

A TALK OF THREE LIONS.

[BY R. HIDER HARRARD.]

CHAPTER I.

Most of you will have heard of Allan Quatermain, who was one of the party who discovered King Solomon's mines some little time ago, and afterwards came to live in England near his friend Sir Henry Curtis. He has gone back to the wilderness now, as these old hunters most invariably do, on one pretext or another. They cannot endure civilization for very long, his noise and racket and the omnipresence of broadcloth...

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Well at any rate he went back again, and now for many months he has heard nothing at all of him, and to be frank, I greatly doubt if anybody will ever hear of him again. I fear that the wilderness, that has for so many years been a mother to him, will now also prove his monument and the monument of those who accompanied him, for the quest upon which he and they have started is a wild one indeed. But while he was in England for those three years or so between his return from the successful discovery of the wine king's buried treasures, and the death of his only son, I saw a great deal of old Allan Quatermain. I had known him years before in Africa, and after he came home, whenever I had nothing better to do, I used to run up to York-lane and stay with him, and in this way I at one time and another heard many of the incidents of his past life, and most curious some of them were. No man can pass all those years following the quest existence of an elephant hunter without meeting with many strange adventures, and one way and another old Quatermain has certainly seen his share. Well, the story that I am going to tell you in the following pages is one of the later of these adventures; indeed, if I remember right, it happened in the year 1875. At any rate I know that it was the only one of his trips upon which he took his son Harry (who is since dead) with him, and that Harry was then about fourteen. And now for the story, which I will repeat, as nearly as I can in the words in which hunter Quatermain told it to me one night in the old oak-panelled vestibule of his house in York-lane. We were talking about gold-mining—"Gold-mining!" he broke in; ah, yes, I once went gold-mining at Pilgrims Rest in the Transvaal, and it was after that that he had the turn up about Jim-Jin and the lions. Do you know it? Well, it is, or was, one of the queerest little places you ever saw. The town itself was pitched in a sort of stony valley, with mountains all about it, and in the middle of such scenery, as one does not often get the chance of seeing, I only hope that my luck will be as good as yours has been." He smiled; to my excited nerves it seemed that he smiled ominously, as he answered me in a peculiar Yankee drawl—"I guess, stranger, as I ain't the man to want to turn a dog's stomach against his dinner, more especial when there ain't no more going of the rounds; as for that there claim, well, she's been a good nigger to me; but between you and me, stranger,

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