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of these guns were not even unpacked. Before the second and third instalments were paid, fighting began, and the guns were captured by the Steam Engines and Boilers, Mill Machinery of all kinds Allies, and handed over to the Russians for custody. The Russians always seem to have men to take charge of anything, and they took such great care of these guns in the Shiku Arsenal that they were sent over to Port Arthur; so that although Germany has not received a penny for the honest work done in her country, she has unwittingly pro-

There never was greatness without gratitude.

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fend Port Arthur.

vided Russia with the means to de-

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get to make a pleat in the cloth at

low the pudding room to swell.

ON TOAST

the top of your basin, so as to al-

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CHOICE RECIPES.

Spanish Sandwiches-Thin slices of Graham bread, slightly buttered; dered bathbrick and paraffine. and spread with made mustard, then a then with powdered bathbrick. A ayer of cottage cheese. Salad-On page 154 of the Record Cook Book is a choice recipe, which excellent. bears a marvelous resemblance to Never hang a mirror where the deviled crab. Half the amount is sun's rays will fall upon it. The sun enough for small family. Orange Sauce-Beat the whites of the glass.

three eggs till stiff and dry, add gra-Barrister-At-Law dually one cup of powdered sugar and continue to beat, then add rind and juice of two oranges and rind of

Maitre d'Hotel Butter—Cream one—using up the left-overs from dinner be found—a narrow, wild-looking, came on; then first set fire to the and their long white trappings are those "in the know." half cup of butter, add one teaspoon of salt and a speck of pepper and with a little care, may be made to mountains which wedge-shaped cleft or gorge in the surrounding girdle of leaves and add smeared with a little care, may be made to them from my heap, little by parsely, then add one teaspoon of palate. lemon juice drop by drop.

pends on the beating. powder, whites of four eggs. Cream spoonful of plain flour; mix thor- and crannics of the boulders. From A dense volume of smoke arose Stock of Dimension and other Lumber butter, add sugar gradually, then oughly. If you think there is not the summit there was milk. Add flour sifted with baking sufficient fish for your slices of toast,

sponge cake. Maitre d'Hotel Potatoes-Wash, stewed tomato, add the same quanti- from a dreadful situation. pare and shape potatoes into balls, ty of chopped ham, one beaten egg, using a French vegetable cutter, or and a little warm water or gravy. should be potatoes to make two cups toast. Serve very hot. full. Soak in cold water for fifteen minutes, then drain and boil in salted water till soft. Drain and add maitre d'hotel butter and mix well. | Just as soon as the warm weather Dandelion Wine-Gather two quarts comes the children want to go bareof blossoms, without stems, which footed and then begins trouble with will make the wine better. Pour one sore toes and bruises. They get all gallon of boiling water over blos- kinds of wounds, but the most serand Iron gallon of boiling water over blos- kinds of wounds, but the most sersoms, let stand in stone crock three lous are those made by rusty iron, days and nights (or granite kettle generally received by stepping on an is better). Strain and add three old nail, the barbs of wire fences, pounds white sugar, two sliced le-jetc. Such hurts often prove sermons and two oranges. Boil about lous, resulting sometimes in lockjaw -BLOOD MAKER- five minutes. When lukewarm add and that is a disease that the docone tablespoonful good yeast. Pour tors do not seem able to handle sucinto a jug to ferment, having the cessfully. jug full, so it can run out as it ferments. filling up the jug with the re- to think such hurts of no consequence

mainder (if any is left over, if not. This is not "babying" them, either, use sugar and water, as the jug must for they should be instructed why be kept full during fermentation). In care is desirable. Teach them to about six weeks pour it off and put come to you with every hurt in it in air-tight bottles, with one or which the skin is broken, then see two raisins to each bottle. Lay the that the wound is properly cleansed bottles on their sides in cool, dark and bound up with some healing linplace. Cork tightly. Spring Soup-Simmer a pint of either remains or can enter.

sorrel, two heads of lettuce, a cup In the case of a wound from a of small dandelion leaves in two rusty nail—the most dangerous of inounces of butter for ten minutes, juries to the barefoot boy-turpenstirring constantly; then add three tine is highly rerommended. Peach pints of well seasoned stock and boil leaves, pounded and applied to such gently one hour. Strain and serve, a wound, are also favorably men-Roast Birds-Pluck, singe, draw tioned; good also in case of bee and and wash the birds thoroughly. Dust wasp stings. out with a small raw onion. Place applied.

mark. Cover it thickly with nicely

carpets becoming moth-eaten.

perfluous moisture as it goes.

