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The beautiful weather held, and with newly acquired tans and burns, we entered Callao on 21 March. The big attractions were the local Indian Markets, where quality rugs, blankets and ponchos of alpacas and llama were very inexpensive. Silver, copper and gold jewelry was also available for any budget. Many of those who managed to survive a shopping spree with cash in their pocket took one of several local tours or left on the three day excursion into the jungles of the Andes Mountains to Machu Picchu and Cuzco. Laden with souvenirs, broke, and longing for southern California, we left Callao on 25 March with 3,600 miles of tropical sunshine to cross in twelve days.

