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Sir Squire Bancroft has, perhaps, A rather stolid, ruddy face is re- had no idea of the mischief Nero the most astonishing menory among deemed by smiling eyes that look had wrought until he tried to take actors. He is not only able to re-out mildly from the shelter of gold-neat any part he has ever acted but simpled where I peat any part he has ever acted, but rimmed glasses. John Francis Staquailing in the face of the quietest was. he can recall exactly when and where ley possesses none of the oratorical lion. He was cowed, and the beasts he appeared in any of the hundreds or literary qualities of his famous knew it. That made an end of Arof characters he assumed while on grandfather, though he has spoken ati's work at once.

Perhaps the only living explorer House of Lords. who is equally familiar with the dark A most exciting career has been hood, but to the proprietor who places of Equatorial Africa and the that of Sir Rudolf Slatin, better could not afford to lose the spectacle "Land of the Midnight Sun," is M. known as Slatin Pasha. He left of Nero's cleverness in his twenty Paul du Chaillu. The mysterious Vienna, his birthplace, when a lad of minute's play. The lion was quiet fascination of the "Dark Continent" seventeen, to become a clerk in a again. I, who fed him, could put lured him from an East African commercial house in Cairo, and six him through some of his paces readcounting-house when he was quite a years later came under the notice of ily. young man, and he was away four Gordon, who appointed him Gover- When Arati's broken rerve became years, returning with a live gorilla nor of Darfur. In this position he evident the proprietor approached as trophy. Then he went far north, became known as "The Hammer of me on the subject of taking his place. and his fascination of manner and the Arabs," owing to his many vic- I was to have the handsome salary

near Wrexham, England, a retired ment that lasted till 1895, when, by and to do my work. agriculturist, has attained his 102nd secret aid from the authorities at This was rough on poor Arati, as, birthday. When over ninety years Cairo, Slatin managed to escape. from force of habit, we still called of age he sang in the Worthenbury The late Queen had Sir Rudolf at him. The proprietor was a business choir, and was probably at the time Windsor several times to hear him man and could not afford to do anythe oldest cherister in the country. relate his adventures. In his 100th year he received a congratulatory letter from the Queen. His eldest son is about eighty years of age and his youngest descendant ("can't keep a secret." "Go on!" is but a few months old. There are said little Johnnie. "Teacher kep" 182 descendants of this grand old me working on a wretched sum,

eight great-great-grandchildren. grandson of Lord John Russell, the these were yachts.

once or twice in a modest way in the

kindness of heart won him hundreds tories over the turbulent tribes, but hitherto received by Arati, and in 1883 he had to surrender to the was also to take his name, the train-Mr. Henry Richards, Worthenbury, Mahdi. Then began an imprison- er to take his own name of Smith

"A woman," said Mr. Plattitood, man-namely, 11 children, 66 grand- when she might have told me the children, 97 great-grandchildren, and answer."

Caged by A Lion.

"I can conceive or no human quality more fiendish in its action than jealousy; and of the various kinds PROPRIETOR of that poisonous power, professional jealousy is the cruellest and mean-

> A look of horror was on the speaker's face and a sort of shuddering spasm seemed to twist his features as he spoke. He was a comfortable merchant, John Jelly by name, and his stout, jolly, good-looking wife was with him. They were in Switzerland, enjoying a well-carned holiday after the rigours of business. Just then they were in company with other holiday-makers on the ley, South Africa, by Private Peter deck of the steamer that was plying Flynn, Third K. O. S. B., to his re-

dark man, already notorious for try- rade in Kimberley who was short of ing to get information on all sub- money, else he should scarcely have jects, scented a story.

yarn. You all know I am a manu- engagements with the Boers the facturer and a merchant in a fair watch was in the breast pocketway of business. I was not always wherein it must have been face outso well off as I am at present. Once wards at the time-of his khaki jack-I had not a spare half penny to my name, yet I had in my head the idea for the making and putting on the market of the world-famous articles through the works, and making a I manufacture now. Only capital deep dent in the back. was needed for patenting and float-ing the things. Capital was as hard to get in the sixties when I was a young man as it is now. I wanted show, and my duties were mainly to