Windows in damp weather-When it

is necessary to clean windows in

ed spirit, and you will polish the

spirit evaporates, and dries the su-

may be taken off an enameled bath if

it is rubbed well with rough salt

moistened with vinegar. This will

also clean enameled pots and pans,

no matter how burned or discolored

of old blankets on each step. If

To preserve stair carpets put pads

To clean chameled baths-Stains

cooked cranberries or a slice of le- generally counteracted by giving was rescued. Then I began to feel a of their assassination, Persians volmon. Place in roasting pan, cook whisky, on the homeopathic principle little more courageous. My mother, untarily suffer terrible self-inflicted in hot oven thirty minutes, basting of similia similibus curantur, proba- I knew, if I did not return by sun- punishments. frequently with het water and but- bly. If the remedy is not at hand, set, would be sure to send someone A correspondent of the London das. G. Willer ter. Serve on hot platter garnished make a lye of wood ashes and im- to look for me. That I should be Chronicle was privileged to see this merse the bitten member. The lye found by night, or at least on the rite and gives the following vivid de-SOME HELPFUL HINTS. falls upon the carpet cr rug, never are on record where lives have been spent by the Persians in weep- servant problem. By planning every- editors in London can tell whether thirst is soon quenched. For before attempt to sweep it up at once, for saved by this treatment. . the result is sure to be a disfiguring

EQUALLY UNCERTAIN.

CUTS AND BRUISES

Children should be instructed not

Struck by a fancied resemblance, sweep it up cleanly, so that not the the young man looked at her a second time. Carpets should be beaten on the "I beg your pardon," he said, "but wrong side first, and afterward more your face is strikingly familiar. gently on the right. Never put Weren't we engaged once?' down a carpet on a damp floor, for "I am not sure," she replied. "May this-often the result of hurry and ask your name?" house-cleaners-is a frequent cause of

"My name is Brown." "That doesn't help any," she rejoined, with a little sigh. have been three Browns.'

Landlord-"Attendant, I hear a child crying. I told you to let no windows in half the time, as the rooms in this block to people with was born here." Landlord-"Please tell 'em that sort of thing must not be repeated."

> It's mighty curious, but the fewer square feet there are about anything a woman wears the more cubic yards of money she puts into it.

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there is no store of ancient blanket to draw from, a substitute may be made of several thicknesses of brown

To boil eggs for invalids, bring the WOMAN IMPRISONED water to the boil, then take the DEATH ADDERS. egg in it for five minutes. This will cook the egg perfectly without mak- Hunting for Orchids in

ing the white hard and indigestible. Wild Hills of North It is also well to boil an egg intend-Queensland. ed for a young child in this manner. To clean brass nothing is better On the bank of the Kirk River, in than the old-fashioned plan of rubbing first with a paste made of powmixture of lemon juice and powdered chalk used in the same way is also

