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for some reason or other, haunted me Towards sundown that afternoon I was standing in the verandah of my house, watching a fatigue party digging a grave under a tree in the paddock beyond the mine buildings, when a shout from Mr. Maybourne, who

my attention. When I reached his side, he pointed to a small speck of dust about a mile to the northward. "It's a horseman," he cried; "but who can it be?"

"I have no possible notion," I answered; "but we shall very soon see." The rider, whoever he was, was in no hurry. When he came nearer, we could see that he was cantering along as coolly as if he were riding in Rotten Row. By the time he was only a hundred yards or so distant, I was trembling with excitement. Though I had never seen the man on horseback before, I should have known his figure anywhere. It was Dr. Nikola. There could be no possible doubt about that. Bartrand was quite right when he told me that he was in the neighborhood.

I heard Mr. Maybourne say something about news from the township, the advancing figure with my whole being. When he reached the laager he sprang from his horse, and then it was that I noticed Mr. Maybourne had left my side and was giving instructions to let him in. I followed to re-

On reaching the inside of our defences, Nikola raised his hat politely to Mr. Maybourne, while he handed his reins to a trooper standing by. "Mr. Maybourne, I believe, he said. "My name is Nikola. I am afraid I am thrusting myself upon you in a very unseemly fashion, and at a time when you have no desire to be burdened with outsiders. My friendship for our friend Wrexford here must be my ex-

cuse. I left Buluwayo at daylight this morning in order to see him." He held out his hand to me and I found myself unable to do anything but take it. As usual it was as cold as ice. For the moment I was so fascinated by the evil glitter in his eyes that I forgot to wonder how he knew my assumed name. However, I managed to stammer out something by way of a welcome, and then asked how long he had been in South Afri-

"I arrived two months ago," he answered, " and after a week in Cape Town, where I had some business to transact, made my way up here to see you. It appears I have arrived at an awkward moment, but if I can help you in any way I hope you will command my services. I am a tolerable surgeon, and I have the advantage of considerable experience of assegai

While he was speaking the bell rang for tea, and at Mr. Maybourne's invitation Dr. Nikola accompanied us to where the meal was spread-picnic fashion-on the ground by the kitchen door. Agnes was waiting for us, and I saw her start with surprise when her father introduced the newcomer as Dr. Nikola, a friend of Mr. Wrexford's. She bowed gravely to him, but said nothing. I could see that she knew him for the man Bartrand had warned me against, and for this reason she was by no means prepossessed in his

During the meal Nikola exerted all his talents to please. And such was his devilish—I can only call it by that name-cleverness, that by the time we rose from the meal he had put himself on the best of terms with everyone. Even Agnes seemed to have, for the moment, lost much of her distrust of him. Once out in the open again I drew Nikola away from the others, and having walked him out of earshot of the house, asked the meaning of

his visit. "Is it so hard to guess?" he said, as WOODVILLE. he seated himself on the pole of wagon, and favored the with o



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his peculiar smiles. "I should THE LUST OF HATE "I have not tried to guess," I an-Continued from page two) swered, having by this time resolved upon my line of action; "and I do

not intend to do so. I wish you to tell "My dear Pennethorne-Wrexford, or Wrexford-Pennethorne," he said quiet-J. "I should advise you not to adopt that tone with me. You know very well why I have put myself to the trouble of running you to earth." was on his way to the office, attracted

"I have not the least notion," I replied, "and that is the truth. I thought I had done with you when I said goodbye to you in Golden Square that aw-"Nobody can hope to have done with me," he answered, "when they

do not act fairly by me.' "Act fairly by you? What do you mean? How have I not acted fairly by "By running away in that mysterious fashion, when it was agreed between us that I should arrange every-

thing. You might have ruined me." "Still I do not understand you! How might I have ruined you?" This time I took him unawares. He looked at me for a moment in sheer

"I should advise you to give up this sort of thing," he said, licking his lips in that peculiar cat-like fashion I had noticed in London. "Remember I know everything, and one word in our friend Maybourne's ear, and-wellyou know what the result will be. Perhaps he does not know what an illustrious criminal he is purposing to

take for a son-in-law." "One insinuation like that again, Nikola," I cried, "and I'll have put off this place before you know where you are. You dare to call me a criminal-you, who plotted and planned the murders that shocked and terrified all England!"

