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OF TARZAN

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CHAPTER IV.

The Countess Explains.

T70UR Paris is more dangerou

tures to his friend the morning fol-

lowing his encounter with the apaches

and police in the Rue Maule. "Why

did they lure me there? Were they

D'Arnot feigned a horrified shudder.

but he laughed at the quaint sugges-

"Well," said he, "among other things

it has taught you what I have been unable to impress upon you, that the

Rue Maule is a good place to avoid

"On the contrary," replied Tarzan,

with a smile, "it has convinced me that it is the one worth while street in

all Paris. Never again shall I miss

an opportunity to traverse it, for it has

given me the first real entertainment

"It may give you more than you will

relish even without another visit," said

D'Arnot, "You are not through with

the police yet, remember. I know the

Paris police well enough to assure you

that they will not soon forget what you did to them. Sooner or later they

will get you, my dear Tarzan, and

then they will lock the wild man of

the woods up behind iron bars. How

will you like that?"

I have had since I left Africa."

hungry?"

after dark."

tion.

than my savage jungles, Paul," concluded Tarzan,

after narrating his adven-

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and the Russian police, who are al-ways only too ready to fasten guilt of they did not detain me, other than to this nature upon any and all, have send me back to the convent under the care of a matron. It seemed that the accepted his version and exonerated. man who had wooed me was no gen-

him no loyalty, madarne."

is cognizant.

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tleman at all, but a deserter from the "Have not his, attempted criraes army as well as a fugitive from civil. against you and your husband forfleitjustice. He had a police record in ed whatever rights the bonds of kin-ship might have accorded him?" esked Tarzan. "The fact that you are his nearly every country in Europe. "The matter was hushed up by the

authorities of the convent. Not even sister has not deterred. him from seekmy parents knew of it. But Nikolas ing to besmirch your honor. You owe met the man afterward and learned the whole story. Now he threatens to "Ah, but there is that other reason.

tell the count if I do not do just as he If I owe him no loyality, though he be wishes me to." my brother, I cannot so easily/disavow the fear I hold him in because of a

(To be continued).

certain episode in my life of which he "I might as well tell you all." she resumed after a pause, "for I see that at his home of pneumonia. it is in my heart to tell you seoner or

later. I was reducated in a convent While there I*met a man whom I supposed to be a gentleman. Liknew little or nothing about men, and less about love. I got it into my foolish head that I loved this man, and at his

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From a corner of the theater Rokoff and Paulvitch saw M. Tarzan in the box of the Countess de Coude, and both man emiled both men smiled. poor judge, madame," Tarzan replied, At 4:30 the following afternoon a swarthy, bearded man rang the bell at the servants' entrance of the palace of the Count de Coude. The footman who opened the door raised his eyebrows in recognition as he saw who stood without. A low conversation passed between the two. At first the footman demurred from some proposition that the bearded one made, but an instant later something er. We are Russians. Nikolas has passed from the hand of the caller to the hand of the servant. Then the latter turned and led the visitor by a roundabout way to a little curtained alcove off the apartment in which the countess was wont to serve tea of an forgotten and my father obtained a po-A half hour later Tarzan was ushered into the room, and presently his hostess entered, smiling, and with out-For a few moments they spoke of the opera, of the topics that were then occupying the attention of Paris, of the pleasure of renewing their brief ac-quaintance which had had its inception under such odd circumstances, and this brought them to the subject that was

very simple. The count is intrusted with many of the vital secrets of the ministry of war. He often has in his possession papers that foreign powers would give a fortune to possess-se-crets of state that their agents would commit murder and worse than murder to learn.

possession that would make the fame and fortune of any Russian who could divulge it to his government. Rokoff and Paulvitch are Russian spies. They will stop at nothing to procure this information. The affair on the liner-I mean the matter of the card gamewas for the purpose of blackmailing the knowledge they seek from my hus-

positive that there was an invitation in her look, almost a plea. The next intermission found him bename was to have been the papers "You thwarted them in this. Then they concocted the scheme whereby my reputation was to be the price in-"I have so much wished to see you,"

she was saying. "It has troubled me stead of the count's. Was it not too not a little to think that after the servhorrible? But I happened to know ices you rendered to both my husband something of M. Paulvitch that would and myself no adequate explanation send him to the gallows in Russia if was ever made you of what must have it were known by the police of St. Peseemed ingratitude on our part in not taking the necessary steps to prevent a tersburg. I dared him to carry out his plan and then I leaned toward him repetition of the attacks upon us by and whispered a name in his ear. Like that"-and she snapped her fingers-"You wrong me," replied Tarzan. "My thoughts of you have been only he flew at my throat as a madman. He would have killed me had you not the most pleasant. You must not feel that any explanation is due me. Have interfered."

