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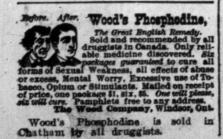
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"Why, Wood, hang it all, you don't mean this surely?" cried Sir Charles, aghast. "You can't have taken offense at what I said this morning? I was a trifle put out, perhaps, but I never meant it seriously. No, no; take this beastly thing back or let me tear it up. This will never do. Forgive and forget, my boy. There's my hand on it. I beg your pardon and- I know you

I hastened to explain that my resignation was in no way the result of pique, and that I was on the point of sending in my papers to retire from the service altogether.

"The simple fact is that I have come into money, sir-a good bit of money,' I explained.

"How much, if it is a fair question? I ask because you may have a good enough income, a devilish fine income, and yet it would be wiser for you to stay here. The discipline of any regular routine work is good for independent men. Believe me, you'd soon sicken of being entirely your own master; take to drink or cards or petticoats and go to the devil hands down. What s it-two, three, four thousand a vear?"

"It is far more than that, Sit harles," I went on. "I believe I am a aillionaire two or three times over. Will you please read that?" and I handed him my lawyers' letter.

"Whew!" He whistled several bars of a popular street melody (very much out of tune), folded up the letter, handed it back, and then, looking me straight in the face, said, with slow, kindly emphasis: "By George, Wood, I pity you."

It was not quite what I expected from this experienced, long headed man of the world, and he read my disappointment in my face.

"Doesn't please you, eh? You think yourself the most fortunate chap alive! But you're all wrong. Vast riches are

He threw up both his hands and began to slowly pace up and down the room.

They will weigh you down and worry you perpetually. Lord, Lord, the care of all this money, the use of it, the defense of it! ,The whole world, Wood, is made up of two classes-those who have money, and those who want to take it from them. You will soon have a much poorer opinion of human nature, with their continual cry of 'Give, give.' But let's talk about yourself. What do you mean to do?"

"Honestly, Sir Charles, I hardly know. I am still too much bewildered and taken aback by what happened. Will you advise me, sir?"

"It's not so easy, my lad. It depends so much upon yourself-upon your and skin diseases, painful swellings, principles, your tastes and predilec tions. Of course you will marry, and I've a shrewd notion which way your fancy lies. I know her well-Frida Fairholme, that little minx. Miss Frida will lead you a fine dance."

"But, Sir Charles, I have never spoken to her. I have no reason to suppose that, if I did, she would ac-

"Try her," said the general dryly. "You have three millions and odd-new and strangely eloquent reasons for convincing her of your worth."

"She is not that sort at all, Sir Charles." "Then Eve wasn't her ancestor. I've known her from a child. She's pretty enough, I'll admit, but, by the living jingo, I'd rather you married her than I. By George, she'll be a handful! At any rate, she will give you plenty to

do Miss Frida will set the money moving, and you too. So much the better, perhaps." "Then you advise me to leave the service, sir?" "Of course you must leave," he roared with sudden fury. "What, a captain in the army with a hundred and fifty thousand a year! It's out of the question. But don't be in too great a

hurry, Wood. Suppose this windfall proves a fraud, where are you? You can have leave-although I don't know how I can spare you with all this go-Leave was a weak point with Sir

Charles. nust, but not for a day or two, please. And, Wood, my dear chap, don't neglect this New York business. I am relying so much on you for it. You've en out there and know all the ropes.

So I stuck to the papers for the rest of the afternoon, and when I left desired the messenger to send them on in a dispatch box to Clarges street.

CHAPTER III.



BY MAJOR ARTHUR GRIFFITHS.

here several times," Savory said when I reached my rooms. "Would have it he'd got an appointment with you. Told him I didn't know when you'd be

"Well, show him up when he calls. I'll see him."

Presently he brought up a card with the name "Erastus K. Snuyzer" on it in gold letters, and the man himself quickly followed. He was dressed in the same irrepreachable fashion as when I had seen him in the morninggood new clothes, well cut, a glossy hat, a gardenia and the shiniest of shoes with big bows. "Well, now?" I asked as I offered

him a chair. "It's this way," he replied. "My people have calculated that you might like to secure their services." "One moment, pray. Who and what

are your people?" "Saraband & Sons. You have surely heard of them-the great firm of private detectives. I was with Allan Pinkerton myself for years, and he reckoned I was one of his smartest pupils." "What on earth should I do with private detective?" I cried, with a great laugh.

"I may venture to remind you that you have just succeeded to a vast for-tune. The heirship of the McFaught property must be worth several millions to you, and-and-so Sarabands desired me to call." "Is it part of a rich man's duty or

business to keep a private detective?" I was still laughing, but I found no response on the portentously solemn face of my visitor. "That's as may be, Captain Wood.

Some do and some don't. Those who didn't have come to wish they had; so might you.' "And what would happen if I were

fer of 'your people?" I asked smiling-"I beg of you to be serious, Mr. Wood. Take us or leave us, but employ some

one. Do not, for heaven's sake, attempt to run alone." He spoke with such evident earnestfeel a little uncomfortable.

