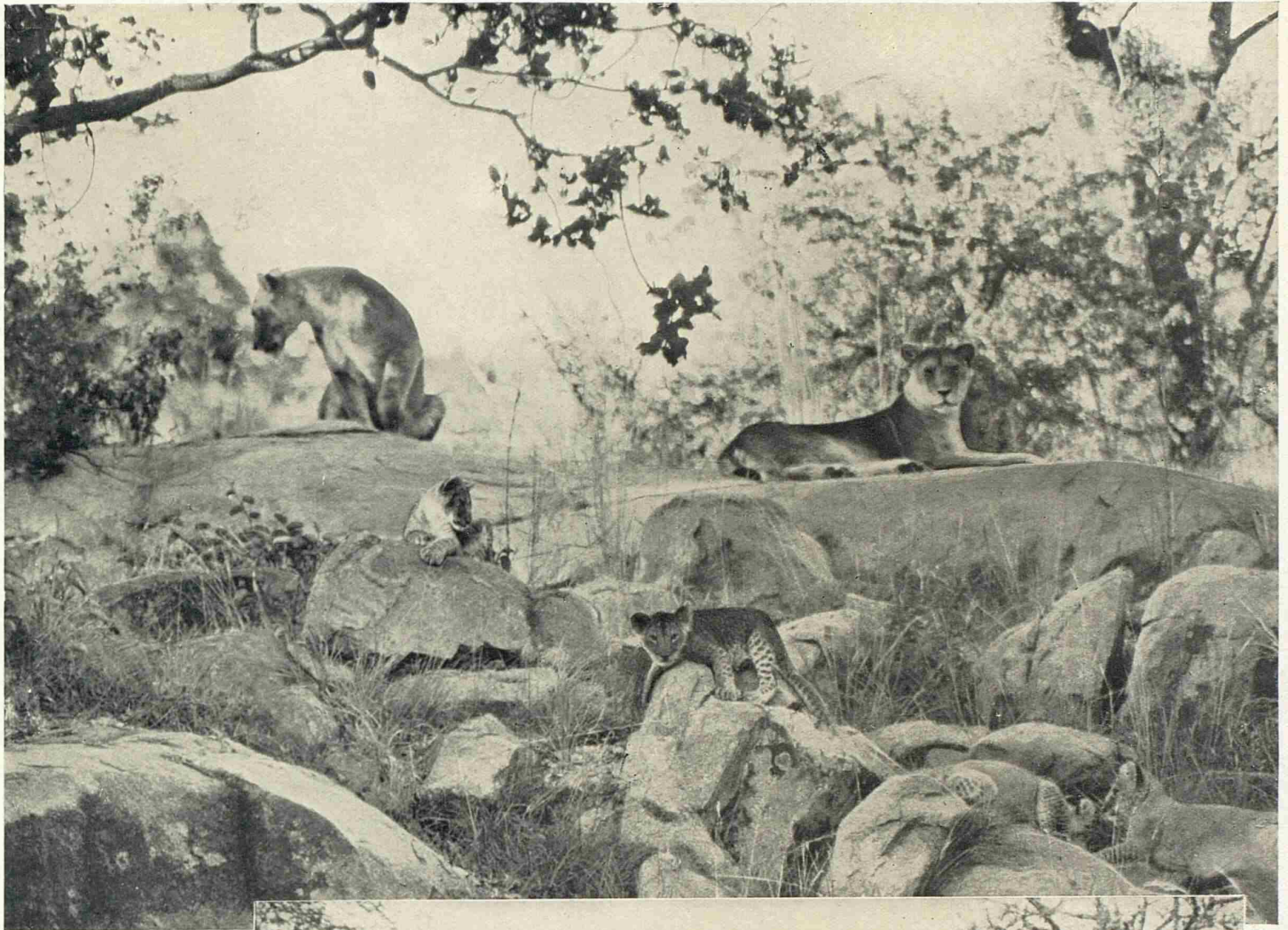
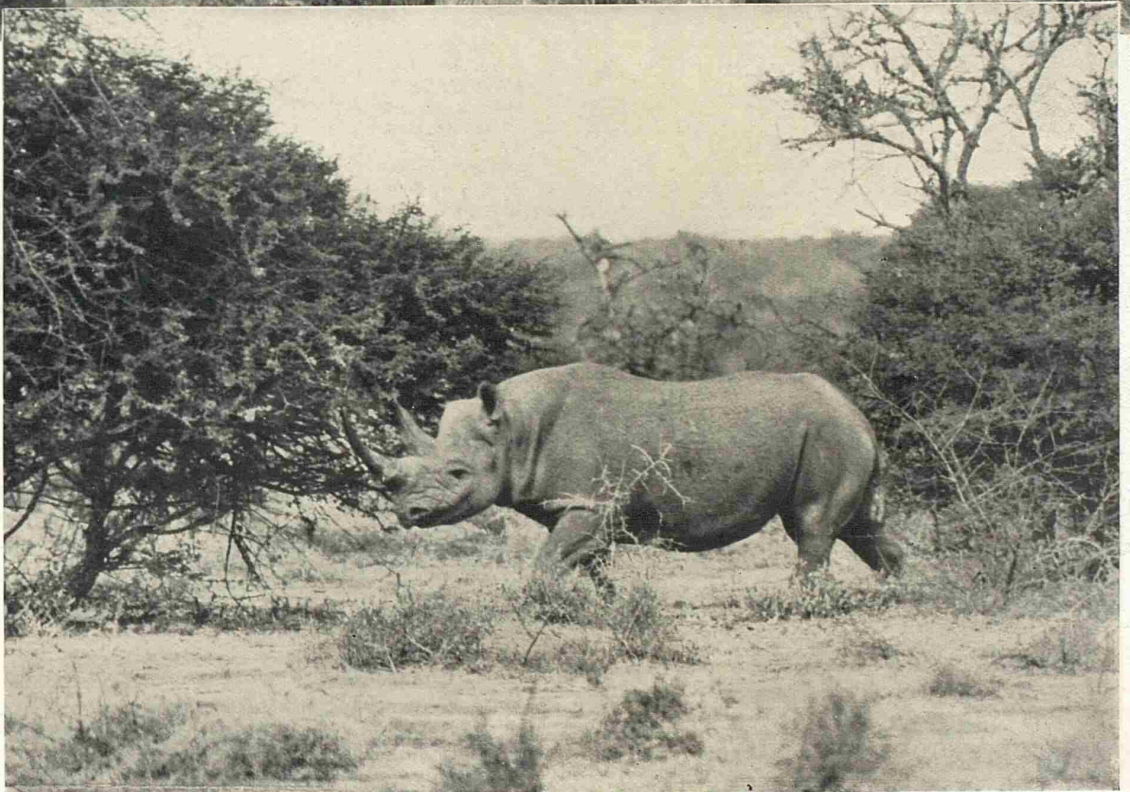


SUNLIGHT AND SHADE IN THE AFRICAN "BLUE"

Lions and Rhino at Home in the Bush



ON THE KOPJE: This remarkable close-up of a couple of lionesses with their cubs was taken by Mr. Marcuswell Maxwell, the well-known big game photographer, and gives a vivid impression of the noonday—and apparently well-fed—peace of a lion family in “the blue,” as the old-timers always described the untrodden bush. The attitude of the cub in the foreground is quite charming, and the sort of unconscious pose one might wait years to catch with a camera.



On right: “OLD CON-TEMPTUOUS”: Nothing much worries the rhino, prehistoric in philosophy as well as appearance, although when once roused he can be an uncomfortable enemy. This magnificent specimen may or may not have seen Mr. Maxwell, but he kept on his way unperturbed. Powdered rhino horn is supposed by the natives to possess almost supernatural qualities, and is much in demand by would-be fathers of families