One of the lions was Nero, a famous trick-beast, clever and intelligent, but of an uncertain temper. He was never taken on tour as most of the other animals were in turn, but was always kept at our headquarters, a well-known sea-side re- hot bars. sort, where he formed one of the attractions of the permanent menager-His trainer was a dashing fellow,

fearless and utterly careless of danbut as Smith does not look very imposing when billed, he was always known as Signor Arati. Arati was married, and he had a family dependent upon him. His never spoke a word to Arati nor did sack of nuggets. Each was well and tablespoonful of vinegar, three table-

and her ways were of the extravagant order, therefore it took all Arati's really splendid earnings to With a woman of this kind tied to him Arati's life was not of the ros-

iest, and it was a perpetual wonder to me how he contrived to keep such a happy-go-lucky air about him. The danger of his calling was as the zest of life to him, and when, in all the trickery of gorgeous circus gear, he entered Nero's cage and put the great beast through his paces, he was as a man intoxicated with a species of strange pleasure. Nero's tricks took about an hour

and a half to go through. He was the star lion. As a rule wild beasts only learn thoroughly one or two tricks, but Nero knew a dozen. Arati had a little play of twenty minutes' duration in his cage, and the lion himself was the principal character during this act. That was after his tricks had been duly exhibited. One evening when the lion-room was crowded as usual, and a mass of interested spectators with breathheld lips watched Nero perform his feats, a catastrophe occurred. Nero had been sulky. Arati had been obliged not only to use whips but the hot irons that afternoon at rebearsel, and the brute had not forgotten it. The trainer, lithe, graceful, gorgeous, full of quips and jokes. entered his cage and delighted the folk as usual, but he had an anxious face upon him before he went in, and I, with another assistant, had in-

when his night turn was done. A cry from the audience, a horri-

fied catch of all breaths, then shrieks and screams, gave us the signal suddenly. We sprang to the cage, and were just in time. Nero, with ominous growls, had the tamer down and his great paw was on him, just as

and, with growls of anger, succeeded

This was a calamity not to him only who had lost his good liveli-

thing else as he pointed out. He increased the salary of Arati's wife, however, and offered to give the poor fellow more than he had given

was sorry for Arati, I essayed it. coveted that salary, which would enable me to realize my heart's desire. I should be able to patent my invention, and to put it on the market, Earl Russell, who during the last Out of the 206 wooden vessels built if, for a very few months, I could ten years has had considerable ex- in British yards last year 147 were dare this awful task of lion-play done for years, in ministering to the scribable malignity; and then I saw lost hers."

I dreaded the task, but though



STOPPED A BULLET.

The accompanying cut is from the photograph of a watch that was sent home a short time ago from Kimberbetween towns on the Lake of Ge- latives a 19 High Street, Maxwelltown, Dumfries, Scotland. Mr. One of the party, a little, dried-up Flynn bought the watch from a comparted with it, for in all probability Well, perhaps I can give you a it saved his life. During one of his

ous of enjoying the spectacle of a been centered since the commence- ice cream.

take it, so great was his dislike of ing of evidence and conducting of keep the animals clean, to feed them his own; yet Jelly was no better. the trial has cost the Dominion the whites of three eggs to a stiff Arati's manner, hitherto pleasing- Government over \$100,000, the am-ly patronizing, changed towards me ount is not regarded as extrava- one pound of best almonds, and add from the first night I entered Nero's gant when all the circumstances are to this one pound of caster sugar. cage. His look was murderous, and yet agonized, as I came out and pasyet agonized, as I came out and pas- ends of justice were so energetically it dry in a slow oven. sed him as he stood where once I worked out. had been used to stand holding the The victims of the crime were teaspoonful of powdered sulphur into