acts upon the mercury and clouds

For an inexpensive "tasty" hot dish for tea there are more ways of

one-half teaspoon of finely chopped look as tasteful to the eye as to the on each side with jungle. Huge little. grey boulders showed out here and Trim the crust from neat slices of there through the verdure, and or-Sunshine Cake—Beat white of five stale bread, and toast each side a chids could be seen less than one I was sure there were enough leaves they wave as they wail, "Has-san! as is generally imagined. There are the two Ivans became eggs very firm. Thoroughly beat delicate brown; butter while hot, and hundred feet above me. Hobbling to keep the fire belt alive until day— Hus-sein! A-li.!" Their frenzy in- few newspapers in the world in these sailors. gegs very firm. Thoroughly beat yolks with one cup sugar. Fold in carefully the beaten whites- Fold in two-thirds cup well sifted flour. Bake two-thirds cup well sifted flour two-thirds cup well sifted flour. Bake two-thirds cup well sifted flour two-thirds cup well sifted fl gully, for I had to clamber over Suddenly I heard a sound which is an accident, and he is attended to inevitably be, after the truth was nice. No baking powder used. De- Fish-Separate the meat from the boulders, push through vines and made my heart leap-a gun shot! bones of any fish that may be left creepers and make many detours. Then another and another followed. square, headed by torch-bearers, rest of the war. Snowballs—One-half cup of butter, from dinner, and place on one side. However, when I reached there, I sprang to my feet, and in a few carrying gigantic torches, flaming Snowballs—One-half cup of butter, from dinner, and place on one side. Towever, when I spraing to my teet, and in a lew carrying gigantic torches, flaming one-half cup of Break into a bowl one or two eggs, was well satisfied, for there were moments I had lit the circle of leaves high aloft, this weird procession milk, two and one-half cups of flour, according to the amount of fish, add many orchids around me-some grow- in a dozen places, cooee-ing loudly BAND AND SCROLL SAWING. two rounding teaspoons of baking salt, a bit of pepper, and one tea- ing on trees and others in the clefts the while.

A SPLENDID VIEW East End Factory, Chatham, N. B. powder; lastly the whites of the add one slice of fresh, white bread, of the surrounding country—the long rounded by it that I was not only eggs beaten stiff and dry. Steam minus crust, mix all well, and add meandering course of the Kirk River half-smoothered, but nearly roasted thirty-five minutes in buttered cups. the fish. Pour into a frying pan in being especially noticeable, owing to as well, for the leaves of the More-Half this quantity will make five which is a little hot butter or ham both banks being heavily fringed ton Bay fig tree give out a great large snowballs and half the sauce gravy, stir until very hot, spread with dark green she-oaks, which heat. In another quarter of an on toast and serve. A few drops made a startling contrast to the hour, when I was gasping for breath, Cream Sponge Cake Sift together of lemon juice sprinkled on the mix- monotony of the pale dull green of and the flames and smoke had died a cup of sugar and a cup of flour, ture improves it for some tastes. the forest of iron bark and gum away, I was able to see. one rounding teaspoon of cream of Chipped Beef-Put into a saucepan trees. Almost directly beneath me, The adders had gone. tartar, half level teaspoon of soda one gill of milk, and a teaspoonful at the base of the hills, there was a I then made another pile of leaves torches shed upon them; again, 200 and one-half saltspoon of salt. of butter. When the butter melts flock of seven emus, who were feeding directly, under the opening above, lit Special attention given to the Break into a cup two eggs and beat add as much as desired of chipped on a thick, fleshy kind of saline it and watched the smoke ascending yataghans moving in rythmical preservation and regulating of the natural till light, fill the cup with thick beef shredded into tiny bits. Add to creeper, which grew amonst the loose in a straight line to the sky, and cream and add one teaspoon of or- this one beaten egg, a sprinkling of stones. I could see them quite dis-Also Crown and Bridge work. All work ange extract. Turn into dry mix- black pepper. Stir with a fork tinctly as they stalked to and fro. the strength of my lungs. ture and fold carefully and thorough- about two minutes, spread on toast, Little did I know as I watched them that these huge birds were to be the though it was in reality less than 200 is drenched with blood, their Tomato—To about a cupful of cold

> shape in one-half inch curbs. There Bring to a strong heat, and lay on began to collect. I had been at former was a stockman, and was been sharpened to the keenness of a work about half an hour when I riding across country to the Kirk razor. Those who die from wounds just coming into flower. It was flock of emus, and had shot three of dise, and not a man flinches. growing in the cleft of a jagged them with his Winchester carbine, network of tough, malodorous vine. attention to my horse and then to their cries the whole way round the it that, when I found there was a the big feathers out of one of the spectators faint and are carried narrow cleft between the boulder emus they heard my coose. fallen from the trees above. Rising to my feet, I looked about Oh! that drink of water. It was

me, and nearly cried with fright, for heaven itself! I saw that I was in a prison chamber! From where I had fallen to the was three feet thick with powdery was that the wall of solid rock was iment, so that no foreign matter dome-shaped, and would be impossible for anyone to climb. The cleft at the top-through which I could see the blue sky above-was about three feet wide and about ten long; at one end of it the roots of a tree

called the "MORETON BAY FIG" hung down over the edge.

