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THE GOLDEN KEY

Or "The Adventures of Ledgard." By the Author of "What He Cost Her."

CHAPTER XXVI.

It was Trent himself who kept watch through that last long hour of moonlit darkness till the wan morning broke. With its faint, grey streaks came the savages of Bekwanthrough the long, rough grass, then suddenly, at a signal, bounding up-The war-cry of the savages was met with a death-like quiet—there were ly the power to do him incalculable those savages."

Ing words. Frent had always left don't think any one would work with the constant fear of an attack from until vegetables are soft. Add one pint of hot milk and two tablespoons of confusion or terror. A ly the power to do him incalculable those savages."

Paint marks was felled to the ground by Trent tate about it. Trent knew that, alwith a blow which would have stagwith a blow which would have stagthough broadly speaking he-was innoswered. "I have embodied it in a
mutton neck, five large onions, two
pulverized pumice stone. hand, and every man stretched flat Monty, no power on earth would ever retary of the company by Mr. Da pounds potatoes, one tablespoonful change of the company by Mr. Da separated them, yet there was no whelmingly against him. Without which swung into the little room. sign of life from the camp. The long interference from any one he had al"Out you go!" he said fiercely. more, their spears poised above their heads, their half-naked forms showing more distinctly as they peered ms near now as they could get. There was a signal and then a wild chorus of vells. They three aside all dis.

They three aside all dis.

They dere surely sleeping still. They were any outside source would be fatal, and quarters in this country of the Bek-ping wando Company, with which you have nothing to do! Out you go!"

Trent answered. They are the head-quarters in this country of the Bek-ping will form a solid lump on the large, freshly baked potato and scoop top.

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They three aside as the second as th was a signal and then a wild chorus of yells. They threw aside all diswards and forwards with knitted wards and forwards with knitted "Don't talk rubbish!" Cathcart and "Don't talk rubbish!" Cathcart and guise and darted forward, the still brows, glancing every now and then angrily. "I'm the authorized and ed a yellow line of fire as the rifles of Trent and his men rang out their of Bekwando looked never again into Attra, pale, gaunt, and hollowupon the faces of their wives, the rest eyed. The whole history of those days do this," Cathcart stuttered.

Francis and sprang upon him. The blow which he aimed would most surely have killed him, but that Trent with the butt-end of a rifle, broke its force a little. Then, turning round, he for getting angry in!"

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wreaths of mist were curling upwards clothes had never been changed since upon the office stool hard at work and the sun shone down with a cloud- they had started upon their perilous with a pair of compasses. clear as the vapors melted away, reeled a little in his saddle, and he there?" Trent asked. "Out you go with tomato sauce, made by cooking the form walked into the office of the Arent Francis was lying upon his face walked into the office of the Agent with your master!" groaning heavily; the Kru boys, to more like a ghost than a man. whom he was well known, were Two men, Cathcart and his assistgathered into a little circle around ant, who was only a boy, were lounghim. Trent brushed them on one side ing in low chairs. As he entered they "I'm just thinking about that first and made a brief examination. Then looked up, exchanging quick, starthe had him carried carefully into one led glances. Then Cathcart gave vent "I'm not sure about the level."

Preparations for a start were made, you been doing?" but Treat was thoughtful. For the Second time within a few hours this some wine," he said. "I am all right Trent!"

"My boy," he said, "I'll make your fortune as sure as my name is Scarlett Trent!"

One quart oysters, two tablespoons aim, lay at his mercy. That he had Cathcart poured champagne into the boy answered, with a smile.

saved his life went for nothing. In was warm with the joy of fighting. Now it was different. Trent was sel- mischief do you mean by wasting a dom sentimental, but from the first fortnight?" he had had an uneasy presentiment hands—an ugly sight in the dim A mutual antipathy seemed to have "I have come to the conclusion, Mr. third cup of carrot, each cut in small the Bekwando Syndicate. But to ar- "These are my quarters!"