I pitied him exceedingly, knowing son, the latter a Government tele- thoroughly into the hat with a tooth his bitter cause to feel his degrada- graph lineman. On the 17th of De- brush, and when clean place it under tion, for his wife, now she was de- cember, 1899, Clayson and Reefe, a tap and let the water run over to prived of his salary as it had been, well known and respected in Daw- free it from the sulphur. Dry in the was known to lead him a direful life son, started over the icebound river air out of the sun. Brush over with ger. His name was really Smith, at home. At last, however, his con- to travel through grey days and the white of an egg. duct grew so bad that I was roused bitter cold in order to reach their Mixing Salad Dressing. - Many and spoke so plainly that blood was homes and spend the remainder of housekeepers complain of the trouble up with both of us, and from words the winter on the outside. They car- they have in mixing the French dreswe came to blows. After that I ried a few thousand dollars and a sing. Put the ingredients (one

his act, enticing him by gifts of at one of the various roadhouses, mustard) into a bottle. Cork tightmeat, and using the whip less than which are placed some thirty miles ly, then shake the bottle vigorously keep her supplied with all she would Arati had used it, though I had to apart. lay it upon the animal sometimes when he was ugly, just to let him feel he had his master.

> lion-room I heard an unusual turmoil journey up the Kutchika, which unand roaring going on. Then out, in a great hurry, sprang Arati, with a wild face and terror-filled eyes. I But they were not seen afterwards. of the stone steps, and was struck let wounds in their skulis. Thus the by the strange look he had.

make the beasts roar so! full devilry of Arati's deeds. I got Dawson, and who was discovered run a little melted butter over it. half way up the room when a sight attempting to evade the police posts This will keep for some time in a met my eyes that absolutely froze up the trail, was arrested and held cool place and when served may be me into ice. For the most vicious simply as a suspect. Acres of froz- cut in thin, delicate slices with a

I flung the contents of Nero's meat Brien. basket full at her, foiling her leap. structions to stand ready behind the Then I turned—a fatal thing to do. scenes with hot iron bars, in case of but I was in a panic brought by the shock and the surprise—I turned and was the minutiae of exhibits pre- quarter of an ounce of ginger, half a is easily washed off and does not An instinct told me, and told Ar- ran back to the door, reaching it sented by the Crown, proving how teaspoonful of powdered mace. Place discolor either paint or woodwork.

I seized the handle, shook the door, ter and wild stretches of territory— for three hours. Then pour the conand screamed in my terror, calling a rifle, a slip of initialled paper, a tents of the jar into a saucepan and Never shall I forget that awful mo- ed nugget, a tooth crown, which the ketchup into a jug and strain inment! I quiver at the horror of it was later fitted into the jaw of one to small bottles for use. Do not when they are eaten in proper amount now! For Arati had lost his reason of those washed-up bodies, a receipt squeeze the mushrooms and be carethat day, being wife-goaded to his and other damning trifles, gathered ful to leave all the sediment in the mad deed. He had loosed the lion- here and there, from the vast jug. Before corking the bottles and Maris was engaged with the meat. detailed, a carefully plotted map a few drops of brandy to each. Ex-Nero's horse-flesh proved my salva- marked every step of his way, until amine the ketchup from time to time you may have seen acat's paw on a tion. I had but one chance of safe- the fatal moment when he endeavor- to see that it is keeping well.

With a couple of leaps I reached were brought from points thousands by a roar of agony, the fire-stung the empty cage and sprang within, of miles away, from Nome and the on darted from his victim, shaking drawing the door towards me fever- American States prison to testify his head with the pain that had de- ishly. All the cages shut with concerning his brooding speech and feated him. In a second Arati was springs: caged like a beast, but safe. dark intention. drawn outside the cage, the door was Then I considered that, should anybanged shut and all was safe. The one else enter the lion-room, that people were dismissed and the lion- person would run a terrible risk. Though I might shout my hardest, the ends of justice, and that is the Arati was hurt, but not so serious- Maris would be upon the intruder arrest of one Graves, O'Brien's travfirst Victorian Premier upon whom ly as had been feared. When he was like a flash before he would realize elling companion and apparent part-Sir John Tenniel exercised his pencil, fully recovered in body, however, he where the voice came from. And I ner in crime. Search has been made and great-grandson, therefore, of the remained seriously sick in mind. His was supposed to be a lion-tamer, yet for him all along the line, but since sixth Duke of Bedford. The Earl, splendid nerve was utterly gone; there I was in that ignominious po- O'Brien travelled alone after the who succeeded his grandfather in there would nevermore be any quel- sition! I began to boil as I thought date of the murder, it is surmised 1878, is unromantic in appearance. ling of wild beasts by Arati. He of it. Then Maris came up and that he killed Graves also in order stood looking at me with low growls to retain all the money and conceal with lip-lickings, with tail-lashings, his guilt.

