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LIFE SAVING DEMONSTRATION.

RESCUE BEHEARSAL IN GERMANY.

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Picture.:- A glimpse at the work of the men of Germany's life--  
--saving brigade. The equivalent --  
--of our lifeboat institution. Many of the boats have to be--  
--horse-drawn across wastes of sand dunes before suitable shore  
places for launching are reached. In this case, a wreck--  
--has been observed by an outlying station. There are 110--  
--stations in all.

Free seamen are brothers the world over, and the lifeboat--  
--crew strain every muscle to beat the heavy seas--  
--and rescue the survivors--  
--of the sunken ship. They fail, and fire a--  
--distress rocket to call help from another--  
--station. The motor-lifeboat 'EMDEN' at once puts to--  
--sea, and makes for the wreck. She is--  
--one of the--  
--most modern of the--  
--rescue fleet. A life--  
--line is shot across the--  
--intervening seas, and the--  
--rescue is effected and the exhausted men are brought on board.  
Last year the--  
--'EMDEN' went to the assistance of 89 distressed ships.