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hesitated. Trent, in whom was the would never be known by another love of fighting, made then his first man! Upon Trent they had left their mistake. He called for a sally, and mark for ever. Every hour of his rushed out, revolver in hand, upon time in this country he reckoned of never had much faith in you, sir, scalded milk, a third of a cup of dresses which are being worn at par- in a house 12 feet by 12 feet, with a tied to its tail to insure that it falls the broken line. Half the blacks ran great value—yet he had devoted and I guess you only got the job by sugar, or half a cup of molasses, ties and other social occasions, as well roof average of 614 feet, is large to the ground nose downward. Both away like rabbits; the remainder, fourteen days to saving the life of If there's anything away lake rabbits; the remainder, fourteen days to saving the life of a rig. But out you go now, sharp, quarter of a yeast cake, quarter of a parent that enough for thirty hens. Over and these bombs explode on impact, and greatly outnumbering Trent and his John Francis. Such delays too—and can claim it in London water, one and one- milady's wardrobe will not be com- above that number is crowding, and it is inadvisable to knock them was hand to hand fighting, and Trent sometimes in a dead stupor, somewas cursing already the bravado times a raving madman, along a wild which had brought him out to the bush-track across rivers and swamps open.

Trent laid his hands upon his shoulders and threw him softly out- lukewarm add dissolved yeast and every taste from the extreme to the lukewarm add dissolved yeast and fuse. The cricket ball works by a time every taste from the extreme to the fuse. The removal of a certain pin For a while it was a doubtful comago a Congo trader, who had made a
bat. Then, with a shout of triumph, fortune, had built a little white-washbat. Then, with a shout of triumph, fortune, had built a little white-washbread pan in a moderately hot oven, with which these dresses may be have more than thirty birds in a coop internal fuse timed to explode the

12 feet by 21 feet, and a few less bomb in five seconds. You take the the chief, a swarthy, thick-set man ed hospital! He was safe now, but man, and keep out of my sight till Over Pie Line a deep pie plate. For blew out the man's brains as Francis millionaire, a peer, a little god sank backwards. A dismal yell from amongst his fellows, freed for ever then they turned and fled, followed by a storm of bullets as Trent's men leaped into the air and fell forward upon their faces. The fight was of their burden, ever ready to fight ever, and, when they came to look off the progress of the fever and to the progress of the fever and ague, as the twitching lips or shiver-Morning had dawned even whilst For fourteen days he had not slept; they had been fighting. Little until they had reached Garba his the room. The boy was there, sitting in cold water, and in the morning put less, golden light, every moment more journey. As he rode into Attra he

"Great Heavens, Trent, what have his hand,

gulp and asked for biscuits. The man's recuperative powers were wonderful. Already the deathly white-ness was passing from his cheeks. "Where is Da Souza?" he asked.

"Gone back to England," Cathcart" answered, looking out of the open casement shaded from the sun by the sloping roof. "His steamer started yesterday."

Trent was puzzled. He scarcely understood this move. "Did he give any reason?"

Cathcart smoked for a moment in silence. After all though a would be unpleasant, it was inevitable and as well now as any time. "I think," Cathcart said, "that he has gone to try and sell his shares in the Bekwando concessions."

"Gone-to-sell - his - shares!" Trent repeated slowly. "You mean to say that he has gone straight from here to put a hundred thousand Bekwando shares upon the market?"

Cathcart nodded. "He said so!"

"And why? Did he tell you that?" "He has come to the conclusion." athcart said, "that the scheme is impracticable altogether and the concessions worthless. He is going to get what he can for his shares while he has the chance."