> before the room was entered. Then Maris was close to the door and the key was moving in the lock! Someone was coming in. I got ready for story-tellers in society. Always a good plan. Plunge jars containing a tremendous shout, but my dry great favorite of the late Queen, he it to the neck in an airtight box and it died on my lips as I saw a every moment with his quaint tales, round the butter jars. Salt may be saw the lioness and, with a miraculous return of his old power he from real life—their shrewd, canny plenty of cold water; a biscuit tin his awful deed. He had the red-hot Lady Violet Grenville, "Jean Jamie- To Clean Oil Paintings.—Take some

shrank, whined, retreated. She was for his late work as I saw him be- true flavor to a Scotch story. labor the beast and drive her tobut he pulled the door of the next cage to mine open, then drove the lioness from her refuge and beat her All our family is opposed to you.' But what was Arati dcing? He had caged Maris and shut the door.

Surely, surely he was not opening

his mad face as it glared in at the "Arati, let me out! Let me out!" I kept crying, but he went away with wild, mad laughter, rushing from his lips. And I heard Maris move!

Then I knew no more. I came round to find myself in safety outside the cage, with many of the show people round me. running out of the building with difference between sorbets, granites, wild cries of satisfied vengeance. He frappes, sherbets and water ices was secured, and discovered to be quite insane. He was babbling of tween tweedledum and tweedledee. what he had done. At once his hor- To the initiated, however, there is a rified listeners rushed to the lion-considerable differentiation room to find the beasts settling down to quietness, while Maris, who or fruit juice and water frozen withhad been badly burned by the mad- out stirring. Motion interferes with man, sat subdued in a corner of her the clearness. A sherbet is a water man, sat subdued in a corner of her cage licking her wounded paws and rubbing her injured eyes as she has been added to right. Water the clearness. A sherbet is a water ice to which white of egg or gelatine has been added to right. rubbing her injured eyes as she has been added to give it a creamy whined with pain; and I was lying consistency. Sherbets should be in a senseless heap in the next cage, frozen more rapidly than ices. open to hers. They flung the par- A sorbet is frozen more like water again entered a lion's cage, nor ever usually has liquor added.

WILL PAY THE PENALTY OF HIS CRIME NEXT MONTH.

shall.-London Tit-Bits.

Police Authorities Worked for Long Time Against Adverse Conditions.

ment, will be enacted in the hanging So Arati and I changed places and of prisoner O'Brien, says a despatch names, for he took mine, or tried to from Dawson. Though the gather-

three men, Clayson. Reefe and Ple- the juice of a lemon. Brush this

LAST SEEN OF THEM.

On Christmas morning the three One afternoon as I entered the men started on their Christmas Day wondered what he had been up to, and eyed him keenly as he rushed Six months afterwards, when the to taste and add a pinch of cayenne.

Yukon water ran low, there lay upLeave the meat in a cold place with past. As I was opening the door I on the sandbars far below Minto the spices and turn it once or twice. caught sight of his face at the foot three disfigured bodies bearing bulwinter crime bared itself under the "Arati will go mad if he keeps on," I said half aloud to myself as that these three men had been foully in a very slow over all night. Let I went into the room where the roaring still went on. "I hope he has
been up to no tricks with Nero to

murdered on that Christmas Day.
In the meantime the police had not
been idle. Two weeks after the dislittle of the gravy in the process and appearance of the men O'Brien, who Tricks! Little did I dream of the had previously served sentence in Place the meat in small jars and

MANY TELL-TALE EXHIBITS. A notable thing about the trial A touch of two hot irons on his thought came that I was lost—the and thus brought upon himself the with a few peppercorns.

