

Current Literature.

AT FREIBURG GATES.

Softly the warm rain pattered down,
As we crossed the bridge and the hillside steep,
And came to the gates of the quaint old town,

The Story of Catherine.

Peter the great, who was born in Moscow, on June 10, 1672, and died in St. Petersburg, on Feb. 8, 1725, was the Emperor who in a few years changed Russia from a country of half-savage tribes into a great European nation.

face the dangers, they thought rough soldiers ought not to complain. Catherine was a wise woman, as well as a brave one. She soon learned as much of the art of war as Peter knew, and in every time of doubt or difficulty her advice was asked, and her opinion counted for as much as if she had been one of the generals.

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