

havn't brought both their big rivers to *Rhyme*—for if they've their river *Tagus*, they've now their river *Nagus*!"

*Sergeant.*—Then you saved *all* Mr. *Ramrod's* wine?

*Sam.*—We saved for Mr. *Ramrod*, as you call him, the *small* trifle of a *hundred thousand pounds*!!!—But—

*Sergeant.*—‘But,’—but what?

*Sam.*—Return Ramrods, and say no more.

*Sergeant.*—Then you did not attempt to save Portuguese property?

*Sam.*—Certainly not.—As it was, we had a little work with the French general.—The fun began as the *business* was ending.

*Sergeant.*—How so?

*Sam.*—Just as we had nearly got under the fire, the French general despatched an *aid-de-camp* to say he wished to speak to the captain.—The captain returned for answer, that he could not leave his post;—the general knew where to find *him*.—At length Lord George