"The brutes!" muttered Tarzan "Why do you not turn the scoundrels "They never cease," she replied sad-ly. "I feel that I must tell some one, over to the authorities? They should make quick work of them." and I do not know another who so de-She hesitated for a moment before

serves an explanation as you. You replying. must permit me to do so. It may be "There are two reasons," she said of service to you, for I know Nikolas finally. "One of them it is that keeps Rokoff quite well enough to be posithe count from doing that very thing. tive that you have not seen the last of The other, my real reason for fearing him. He will find some means to be to expose them. I have never toldrevenged upon you. I cannot tell you only Rokoff and I know it. I wonder here, but tomorrow I shall be at home why it is that I want to tell you the thing that I have not dared tell even "It will be an eternity until tomorto my husband. I believe that you row at 5." he said as he bade her good would understand and that you could

tell me the right course to follow. 1 believe that you would not judge me too harshly." "I fear that I should prove a very

"for if you had been guilty of murder I should say that the victim should be grateful to have met so sweet a fate." "Oh, dear, no," she expostulated. "It is not so terrible as that. But first let me tell you the reason the count has for not prosecuting these men; then, if I can hold my courage, I shall tell you the real reason that I dare not. The first is that Nikolas Rokoff is my broth-

been a bad man since I can remember. He was cashiered from the Russian army, in which he held a captaincy. There was a terrible scandal for a time, but after awhile it was partially

sition for him in the secret service. "There have been many terrible crimes laid at Nikolas' door, but he

uppermost in the minds of both. "You must have wondered," said the countess finally, "what the object of Rokoff's persecution could be. It is

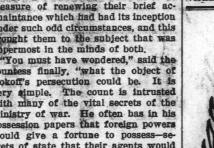
On their return to D'Arnot's apartments the lieutenant found a letter stoke. The two had maintained a correspondence since the birth of their of an avowal on their part that the count was but the victim of the plot

"They will never lock Tarzan of the Apes behind iron bars," replied he grimly. There was something in the man's voice as he said it that caused afternoon. D'Arnot to look up sharply at his friend. What he saw in the set jaw and the cold, gray eyes made the young stretched hands. Frenchman very apprehensive for this great child, who could recognize no law mightier than his own mighty physical prowess. He saw that some-thing must be done to set Tarzan right with the police before another encounter was possible. "You have much to learn, Tarzan," he said gravely. "The law of man must be respected whether you relish it or no. Nothing but trouble can come to you and your friends should

you persist in defying the police. I can explain it to them once for you, and that I shall do this very day, but hereafter you must obey the law. If its representatives say, 'Come!' you must come; if they say, 'Go!' you must go. Now we shall go to my great friend in the department and fix up

this matter of the Rue Maule. Come!" Together they entered the office of the police official a half hour later. He was very cordial. He rememb Tarzan from the visit the two had made him several months prior in the matter of the finger prints. Having heard Tarzan's story, he assured him that no harm would come to him from the police as a result of his night's ad-

at cards his career would have been blighted. He would have had to leave awaiting him from an English friend, William Cecil Clayton, Lord Grey-been socially ostracized. They intended to hold this club over him-the price



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stomach . . . READER-What will remove moles

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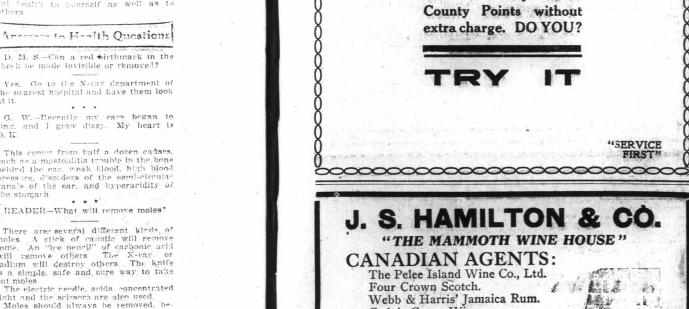
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4.14 F. L. G.-What a lot of good you for the people Thank moddan one takes the public into his me onfidence and sets us free from

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