

A CRUCIFIX AFTER BATTLE.

On the highroad to Bühl, near Saarburg in Lorraine, there stands a crucifix which presents a singularly ghastly and impressive appearance. It was within the range of the cannonading, and a shell took off the cross to which the figure of the Christ had been attached. The body was not injured, and the extended arms now convey a totally different impression. The crucified and dying Christ has been transformed into a compassionate pleading Christ



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who is moved by the horrors of war and raises his hands as if invoking divine aid to heal the wounds of war.

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