salt and rub the breast inside and blue if butter or lard is immediately my prison and saw that it was fu- ago. Ali and his sons they believe in the body of the bird a few un- Bites from venomous snakes are aided-I should have to wait until I the Prophet, and on the anniversary merse the bitten member. The lye found by night, or at least on the rite and gives the following vivid deshould be hot as can be borne, and following morning, I was certain. scription of it:changed as it cools. Continued I stood up and scraped together a It is five o'clock in the afternoon. ly out of domestic management, the tain newspaper now in the far east foe. soaking is necessary. Several cases pile of leaves, making them into a All the previous day and night have ensuing revolution would solve the have a particular sign by which the The ardent commander's battle-

ments, and watched them intently, cestors is at hand.

children." Attendant—"That'un one, appeared to be of the same medan women are present. size, about 18 inches long; evidently they were the one brood. Presently that there were means of exit (for proceedings.

Kneeling down I PRAYED FOR COURAGE. "did a long weep." Turning over my seat of leaves, in the hope that I might find some large stones underany of the adders if one came over put in my handkerchief and tied them up tightly, making a weapon as good as a stone, and weighing about five pounds

Then I suddenly remembered my box of matches, and I became almost hysterical with joy. I found a certain means of defence, and should not die a dreadful death from snakeother "weep"-this time one of joy- square they move, and even as they

TERRIBLE EXPERIENCE As long as daylight lasted I some the blood begins to flow. One should, I knew, be comparatively quite a young fellow, of not more WITH turbed them; but at night they terribly, but never once does he FORTUNES MADE ON THE nobody could say. The two Ivans, would be all over the place seeking wince or diminish the force of his food, such as little grey rock lizards, blows. the many of which I saw creeping about An hour of this torture, and then Precautions Taken by the News with other mujiks summoned as con-North Queensland, there is a wild by inch towards the sleeping adders not coffee, and during this interval picturesque range of rocky hills, feeling more courageous every mom- our host supplies us with most delic- Japan a sensation was caused by whose tops are 300 feet high. They ent, when I saw that no notice was jous tea, served in little glass tumbthe telegram which was sent from

AS THEY BURNED DOWN

indirect means of my being rescued half an hour after the first fire was leatures indistinguishable. "Haslit that the smoke was noticed, and san!" "Hus-sein A-li!" and as they Leaving my water-bag under the my cries heard by a man named cry each name they slash their shav- the beginning of the last century, of occasional voices is borne on the shade of an overhanging boulder, I Maurice Kerr and a black boy. The en crowns with swords that have dread of Napoleon boulder standing amidst a tangled when the black boy first called his

and me I did not hesitate to jump It did not take them long to find waving yataghans streaming with it. across—with a disastrous result, for me, and I was soon rescued by nearly all the dervishes complete the when I landed on the other side my means of two bridles, which Kerr circuit, but some few drop, and foot slipped on the rock and I fell lashed together and lowered down to these, as a special honor, perhaps sideways down into the cleft and me, telling me how to tie one under dving, are laid at the feet of the had been actually killed. of dead vines and leaves, which had And then as I lay on the hot rocks moved. I pointed to my water-bag.

bottom was about ten or twelve PERSIAN PENITENTS ORGY feet, although the floor of the place

FLICTED PUNISHMENTS.

Slash One Another's Heads and Shoulders With Swords.