"That I do not admit. I only remember that I assisted you to obtain your revenge on a man who had wronged you. On summing up so judiciously, pray do not forget that Nikola evidently thought he had

obtained an advantage, and was quick to improve on it. "Come, come," he said, "what is the use of our quarrelling like a pair of children? All I want of you is an answer to two simple questions." "What are your questions?"

"I want to know, first, what you did with Bartrand's body when you got rid of it out of the cab." "You really wish to know that?"

He nodded. "Then come with me," I said, "and I'll tell you.' I led him into the house, and, having reached the bed in the corner, pulled

He bent over the figure lying there so still, and then started back with a cry of surprise. For a moment I could see that he was non-plussed as he had probably not been in his life before, but by the time one could have counted twenty, this singular being was himself again.

"I congratulate you," he said, turning to me and holding out his hand. "The king has come into his own again. You are now one of the richest men in the world, and I can ask my second question." "Be certain first," I said. "I inherit

nothing from Mr. Bartrand." "What do you mean by that? I happen to know that his will was made in your favor." "You are quite mistaken. He made a later will this afternoon, leaving all his money and estates to four London

Nikola's face went paler than I had bled perceptibly. The man was visibly latter to England, "I think we can

from beginning to end, examined the signature, noted the names of the executors, and also of the witnesses, and when he had done so, returned

it to Mr. Maybourne with a bow. "Thank you," he said, politely. "It is excellently drawn up, and, with your evidence against me, I fear it would be foolish for me to dispute it In that case, I don't think I need trouble your hospitality any further." Then, turning to me, he led me from the house across to where his horse

"Good-bye, Pennethorne," he said.

was standing.

"All I can say of you is that your luck is greater than your cleverness. I am not so blase but I can admire a man who can surrender three millions without a sigh. I must confess I am vulgar enough to find that it costs me a pang to lose even my sixty thousand. I wanted it badly. Had my coup only come off, and the dead man in there not been such an inveterate ass. I should have had the whole amount of his fortune in my hands by this time, and in six months I would have worked out a scheme that would have paralyzed Europe, As it is, I must look elsewhere for the amount. When you wish to be proud of yourself, try to remember that you have baulked Dr. Nikola in one of his best-planned

schemes, and saved probably half-a million lives by doing so. Believe me, there are far cleverer men than you who have tried to outwit me and failed. I suppose you will marry Miss Maybourne now. Well, I wish you luck with her. If I am a judge of character, she will make you an able wife. In ten years time you will be a commonplace rich man, with scarcely any idea outside your own domestic circle while I-well the devil himself knows where or what I shall be then. I wonder which will be the happier? Now I must be off. Though you may not think it, I always liked you, and if you had thrown in your lot with me, I might have made something of you. He held out his hand, and as he did

Good-bye." he looked me full in the face. For the last time I felt the influence of those extraordinary eyes. I took the hand he offered and bade him goodbye with almost a feeling of regret, mad as it may seem to say so, at the thought that in all probability I should never see him again. Next moment he was on his horse's back and out on the veldt making for the westward. stood and watched him till he was lost in the gathering gloom, and then went slowly back to the house thinking of the change that had come into my life, thanking God for my free-

Three months have passed since the events just narrated took place, and I am back in Cape Town again, finishing the writing of this story of the most adventurous period of my life, in Mr. Maybourne's study. To-morrow my wife (for I have been married a week to-day) and I leave South Africa on a trip round the world. What a honeymoon it will be "The Pride of the South," you will

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Mr. Matheson, after an assay had it yet. His thin lips trem- been made of samples taken by the refine this." If the experiments doubt you, I hope," he said, "but may Bason's view, the competition thus tablishments in Europe which they at least for a sampling plant in the ing close to his elbow while he per- to have the work carried out at es- of Government aid for smelters, or upon the enterprise,



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