Trent drained his tumbler and lit when you are the servants of the and sugar in a preserving kettle, add the heat of battle there had been no to be done of the utmost importance? ounce of mace and half a dozen pieces time for thought or calculation. Trent The whole place seems to be asleep. of ginger root. Boil and skim well.

village of Bekwando. As though it were yesterday, he remembered that leave-taking and Francis's threaten-leave-taking and Francis's threat

savage and ferocious. The white men need skill and tact; interference from Trent answered. "They were in parsley just before serving. range this without catastrophe would need skill and tact; interference from Trent answered "They are the head in parsley just before required to the count narray need skill and tact; interference from the count narray need skill and tact; interference from the count narray need that spirit ne count narray need that spirit need that narray need that spirit need that narray n

battle. Then, with an awful suddenness, their cry became the cry of allowed to recover a liar!" Trent answered, spoonful of salt, a desserts poonful of salt, a dessert spoonful of salt spoonful of you've no connection at all with the lemon juice and the yolks of four used to flavor soup. Even the root fresh eggs of high quality. company! you're dismissed, sir, for eggs. A minute or two before the itself is good if the outside is pared The first thing then in considering the various bombs that are being incompetence and cowardice, and if omelet is fried fold in the whites of off. welcome. A dozen at least of the men A fortnight afterwards Trent rode you're not off the p. cmises in three the eggs, beaten to a froth. Fry in

Trent laughed.

point to the very centre of Bekwan- fore sending to the table.

Trent's face relaxed. He held out per to the beans. Stir the sauce in

After a rest Trent climbed the hill ery salt. For biscuit dough: Two to the Basle Mission House. There cups flour, two tablespoons baking was no sign of Monty on the potato powder, one-half teaspoon salt, onepatch, and the woman who opened fourth cup lard, butter or drippings foundation waist with kimono sleeves the door started when she saw him. and three-fourths cup milk. Divide and a removable chemisette. Here

the Jewish gentleman who said that with dots of butter between and bake. handkerchief effect and a bib-girdle, "Where to?" Trent asked quickly.

(To be continued.) SOME ARMY TERMS.

An Army Corps, Division, Brigade

and Squadron. An Army Corps is, on a small, Fowls should never be turned out scale, a complete army in itself. The in snow and wet.

A division is a body of horse, foot, Vinegar, hot, will remove paint and artillery of from 15,000 to 20,000 marks from glass.

A brigade is a force of infantry or delicate china cups. cavalry. An infantry brigade is Good pumpkin pie depends on the his own expense almost an army alry brigade from 1,000 to 2,000 When making a brown betty, add

An infantry regiment is from 2,000 very good.

Squadrons of cavalry consist of 150 plenty of fresh air.

In the British and French Armies a feed it corn; if you want it to lay, Singh has distinguished himself with battery of artillery has six guns and feed it wheat.

You may be deceived some day by an imitation of

and possibly you will not detect this imitation until the tea-pot reveals it. Demand always the genuine "Salada" in the scaled aluminum packet, and see that you get it, if you want that unique flavour of fresh, clean leaves properly prepared and packed.

About the Household

Dainty Dishes.

For Spiced Pears .- Cut in half and liant polish. "So much for Da Souza," he said. pears—those commencing to soften mix some skimmed milk and water "And now I should like to know, Mr. are the best. Pour a pint and a half with a small piece of glue. Make attention. Stanley Cathcart, what the deuce of a good cider vinegar over 3 pounds this very hot and it is ready for you and your assistant are doing of granulated sugar. Put the vinegar use. had simply obeyed the generou. in- Where's your labor? There's not a When clear, put in the fruit and cook soul at work. We planned exactly slowly for two hours; when cold put when to start the road. What the in jars and seal air-tight. Vegetable Soup is very good when

Cathcart coughed and was obvious- properly made. Vile when slammed been born between them from the first Trent, that the making of the road pieces, and two onions thinly sliced in is considerable.

Date Bread may be something new.

over the fire in boiling water, slighttogether a tablespoonful each of but-The boy looked up. He had a fair, ter and flour until they bubble and smooth face, but lips like Trent's then pouring upon them a cupful of strained tomato liquor. Season to taste and rather highly, unless you have previously added salt and pepwith these and bake, closely covered,

"We'll make that road, anyway," butter, two tablespoons flour, one * scant cup milk, salt, pepper and cel-"Why, to England in the Ophir!" and bake. Make sauce with butter, skirt is a five-gore gathered model, and when cakes are baked, put portion

Household Hints.