The Mouharrem is the Persian season of mourning, when Persian Mohammedans mourn for the death of Ali and of his two sons, Hussan and each one with one-quarter teaspoon Bruises and bumps will not turn I sat down and looked all around Hussein, whom they slew 1,320 years tile my attempting to escape un- to have been the true successors of

cavern, so that I could either sit ing and lamentation; all this morn- thing on business lines about 50 per their telegrams are genuine or not. an hour has passed not a man reing in sharpening yataghans (short cent. of the present labor would be A certain word is placed near the mains alive on the destroyer with Then I caught sight of something a swords) and preparing other instru- saved. It is asserted that all the beginning of each message, and the the exception of the two Ivans; and few yards away on the other side of ments for self-torture; walls and labor-saving devices in use at present correspondent always spells it in a how they have escaped they themthe cave that made my heart "come windows are draped in black; black- are the inventions of men, and that particular and unusual way. Then selves cannot tell. into my mouth' -a number of snakes robed, pale, sad-visaged men move there are plenty more of these bene- the editors know that nobody else is In a cloud of smoke, and sprinkled lying together in a heap, and appar- silently and slowly hither and thith- ficent ideas on tap in the masculine making fraudulent use of their cor- with their comrades' blood, the two er, the hour for the annual expiation brain only awaiting an opportunity respondent's name and authority. Ivans fought as lions. But the en-I kept perfectly still for a few mo- of the crime committed by their an' for realization. Men do not have If anybody could persuade one of emy came on-and conquered, And wondering whether they were young, They are handsome men, these Per- that women do with their servants, circulate an exceptionally big and in the foe's possession it suddenly

non-venomous "rock" carpet snakes sians, with delicate features and says the writer, and it would not (which were very plentiful all about intellectual countenances, their take the mighty masculine intellect of people who could make fortunes they must die all the same. the Kirk) or the deadly brown grief is deep, sincere, and to be very long to do away with the serrespected, however, mistaken its vant question entirely. Very softly and quietly I went a cause. But there are others present | We are inclined to agree with the little nearer, and looked more close- beside Persians; Turkish Mohamme- writer to this extent: that after a ly, and felt sick with fear when I dans and long, white-bearded im- man had conducted the domestic afsaw that they were death adders- aums, and a sprinkling of Europeans, fairs of a household for a few weeks dark grey in color, and all, except including a few ladies. No Moham- there would be no servant question,

PENITENTS MARCH IN. one of them moved, and then writh- We are gravely conducted to an up- keeper. It would be a task of Hercu-

fissures in the rock, some of them as The Persian Ambassador has arriv- cipline the cook by employing the said they would make their own inlarge as a man's hand. At that side ed, and with his suite is conducted same methods with which he is ac- quiries immediately. -where the adders were lying-the to a kiosk at one side of the mos- customed to coerce the office boy. Im- The caller then showed anxiety, floor of the pit was free from de- que. Then the square is cleared, the agine this man debating the vital and, producing a roll of notes, ofbris (being away from the opening imaums collect on the steps of the questions of "Thursday afternoons fered the agency manager \$5,000 if All the world looked at them. but above), and consisted of a dirty mosque, and simultaneously the wail out" and "What shall we have for he would put the story on the wires they could not even see the sky; dark greyish sand; and a wild hope of funeral music reaches us. Purple dinner?" with an indignant Abigail without further delay. The money come to me that I might be able banners, black banners, green ban- whose eloquence exceeds her logic! was refused, but a promise was given to dig my way through under the ners, and one white, with inscrip- As for us, we do not want a home to forward the story. And so it tions on them, all of silk, the sum- run on "strictly business principles." was telegraphed to headquarters, but cision soon taken. Creeping over as quickly as possi- mit of the staff of each surmounted There are plenty of them in the land, with a full statement of the circumble and keeping a watchful eye on by a silver hand, the fingers out- but they are called hotels. Here is a stances and of the bride that had the hideous mass of slumbering rep- stretched to heaven. Then comes conundrum: When is a home not a been offered. Needless to say, this tiles, I began to dig with my hands the band, consisting of a few flageo- home? When it has a man for house- war "news," was never published. at the base of the wall, and worked lets, drums and cymbals. The music, keeper. Home is that realm where on for ten minutes or so, the per- of six bars only, repeated again woman rules. spiration streaming from every pore and again, affrights the car with its in my body, and then gave up when dissonance, yet it conveys to the my nails struck against solid rock. hearer a sense of unutterable sad-