PROBABLY A VICTIM, TOO. One thing yet remains to complete

has just published a book of humor- ed by rubbing with dry bread. ous poems, illustrated by the Prin- To cool butter in warm weather, cess Louise, is said to be one of the such as we are at present experiencbest amateur reciters and Scotch ing, you will find the following a would bring a smile to her lips at that has wet sand fitted closely his imitations of the peasantry's mixed with the sand with great adways and doings-copied first hand vantage. Keep the sand wet with sayings and their homely mother is quite large enough to hold the wit. One of his comic songs, says necessary jar. bars. II? was again the fearless son's Bonnet," would send the most old potatoes, and peel carefully. Aftrainer. He applied the bars re- stolid of audiences into fits of ter rubbing the potato over the morselessly to Maris. The lioness laughter. He has the quiet, sedate painting (with very little water) a manner, the right accent, and the slice should be cut off and the rub now well known. cowed. I forgave him on the spot latent sense of humor which give the bing continued. As you go on the

INCLUSIVE. She-"No, I can never marry you. He-"But if you are not--" She-"I said all our family."

The naval 12-pounder is 5 feet the partition between the cages? longer than the Army 12-pounder. There is a partition which can be op- Mr. Jonewhedde (on returning ened between every cage in a lion- home from business, hopefully): ati was now opening the barred side have got a new cook, Harriet."

About the House.

FROZEN DAINTIES. To the casual observer who eats whatever is set before him, provided It seemed that Arati had been met it is good, asking no questions-the seems as inconsequential as that be-A water ice is simply a lemonade

A frappe is simply a half frozen ice. Its distinguishing characterisice. Its distinguishing characteristic is mushiness. If liquor is added to a frappe it becomes punch. Granites are fruits or water ices frozen without much motion with equal parts of salt and ice, so

as to ensure a granular texture. They are not frozen hard. Small fruits or large preserved or candied fruits cut in small pieces may be added just long enough before serving to get thoroughly chilled. A mousse is frothy mass-like cream prepared by freezing whipped cream without stirring. It should be made On the twenty-third of August the a number of hours before using and final scene in the famous murder packed in salt and ice, using a morbid fancies of a populace desir- case in which universal interest has greater proportion of salt than for

VALUABLE RECIPES.

Almond Paste for Cakes.-Beat To Clean a Leghorn Hat.-Stir a

happy. They travelled cheerily over spoonfuls of oil, a saltspoonful of Each afternoon I put Nero through the long trail, stopping each night salt and quarter that amount of for a few minutes, and you will have a perfect emussion. This is by far the easiest way to mix the French Potted Beef.-Slice thinly two pounds of thin, raw beef and beat the slices with a rolling pin, sprinkle powdered allspice, pepper and salt

little of the gravy in the process and adding more seasoning if necessary. Miramichi Advance Job Printing Office

of cayenne, half an ounce of allspice, brown paper. The gum tragacanth just in time to hear the key turn in excellently the police had done their all in a jar, cover closely, place in work under wonderful odds of win- saucepan of boiling water and boil stretches. O'Brien's movements were covering them with sealing wax, add ty, which I seized even as the ed to slink past Tagish police post, Should it ferment, boil it up again

> WORTH KNOWING. Paint made with turoentine is a better protection to iron work than paint mixed with linseed oil. For at refreshing bath dissolve a

> The water is thus made soft and in-A little vinegar put into a frying pan and heated on the stove removes the odor of onions or fish from the Lettuce for salad is greatly improved by being put in cold water

tablespoonful of rock ammonia in it.

for several hours before it is to be Soiled photographs may be cleaned by sponging with clear cold water. The Hon. Walter Campbell, who The cardboard mounts may be clean-

> lather should be wiped off with a very clean, very soft, wet sponge. When the whole surface has been thoroughly rubbed, the painting

should be well washed with luke

warm water, and then rubbed with

cotton wool, which will remove all

dirt. Finally polish by gently rub-

DISINFECTING A ROOM.

bing with a silk handkerchief.

perience in legal proceedings, is the under 600 tons. More than half and nightly risk my life as Arati had lioness now!" he said, with inde- our neighbor, Mrs. Bensonhurst, has teaspoonfuls of powdered gum traga- than that, yer honor! It shows canth in a pint of cold water for an that Oi hit him!"

