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A GERMAN DETECTIVE STORY.

I was standing in our office, behind my desk, when our chief entered the room with a letter in his hand, and addressed me with an invitation to undertake the unraveling of a mystery which had baffled the local police at T——. I consented, because the reward on the mark which had been committed, much limited, however, as to the time I was allowed for spending on the case.

Two hundred and fifty-five thousand marks had been the reward on the case of a well-connected man named Friedow. Her villa stood outside the gates of a small town, and the lost property consisted of a box of jewels and a large sum of money, in a chest of drawers he side her bed. Her sleeping room was situated on the first floor and had but one window, which looked out upon the yard.

On the night of the 7th of May the party was suddenly awakened about twelve o'clock. Her room was illuminated. Before her bed stood a small, thin man, with a lantern in his left hand and a hatchet in his right.

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THE ROCKY MOUNTAINS AND SAN FRANCISCO.

THE KANSAS PACIFIC.

"The coaches" on this road are vastly more comfortable than the street cars of Damascus," as Mark Twain found them. In fact, we may glide over the seas of prairie with scarce a jolt, and must settle down in a seat of ease and comfort on our head out of the window and gaze at the most beautiful landscape imaginable, and, without hyperbole, exclaim, all the things a farrier could wish to give to a gardener! Traveling and sight seeing are pleasant on a road like this.

On this journey you pass over lands more fertile and more beautiful than the buffalo and the prairie dog. No bear or "prairie" like his companions—buffalo and "prairie dog"—have created before the march of the prairie railroads, and civilization. And that figure of the imagination, "The Great American Desert," where is it? We've been looking for it; have hunted our geography on our knee and carefully perused the atlas and found it with our latest maps by authority of U. S. Survey, but that desert, "like the thin clouds of a dream, doth not appear!" The parallel of latitude and longitude run through and round luxuriant crops of corn, rye, barley, oats and wheat, and totally put to flight even the idea of a desert.

THE OPINION too commonly entertained, that the cultivation of the ground meets with scanty remuneration, compared with other occupations, will give way to the opinion, that it is the most profitable for labor, do not receive as high wages as are sometimes paid to first-rate agriculturists, and that the latter are not only successful in their vocation, but also in their life, and that the latter are not only successful in their vocation, but also in their life, and that the latter are not only successful in their vocation, but also in their life.

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"HE IS A FREEMAN WHOM THE TRUTH MAKES FREE, AND ALL ARE SLAVES BESIDE."

wounded hands, and in particular upon hurts inflicted by glass. By degrees I acquired the, to me, very interesting fact that some three weeks since, when the medical was riding home to breakfast after an early call, a strange man had suddenly appeared in the middle of the highway and had implored his help. He claimed to have fallen upon a heap of broken glass, and held out his right hand to exhibit its condition. The doctor took out his pocket case of instruments, and extracted five splinters from the fingers. While he did so the patient whimpered like a child. "How was the fellow dressed?" I cried, breathlessly.

"I believe your complaining patient to be the principal in the late robbery, concerning which I have come down recently to your city," said my superior, giving me an idea as to what became of the man after you were done with him?

THE BOY "humped" the dangerous animal out in thirty seconds, received his foot for a while on the way, and the woman gazed up going down town for fear she would have a nervous spell," Detroit Free Press.

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