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quite as carefully, as the florist
grows his flowers. Care mmost be
token that they do not become mixed with other varieties, therefore
destroning the cutture, where yeat
In some laboratores.
is grown two separate buildings are ketp for this purpose. These are
both carefully dieinfected, and if it
is found that the yeast becomes contaminated in one building the
culture is started anew, and the
other buildiuk previously disinfectother building previousiy disinfect-
ed before moving itto it.
The purest cuture of yeast is probaty obtained in the compress.
ed yeast cokes. These can be kept
only for a very yhort time, and then
in a cool place, which renders it inconvenient for the warmer parts
of the country
In this case, of
course, the dry yeast cakes mut te used, which, when fresh, are, per-
haps, पuite as good as the com-
persed, exept that they require a
longer twe, aud should be tarted
lon dough.
This
warmin
 the body, a little less than too de-
grees.
There is alwass considerable
moisture in bread and pilenty of
food for the plant. The food which it requires is sugar. This it obtais
from the wheat, there being some sugar
is also sugar they beast plaants feell upon bonin acid gasb, As the gas, is orm-
ed it is held by the gluten, which is a very
bread is
expand

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 formed, being a volatile product.
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big 12 -inch rifles of a battleship and the experiment will take place in the waters of Chesapeake Bay or purpose to destroy the mot the shich was built only about ten years ago, but the gun fire will be
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