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ON WOOD, LINEN, COTTON, OR PAPER WITH EQUAL FACILITY. ATCome and see our Work and compare it with that of

CHATHAM, NEW BRUNSWICK. of the beasts, the most intractable of them all, Maris, the evil-natured of them all, Maris, the evil-natured of them all, Maris, the evil-natured fully scraped; rocky bluffs and thick Mushroom Ketchup.—Take a peck hour, then place the bowl in a panlioness, whose cubs had been removed spruce groves were searched; the of fresh mushrooms and half a pound ful of boiling water and stir frefrom her only that week—Maris was rough, ice-bound river was submit- of salt, place them in a deep pan in quently until the gum is dissolved. out of her cage, the door of which ted for miles to the closest scrutiny: layers with salt sprinkled between. Have newspaper cut into strips about the smallest, most minute detail did Let it stand six hours then break two inches wide and paste six thick-I took in the horror at one glanc, not escape observation; and bit by up the mushrooms with a wooden nesses together. Paste these over and then I lost my nerve. I felt bit a mass of irrefutable circumstan-spoon and allow them to stand in the cracks of doors and windows, that death was upon me, and losing tial evidence was piled up that inmy head as I saw the beast crouch, terwove a mesh of guilt about O'- ring daily. Ascertain as nearly as the room to be sealed after the possible the quantity of liquor there fumigator is lighted. If there is a will be when strained, and to each fireplace in the room, it must be covquart allow a quarter of an ounce ered with several thicknesses of

EATING FRUITS.

Sickness may be produced by irre gular and excessive use of fruits and Children are, as a rule, exceedingly

fond of fresh fruits and green vege

tables, and if they are allowed the

free and prudent use of wholesome

fruits and vegetables they will no

eat them in excess. The greatest

danger lies in eating these food when they are not in proper condi Select only those that are properly grown and ripened and of the fresh est, otherwise they will excite dis ease. Never consider perishable foods cheap which are not strictly

fresh and sound.

A recent visitor to London is Professor Finsen, the Copenhagen doctor who discovered the light cure for that terrible disease, lupus. Many there are in Britain who would like to thank him for the service he has rendered suffering humanity. But he is a man of excessive modesty; he dislikes publicity, and would walk miles to be out of the way of a vote of thanks. Although a doctor, he does not practice medicine, but confines himself to pathological research. He is himself an invalid, suffering from heart disease, and unable to stand too much of the strain began to observe the effects of light on smallpox. This led him to the action of strong light as an irritant on the skin and to the work of sunshine as a disinfectant. Then he thought of applying his discoveries to lupus, one of the most painful diseases, and till then practically incurable. The results seemed miraculous, and an institute was founded to carry out the cure on a larger scale. The marvellous results are

A SURE RESULT. "Say, old chap, Coffup and I have a bet we wish you would decide for

"No. thanks." "Why, why not? We're both friends of yours." "Exactly. So what's the use of my making an enemy of one of you'

"The evidence." said the magis-Sometimes a doctor orders a room trate, "is conclusive as to your row to admit of cleaning. And Ar- "You are so cheerful, I take it you to be disinfected and if this is not having thrown a stone at the policedone properly it might as well not man." "Sure, an' it is," agreed Mrs. Jonewhedde (gaily): "No; no be done at all. An exchange gives the defendant, an Irishwoman, "an "Ah! brave tamer, look after your such luck. But I just heard that the following directions: Soak two the looks av the man shows more