Salt and hot water will thaw frozen drainpipe.

between layers and same over top.

strength varies from 35,000 to 45,000 The warmest clothing is that which, is both light and loose.

Salt will remove tea stains from

a few raisins to the mixture; it is King George. The moral effect of

ture before polishing, ensures a bril-

of to the paper.

that the man was his enemy—certainthe constant fear of an attack from until vegetables are seft. Add one state bread crumbs and oven gives them a rich flavor. Use ing so many would not be housed glected. The swampy country, and further, I don't think any one would work with one quart boiling water, and cook about a tablespoonful to two quarts where, inside, abundant fresh air nethe constant fear of an attack from until vegetables are seft. Add one below about a tablespoonful to two quarts where, inside, abundant fresh air nethe constant fear of an attack from until vegetables are seft.

benzine or turpentine, then rubbing clean bright, sunny quarters be pro- time. Real Irish Stew. — Four pounds them with emery paper or a little vided, having the same particular at-A teaspoonful of camphor added liness that the good housewife does in

neat pieces, put into a large casse- plants should be quite ready for very successful small breeder, and ready formulated plans for quietly Catheart looked at him in blank asputting Monty in his rightful position tonishment.

To clarify dripping that comes because in the least dirty. With with those to be found month by season with salt and pepper. Add from the meat, put it into a pan and houses were in the least dirty. With with those to be found month by potatoes sliced thinly. Cover closely pour on sufficient boiling water to that spirit he could hardly help but month in Blackwood's Magazine.

out the inside. Beat this until smooth and mix with it half a college of the scribe have occurred they contain the considered would give the scribe have occurred they contain the considered would give the scribe have occurred they contain the considered would give the scribe have occurred they contain the considered would give the scribe have occurred they contain the considered would give the scribe have occurred they contain the considered would give the scribe have occurred they contain the considered would give the scribe have occurred they contain the considered would give the scribe have occurred they contain the considered would give the scribe have occurred they contain the considered would give the scribe have occurred they contain the contain morning air hideous with the cry of battle. Then, with an awful sudden- would certainly interfere if he were battle. Then, with an awful sudden- can be eaten raw, the outer stalks singing condition which means the not to be found elsewhere. and mix with it half a saltspoonful of of the celery root. The inner stalks most comfort and give them that valuable and interesting information

IMMENSELY POPULAR.



"How is he?" Trent asked quickly. dough into two portions, roll out also is shown the natty effect obtain-"Why, he's gone, sir—gone with thin, lay one part over the other, ed by the sleeveless overblouse in Or cut into individual biscuit rounds forming postillions at the back. The flour and milk, add oysters cooked in and may be made with or without the Then Trent began to feel that, after enough of their liquid to make sauce cascade overskirt. Cuts in sizes 14, all, the struggle of his life was only or consistency of thin cream. Season, 16, 18 and 20 years. Size 18 requires 6% yards of 36-inch material with 2% yards 30-inch contrasting material, and % yards 27-inch silk.

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Indian Prince in France. Early in the war when the expeditionary forces were being mobilized and equipped, sir Pertrabl Singh, a seventy - year - old veteran Indian Prince, who had seen active service in corps of his subjects and offered both himself and his men to his Majesty to 4,000 strong. A cavalry regiment Be sure that all the plants you volunteers by the King of England take indoors for the winter will get has tended to cement the feeling of loyalty existing between the Indian If you want to fatten a chicken, colonies and England. Sir Pertrabl Vinegar, diluted, applied to furni- his command with the British forces in France.



AND STOCK.

By A. P. Marshall.

