1-27 Leiningen argues with the official.

28-49 Leiningen reflects on his achievements.

50-73 Preparation takes place.

74-115 Ants begin to come.

116-137 Countermeasures are used against the ants.

138-154 The water appears to have stopped the ants, Leiningen sleeps.

157-162 The ants begin to make rafts.

165-186 The fire ditch is used and fails, Leiningen realizes he must flood the entire plantation.

189-204 A stag is killed by the ants, Leiningen begins to worry.

207-223 Raising and lowering the water level is successfully employed against the ants.

226-238 The dam fails, the ants get across. The people retreat to the inner moat.

239-268 Having retreated, the people have lunch. The ants destroy the plantation. Leiningen sleeps.

271-284 The ants begin to make rafts.

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333-375 Leiningen explains his plan and sets off.

378-394 Leiningen makes it back to the house, but collapses unconscious.

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417-424 The plantation floods; all the ants are washed away.

427-437 Leiningen awakes, curses the ants, and goes back to sleep.