

Not to be Killed. "If there were a prize for suicide, it ought to go to the Irishman who vowed to hang himself or perish in the attempt."

Our talk was being carried on upon the hurricane-deck of a homeward-bound steamer from the Cape, in the full enjoyment of doing nothing, after all the excitement of Zululand and the Tzwarul border.

"Well, I should give it to the hero of Dunan's 'Companions of John.' "Why, what did he do?"

"I cannot say beyond my fixed time," answered the moon, "but when I go I will send the stars to keep you company."

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