In almost everything that people do there usually is some standard to follow in a large measure that will mean the most profitable return, and while this is not always such that the same rules will prove best in every case, everything being equal, the same results can practically be expected when they are followed in a similar manner. So often we find when chickens are kept that the person who

those who take up any work with can be remedied most easily. Wax candles which have become poultry to secure a big return for the Without going minutely into the Bekwando Company and there's work 1 ounce of whole cloves, one-half dusty can be made perfectly white trouble they go to. The difficulty with matter of feeding, it may not be out to be done of the utmost in the servants of the difficulty with matter of feeding, it may not be out to be done of the utmost in the servants of the difficulty with matter of feeding, it may not be out by rubbing them with a clean piece a great many seems to be that they of place to point out that it is better of flannel dipped in spirits of wine. expect the birds to do most of the to find out or determine what is the When doing a little home paper- work from their side of the game, best balance to have for the conditions hanging, the amateur will find the But it soon proves that this will be and the time of year, and having obpaper much easier to hang if the the case only in so far as the owner tained that, to select the foods that paste is applied to the wall instead gives the proper attention to the will give it, buying them in spite of needs of the birds, and supplies what some slight inconvenience it may right with spears poised in their hands—an ugly sight in the dim within his power and so near to death. Some show of dignity.

Cathcart coughed and was obvious- properly made. Vile when slammed ly ill-at-ease, but he answered with together: Cook one-half cup of cel- half flour when making the starch levy, one-half cup cabbage and oneeach week. It answers the purpose shell out some of the product for what the breeder should get and use,

ver penetrates, but instead all ar- help, and we feel certain the results Kru boy who called out with fright was felled to the ground by Trent was his now. And he would not hesiwas felled to the ground by Trent said grimly.

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the amount of space available, is used in the trenches. He says: "You—vou—haven't the power to a well-greased, very hot pan and serve DRAPED ONE-PIECE DRESSES not go regarding the matter of num- ordinary hair brush except that the "We'll see about that," he said. "I A cup of chopped dates, two cups of From the large number of one-piece space in a house, and this, therefore, truncheon has gay streamers of tape "There are all my clothes ... " half teaspoons of salt, five cups of plete this winter without one or more good results cannot be expected, against anything, say the back of the sifted entire wheat; mix milk and su- of these garments. The winning fea- while frequently a few less will be trench, when throwing them.

of herculean strength, recognized surely never a man before had walk-

front house, that one without experi- timed to explode about ten seconds ence might be inclined to think that after the lighting of the fuse." any sort of a covered building would answer for a poultry house, so long as there was plenty of fresh air. This is not the case, and unless the building is well put up it will be a losing Appeal of "Lonely Soldier" Brings a proposition. The walls must be tight and capable of keeping out the worst! The story of the "lonely soldier" at

of its furnishings and thoroughly working through the replies."



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We have heard so much of the open- largely into its successful use. It is

WANTED LETTER; GOT 3,000.

winds and cold. Such a house with the front, published in a London open front will be much warmer to newspaper, describing how he shrank the feelings than a draughty house away "shamefaced and crapty handed that is built up on all sides, but there when the postal lorries rumbled in are times when we like to be able to and eager hands shot up for letters close up completely and let the birds and parcels from dear ones at home," retain all the heat they have in their has had an amusing sequel. Within bodies and they can expel within the three days there arrived nincty huge coop, especially at night in extremely parcels for the lonely one, six bars of

smaller parcels, and 3,000 letters! Warmth and comfort favor the Again, a Manchester paper printed tendency to breeding, which among a letter from a corporal in the Second fowls, signifies increased egg produc- South Lancashires, saying he was tion. By hygienic housing we aim to probably unique as a man who had not get warmth and comfort while re- received a single communication from taining the pure air and the cleanli- the home land since the war began. ness of roosting in trees, Each and That corporal's next letter to the paevery building should be so construct- per was very brief: "I've received 320 ed that it will be easy to remove all letters and papers, and I'm steadily



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