Behind the band comes some fifty when up came one of their number for the coming night, and then I men in double rank, but far apart, with a hat on that nearly covered indeed, he said he was extremely dressed ib black, the left breast him. "Halloa, Bill!" one remarked, sorry, although he didn't know the bare, and at the end of each bar of "Come out of that tent." Bill man personally!" dressed in black, the left breast looked supremely indifferent; but his neath which would enable me to kill with the right hand, keeping perfect indifference changed to indignation Clarence—"Why do you say the time. "Has-san! Hus-sein! Ah!" to my part of the cave I found some they wail. Following them, still a guv nor, have you paid for that - Well, the bride was red. the wish you wouldn't call me 'Leo' greater number of men in black, with hat?" Bill muttered somethin like groom was white, and her father, any more. bared shoulders, and armed with bad language, to which the urchin who had all the bills to pay, was this?" snapped his wife "That's bunches of steel chains attached to replied: "Cos if you ain't, then I'm blue." short handles; and with the regular blowed if you ain't over head and swing of a dumb-bell exercise they ears in debt. smite themselves over each shoulder alternately, keeping time with the music. "Hassan! Hussein! A-li!"

blow for each name.

safe from the adders, unless I dis- than seventeen, must be suffering

the sides of the cavern in pursuit of at sunset only a party of the elder flies, moths, etc. Very carefully I men remain to weep and wail the gathered up armsful of leaves and while the square is being illuminatdead vines, and pushed them inch ed on all sides. Persians drink tea, consist of immense boulders, tumbled an hour I had a thick semi-circular load tea, served in fittle glass tumbled the telegram which was sent from an hour I had a thick semi-circular load tea, served in fittle glass tumbled the telegram which was sent from Serve somewhere. an hour I had a thick semi-circular arate tray. Then the sound of mu- had been a terrible fight off Port with timber, vines, creepers and huge layer of leaves nearly two feet high sic again, louder wailing than we are het ween the snakes and me. Then I orchids and ferns growing in be- between the snakes and me. Then I have heard before, and every man is added more and more leaves, until now dressed in white. Two most later the report was denied, but in I had formed a complete circle, with beautiful pure white horses follow the interval it is likely that many I had visited this place three times a clear space in the centre, into the banners, each led by two men. for the purpose of gathering orchids which I then carried all the leaves On the shoulders of each horse are had made fortunes out of the rufor a person in Townsville who that were left and compressed them two swords upright, and behind the mor; just as in the same way preused to pay me five shillings each as much as possible by covering swords a pair of white doves; and cisely, in the case of past wars in them with my shirt, which I took the doves flap their wings as the which European powers have been One day I set out for a spot where off. It was my intention to sit on horses move, Round shields are susinvolved, thousands of dollars have liven felt the chalk passing over his I was sure plenty of orchids would this mound of leaves till darkness pended to the sides of the horses, been made in as many seconds by

ROAD TO PARADISE

moves, and the square is now lined by Turkish troops with fixed bayonets. The bayonets are not fixed instantly transfixing any dervish who may run amok. "Has-san! Hus-sen! A-li! Has-san! Hus-sein! Ali!"

Again and again the weird, monotonous cry that will ring in one's tering white doves are passing us, the light of the waving flames of the swing. "Has-san! Hus-sein!" "Ali" fierceness, and then; before one can Hours and hours seemed to pass, realize the fact, every man of the

> BLOODY SPECTACLE. They cut and cut again in time to away. Smothered in blood, the

ghastly spectacle, and as the second up with a tremendous rush. detachment is passing endeavor to

dripping swords. MEN AS HOUSEKEEPERS.

in the Suggested Role.

Outside a railway station the cabmen were busy waiting for fares said so quite frankly." Mrs. Colls- lies "the first Russian capture," and

bite in that awful place! After an- Slowly, very slowly round the as he smiled benignly; "only once."

round or two, and down the backs of very time he begins to know more. | pair it. 2014年,秦城大型2014年的1980年的1980年

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In the great majority of cases these false reports are circulated by Two hundred men follow, armed interested financial magnates, and had a "sailor snout," amd on his on the spot. Once around the known, to discredit the paper for the the exception of rare trips ashore,

SIMPLE PROCESS.