"Do you imply that I n personal danger-that unless i am taken care of I shall fall a victim to some -what shall I say-some plot?"

"All that and more. I cannot at this stage be more explicit in my warnings It would be giving away our business But there are ample grounds for what I say. I indicated something of the sort of thing when I spoke to you this morning. There are those who grudge you your newly acquired fortune, who deny your right to it or even the testator's right to it. They are ready to employ any means-secret, insidious, even violent means-to wrest it from you. Let me tell you, sir, that even now, at this moment, you may be, I believe you are, in imminent peril-you and your

"But this is a matter for the police! I cried hotly, springing to my feet. "Your police cannot help you in this It is too private and particular, and

they are of little good till after the event. What you want is prevention anticipation. You must meet



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ways supposing there is time."
"Where is the hurry?"

"We have reason to know that every-"Why, the news is not a day old

"It has long been expected that the England, but the name of the real beir was only disclosed a week ago. Everything was ready, and the campaign was to commence directly it was known who should be attacked."

I looked at this heavy featured, slow speaking Yankee, wondering whether he was in earnest or only thought me a fool. I knew, of course, that I had now become fair game for the blackmailers, and I was inclined to imagine that Mr. Snuyzer's solicitude was only a transparent attempt to extort money.

"And what would it cost me to se cure the good offices of Messrs, Saraband & Sons?" I asked, seeking enlightenment as to his probable de "Our charges, sir, are no more than

out of pocket expenses and a small retaining fee, say five and twenty dollars a week. After that a pro rata premium, according to the risks." "Risks? I do not quite understand."

"The perils, sir, from which you are saved, whether by premonition, guardjanship or actual rescue. We have a graduated scale. I shall be happy to leave the 'skedool' with you. Here



But this is a matter for the police! I cried hoth are some of the items: Divorce proceedings, either side; sequestration, false charges, wounding, loss of limb,

"Murder, in short?" I still spoke in a flippant tone. "What is the rate of insurance against that?" His face did not relax, and he an-

swered gravely: "From £10,000 up to any sum, according to the nearness of the risk."

"Well, I will think over your obligso foolish as to refuse the obliging of ing offer. Possibly, if I find I cannot take care of myself, I may come to you. For the present I shall trust to Scotland Yard and my own endeavors."

"You are wrong, sir, entirely wrong, believe that," said my visitor darkly as he rose to take his leave. "You are in considerable danger, sir, and it will ness and good faith that I began to increase hourly. And you have given points against you. The chief aim of these big 'bunko steerers' is, of course, tion, that I am in any danger-any to pouch your dollars, but it is known

MATRON AND MAID. Miss Olivia Pierson of Windsor, Conn.,

has given \$4,000 to the public library of that town to aid in the erection of a building. Mrs. Tue Laer, an American born woman, was one of the skilled workers cho-

sen to do Wilhelmina's wedding embroideries. Mrs. Alexis E. Prye, the Cuban wife of the former superintendent of schools of Cuba, said of the teachers' trip to this country last summer, "The Harvard ex-

cursion set Cuba's women free.' Mrs. Catherine Yates appeared on the platform with her son when he was reently inaugurated governor of Illinois. It was just \$50 years since she had sat there with her husband, the famous war

governor. Bernhardt is reported to have been delighted with the Chicago stockyards, where she saw live stock transported from the hoof to the can while she waited. "It is horrible, but beautiful," said Sarah as she sniffed at her bottle of lavender salts.

It is said that Miss Mollie Woodward, who was one of the women who spent many weeks within the besieged walls in Peking, will marry Lieutenant Frederick Bismarck, a grandson of the famous chancellor. Lieutenant Bismarck was a member of the German legation.

Jenny Lind's letters to a woman friend living in Italy from 1845 to 1874 will soon be published by an Italian firm. The letters, it is reported, number over letters, it is reported, number over 100 and give the prima donna's outspoken and unconventional opinions about the music and many of the musicians of her

Mrs. John W. Mackay, who has just saved the Church of St. Joseph from sale in Paris by paying an indebtedness of 20,000 francs, has been long known as one of the most generous benefactors of Roman Catholic institutions in Europe. The present gift is in memory of her son, John W. Mackay, Jr., who lost his life in 1895 by a fall from his horse in Paris.

Susan B. Anthony intends to test the woman suffrage question by refusing to pay taxes on some property she owns in Rochester, N. Y., basing her objection on the point that taxation without representation is unconstitutional. Twenty-five years ago Miss Anthony began a similar effort, but it ended in a comprose. Now she proposes to fight to a fin-

Mrs, Alexander M. Brown of Philadel-Mrs. Alexander M. Brown of Philadelphia was a silver bugie which she says was presented to ber grandfather. Captain Francis Johnson, by Queen Victoria many years ago. The queen always manifested an interest in the negro race, and when Captain Johnson took his band of negro musicians to England he was summoned to give a concert at Windsor castle. Queen Victoria, the Duchess of Kent and many other members of the royal family attended the concert, and the queen was greatly pleased. queen was greatly pleased.

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