THE GUNMAKER OF MOSCOW.

A Tale of the Empire Under Peter the Great.

CHAPTER I.

The time at which we open our story is mid winter, and towards the close of the seventeenth century. Russia is the scene.

In the suburbs of Moscow, and very near the river Moskwa, stood an humble cot, which betrayed a neatness of arrangement and show of taste that more than made up for its smallness of size. Back of the cot was an artisan's shop, and other out-buildings. This shop was devoted to the manufacture of firearms, mostly. Some swords, and other edged weapons, were made here upon special application.

The master of this tenement was the hero of our tale, Ruric Nevel. We find him standing by his forge, watching the white smoke as it curled up towards the throat of the chimney. He was a young man, not over three-and-twenty, and possessed a frame of more than ordinary symetry and muscular development. He was not large—not above a medium size—but a single glance at the swelling chest, the broad shoulders, and the sinewy ridges of the bare arms, told at once that he was master of great physical power. His father had been killed in the then late war with the Turks, and the son, leaving his mother with a sufficiency of sustenance, went to Spain soon after the bereavement.—There he found work in the most noted armories; and now, well versed in the trade, he had returned to his native city to follow his calling, and support his mother.

Near by stood a boy—Paul Peepoff—a bright, intelligent lad, some fifteen years of age, who had bound himself to the gunmaker for the purpose of learning the art.

Claudia Nevel, Ruric's mother, was a noble looking woman, and the light of her still handsome countenance was never brighter than when gazing upon her boy. She had a thankful, loving heart, and a prayerful, hopeful soul.

"It is snowing again, faster than ever," remarked Paul, as he took his seat at the supper-table, in company with the others.

"Ah," returned Ruric, resting his knife a few moments while he bent his ear to listen to the voice of the storm. "It had hoped 'twould snow no more for the present. The snow is deep enough now. And how it blows!"

"Never mind," spoke the dame, in a trustful, easy tone, "it must storm when it listeth, and we can only thank God that we have shelter, and pray for those who have none."

"Amen!" responded Ruric, fervently.

The meal was at length eaten, and the table set back, and shortly afterwards Paul retired to his bed.

Ruric drew his chair close up to the fireplace, and leaning against the jam he bowed his head in absorbing thought. This had become a habit with him of late. His mother having observed these fits of abstraction, became uneasy and pressed Ruric to tell her what it was over which he was so constantly and so moodily brooding. Being thus urged, Ruric confessed that it was of Rosalind Valdai (the orphan daughter of a nobleman, and now the ward of Olga, the powerful and haughty Duke of Tula) he was thinking.—Ruric's father, and the father of Rosalind, had been comrades in arms in their youth, and their children had been playmates. But when the elder Nevel was slain in battle, Ruric was yet a boy, and the widow and her son remained poor and obscure; while Valdai, more fortunate, had risen to a high rank, and dying, left Rosalind a title and a fortune.

The young people, however, had not forgotten each other. Ruric loved Rosalind with all the fervor of his being, and he felt assured that Rosalind returned his love. As he and his mother sat debating the matter on that stormy night, a loud knock upon the outer door startled them.

"Is there any one here?" the gunmaker asked, as he opened the door, bowing his head and shielding his eyes from the driving snow with one hand.

"Yes," returned a voice from the Stygian darkness. "In God's name let me in, or I shall perish."

"Then follow quickly," said Ruric. "Here give me your hand.—There—now come."

The youth found the thickly-gloved hand—gloved with the softest fur—and having led the invisible applicant into the hall he closed the door, and then led the way to the kitchen. Without speaking, Ruric turned and gazed upon the new-comer. The stranger, *who was equally desirous of ascertaining what manner of man Ruric was*, was a monk—and habited something like one of the Black monks of St. Michael. He was of medium height, and possessed a rotundity of person which was comical to behold.

At length, after warming himself by the fire, the guest asked if he could be accommodated with some sleeping place, and being answered in the affirmative, Ruric showed him to a chamber and then retired himself.

The next morning, after breakfast, the Monk went with Ruric to his shop, and examined with much interest the various weapons therein. Ruric questioned him closely as to whether he had ever met him before, but the Monk replied evasively, and after saying that in case the gunmaker should ever, in any great emergency, need a friend, that he might apply to him, he took his leave.

He reached home just as his mother was spreading the board for dinner. He often went away on business, and she thought not of asking him any questions.

On questioning Paul, in the shop, in the afternoon, Ruric, to his great surprise, learned the Black Monk had been there during his absence, to purchase a dagger; that he went out of the shop a minute after the visit of Urzen and Damanoff, and seemed to be much pleased with what he heard. As they were talking, Urzen presented a challenge from Orsa, which at once referred him to the place he took his leave.

About eight o'clock, a sledge stopped at the door, and young Orsa entered. He called Ruric aside, and told him that the arrangements had all been made.

"Orsa—I must off is in a hurry," he said, "and I have appointed the meeting at ten o'clock to-morrow forenoon. It will take place at the island of the river just beyond the Viska Hill."

"And the weapons?" asked Ruric.

"Swords," returned Orsa. "The Count will bring his own, and he gives you the privilege of selecting such an one as you choose."

"I thank you, Orsa, for your kindness thus far, and you may rest assured that I shall be prompt."

"I suppose I call here in the morning for you?" suggested the visitor.

"I should be pleased to have you do so," the gunmaker said; and thus it was arranged.