The process is, of course, simple enough. At the beginning of every war the stock markets of the world uncommon had happened toiled on the round me, and poured up through for ornament, but for the purpose of the care invariably in an exceedingly nervous state and susceptible to the actions showed intelligence and care slightest influences. When a story is spread of a great disaster all stocks and shares immediately fall in price. tive land with a "sokha" (wooden spent their days plowing their na-When the news is proved to be untrue they rise again. Anyone who piow). Yet now they suddenly ears for many a day to come; again knows far certain that the report is false buys all he can during the momentary slump, and when the market has recovered sells off at the white-clad figures, their gleaming to himself. Sometimes the process is reversed with similar results.

Over and over again in history has lights are extinguished, and the long this trick been perpetrated on a lines of guns can barely be seen on gigantic scale. For example, one of the forts. The two Ivans are silent, the most sensational war reports on and look wistfully into the obscure record was invented for this purpose. distance. Strangely shaped shad-It was during the European war at ows crowd underneath, and the sound the beginning of the last century, of occasional voices is borne on the dread of Napoleon.

AN OLD TRICK caught sight of a beautiful orchid River Township when he saw the thus inflicted go straight to Para- About the beginning of 1814 a out. circle of individuals who had never | The enemy is invisible. previously dabbled in stock exchange I was so eager to get possession of the smoke. As they were pulling square; strong men among the ernment stock that they could lay water afar. They can hardly be their hands on in London. Eventual- seen. ly they had collected about \$5,000,-000 worth among them, and then come the French and that Napoleon watching for the eenemy

dropped into a thick pile of debris my arms. Then they pulled me up. Ambassador before they are re- Whilst the public were doubting and the stock markets hesitating. Still 600 more remain to perform what had every appearance of being eyes strain into the remote darkness the horrible rite in batches of 200 a true report, reliable confirmation to the point of torture. each; but we have seen enough of the came to hand, and prices then shot

make our way out of the square, the The public were in a frantic hurry sharp winds blinding the watcher's pure air now tainted with the sick- to buy all they could. When enor- eyes, with salt spindrift cutting the ening smell of blood. We become mous profits were to be obtained, face, for his attack. leaves, etc. But what terrified me SUFFER TERRIBLE SELF-IN- jammed in the crowd in the gateway, the people who had bought the milamid the streaming swords and lion's worth of stock sold out as scenting the foe ahead. streaming fanatics, and then have quietly as possible. Then it began we to thank the splendidly discip- to be noticed that there had been lined Turkish troops for their civility no Government confirmation of the and prompt assistance. Still, in the story, and shortly afterwards it benarrow, dark, densely crowded thor came very apparent that the whale oughfare, we are not free from the thing had been a "plant" from behorror, and pass two red men fran- ginning to end, news being soon re- reverberations blend in one prolonged tically striking doors with their red, reived of fresh movements by Napoleon, who was still very much alive. Thousands of speculators who had bought stock at the inflated prices were hopelessly ruined. Many ef- The crew rush on deck. From the forts were made to bring the con-

MARKING MESSAGES. A writer in an English review ex- London newspapers have to be very training it on the enemy. And the presses the opinion that if, for a much on their guard against this destroyer, under full steam, rushes while, men could take over all house- kind of thing, and in at least one ahead, rending with its steel nose the keeping duties, keeping women entire- case all the correspondents of a cer- black sea, and dashing towards the the same troubles with their employes the great foreign news agencies to when the two Ivans saw their ship important lie in a very veracious- entered their heads that though healooking manner, there are thousands ven had saved their lives in battle

Into the office of one of the best known of these agencies at a foreign and no servant either, writes Rob- station there entered late one night, ert Webster Jones in the June House when a recent war was in progress, a distinguished-looking gentleman ed itself clear from its horrid com- per room of a house in the wall. lean difficulty to persuade a servant title, and who produced a despatch panions, and slowly crawled away to The windows, iron-barred outside to enter that house again. We can which he said he had received from death. the foot of the wali, where it sudden- and descending to the floor, are op- picture in our mind's eye the domestic the seat of hostilities, which, if true, ly disappeared, and then I saw what en, and lying down we command a chaos that would result, the aston- was of a most important character. had previously escaped my notice- complete view of the whole of the ishing innovations that would be in- He generously offered to make the troduced from cellar to garret. Fancy agency a present of the information. snakes at least)-narrow cracks and Presently there is a slight stir. the average man attempting to dis- The manager thanked the visitor and fully they took the destroyer in tow

Mrs. Colls:-"And when you told him I was married, did he seem to be sorry?" Friend:-"Oh, yes; he "Did he really?" Friend:-"Yes,

when an urchin drily remarked : "Hi wedding was patriotic?" Algernon:

tell me you want to marry that ing you might call me 'Joh,' just "You office-holders," sneered the bald-headed Professor Wiseman?" for a pet name. man who was vainly trying to be Ethel-"It is true he is bald, but

The Two Ivans

STORY OF RUSSIAN HEROISM.

(The foollowing sketch which to have been written by the wife of founded on fact, has created a great sensation in Russia. It is supposed one of the high naval officers who took part in the first naval engagement at Port Arthur and have since been recalled.)

Why they were made into sailors one from inland Kostroma, the other from inland Vologda, stood in a line scripts from all parts of the Russian

Nobody asked them what they wished themselves-Hussars, Life Guarhs, Infantry or Fleet. And, to tell the truth, the two Ivans were absolutely indifferent. They must

So, when the conscription officer, chalk in hand, walked past the long naval mark on the men's sheepskin thought in his head. At most there

"The navy !" And as the other Ivan stood beside him it appeared that he, too.

Bath Ivans served on the same vessel, the destroyer Steregushtchi.

And they both served well, with when both, primed with vodka to the neck, became two indescribable But that phase passed rapidly, and Since childhood the two Ivans had

Why? To that question nobody The chief reason was-they must

serve somewhere. Darkness and silence by the Pacific. Port Arthur seems dead. The harbor long pencils of bright light on the outer harbor. Then even they go

From the beach comes the dull and matters began, in the most mysteri- measured roar of surf. The dark silous fashion, to buy up all the Gov- houets of big ships rise from the

The two Ivans are in a post of on February 21st a staggering report danger. The "Steregushtchi," far was spread that the Allies had over- from land in the outer roadstead, is All are awake; all watch. It would seem as if each man had four eyes,

> They must not be caught napping by the enemy-the Jap is cunning. He would choose such a dark night, with bad weather coming on, with

> And the two Ivans are wide awake. From the nearest warship flashes the dazzling searchlight. There is a roar, and a thousand reverberations rattle across the watery space. A minute later more thousands of

The enemy is sighted. On the destroyer all at once rushes into life. The boatswain whistles. bridge comes the commander's harsh Why They Would Be Out of Place spirators to justice, but they all voice. The commander is ardent and thirsty for battle. The two Ivans bustle about a gun; they are

out of it. This idea has been And under the enemy's very nose thought of many a time, but has al- the two Ivans dived into the destrover's hold and shut down the The Japanese were amazed. "What characters! Give yourselves

up-the ship is ours. We will treat you honorably as prisoners. We are a civilized people The two Ivans did not reply: it was no time to listen to Japanese habble. They were preparing for

The enemy triumphed. It was the first Russian warship captured. Joyas a trophy

And the two Ivans sat below, holding a council of death. For the two Ivans were in command of the ship. they sat concealed and obscure in a steel box under water. The council was short and their de

And the two Ivans prayed, and, having prayed, opened the stop-cocks and let the water into the hold. The Steregushtchi sank rapidly to the bottom. The enemy had barely time to cut the hawser.

"We must die."

In the coze of the Pacific bottom in it lie its two "commanders," the The Russian mujik does not know how to live. But he knows how to

know but it makes my friends laugh "Why, Ethel, you don't mean to when you call me that. I was think-

one, "don't die very often, do you?" think how many young men of to- May-"It was too bad that Miss "No." replied the man who was one, day are bald on the inside of their Trills disappointed the audience at the amateur performance." Elsie:-"But she didn't. She was able to

and when my hands ceased to trem- pass us the first time their shoulders After a boy discovers he doesn't No man can break a gtrl's heart as appear after all." May:-"Yes; but ble with excitement, I began my pre- are black and swollen. Another know more than his father, it is the easily as some other man can re- it was generally supposed that she would not be able to appear."