On the following morning Ruric was up betimes, and at the breakfast table not a word of the one all absorbing theme was uttered. After the meal was finished the gunmaker went out to his shop, and took down from one of the closets a long leathern case, in which were two swords. They were Toledo blades, and of most exquisite workmanship and finish. Ruric took out the heaviest one, which was a two-edged weapon, with a cross hilt of heavy gilded metal. He placed the point upon the floor, and then, with all his weight he bent the blade till the pommel touched the point. The lithe steel sprang back to its place with a sharp clang, and the texture was not started. Then he struck the flat of the blade upon the anvil with great force. The ring was sharp and clear, and the weapon remained unharmed.

"By St. Michael," said the gunmaker to his boy, "Moscow does not contain another blade like that. Damascus never saw a better."

"I think you are right, my master," the boy returned, who had beheld the trial of the blade with unbounded admiration. "But," he added, "could you not temper a blade like that?"

"Perhaps, if I had the steel. But I have not. The steel of these two blades came from India, and was originally in one weapon—a ponderous, two-handed affair, belonging to a Bengal Chieftain. The metal possesses all the hardness of the finest razor, with the elasticity of the most subtle spring. My old master at Toledo gave me these as a memento. Were I to mention the sum of money he was once offered for the largest one, you would hardly credit it."

After this Ruric gave Paul a few directions about the work promising to be back before night. Just then Orsa drove up to the door.

Ruric was all ready. His mother was in the kitchen. He went to her with a smile upon his face. He put his arms about her and drew her to his bosom.

"God bless you, my mother.—I shall come back." He said this and then he kissed her.

He dared stop to speak no more, but opened the door and passed out.

"Have you a good weapon?" asked Orsa, as the horse started on.

"I have," Ruric said, quietly; "and one which has stood more tests than most swords will bear." And after some further remarks he related the peculiar circumstances attending the making of the sword, and his possession of it.

At length they struck upon the river, and in half an hour more they reached the appointed spot. The day was beautiful. They had been upon the ground but a few moments when the other party came in sight around the bend of the river. *The monk was there also.*

As soon as the Count and his second and surgeon had arrived, and the horses had been secured, the lieutenant proposed that they should repair to an old building which was close at hand.

"Aye," added Damonoff.—"Let us have this business done, for I would be back to dinner. I dine with Olga to day, and a fair maiden awaits my coming."

"Notice him not," whispered Orsa, who walked close by Ruric's side. "That is one of his chief points when engaged in an affair of this kind. He hopes to get you angry, and so unhinge your nerves."

"Never fear," answered the gunmaker.

The party halted when they reached the interior of the rough structure, and the Count threw off his pelisse and drew his sword.—Ruric followed his example.

"Sir Count," the latter said, as he moved a step forward, "ere we commence this work I wish all present to understand distinctly how I stand. You have sought this quarrel from the first. Without the least provocation from me you have insulted me most grossly, and this is the climax. So, before God and man, be the result upon your own head."

"Out, lying knave——"

"Hold," cried the surgeon, laying his hand heavily upon the Count's arm. "You have no right to speak thus, for you lower yourself when you do it. If you have come to fight, do so honorably."

An angry reply was upon Damonoff's lips, but he did not speak it. He turned to his antagonist and said,—

"Will you measure weapons, sir? Mine may be a mite the longest. I seek no advantage; and I have one here of the same length and weight as my own if you wish it."

"I am well satisfied as it is," replies Ruric.

"Then take your ground.——Are you ready?"

"I am!"

The two swords were crossed in an instant, with a clear, sharp ring.

The above is all of this story that will be published in our columns. We give this as a sample. The continuation of it from where it leaves off here can only be found in the New York Ledger, the great family paper, for which the most popular writers in the country contribute and which is for sale at all the stores throughout the city and country, where papers are sold.—Remember and ask for the New York Ledger of March 19, and in it you will get the continuation of the story from where it leaves off here. If you cannot get a copy at any book store, the publisher of the Ledger will mail you a copy on the receipt of five cents.

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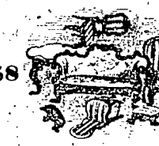
1858  1858

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LONDON JOCKEY CLUB HOUSE GIN

Pronounced by the Medical Gentlemen of the Day to be the purest and most valuable Stimulant in use, and highly endorsed by all the Physicians as containing superior medicinal properties.

NEW STAGE ROUTE.—The subscriber has started a tri weekly line of Stages between Carlisle and Landisburg, leaving Carlisle every Monday, Wednesday and Friday, immediately on the arrival of the afternoon train of cars from the east. Returning, leaves Landisburg at 8:00 A. M., every Tuesday, Wednesday and Saturday, and arrives at Carlisle at 1:00 P. M., via. Perry County Warm Springs, Shermansdale, Sterrett's Gap and Carlisle Sulphur Springs. On and after June the 15th, the line will be run daily for the accommodation of passengers going to the Springs.

Fare to the several points as follows:

Carlisle to Sulphur Springs	$0 50
" Sterrett's Gap	75
" Shermansdale	87
" Perry County Warm Springs	1 00
" Landisburg	1 00

RETURNING.

Landisburg to Warm Springs	$0 25
" Shermansdale	50
" Sterrett's Gap	75
" Sulphur Springs	1 00
" Carlisle	1 00

The above line will regularly carry the MAIL to and from the several points above indicated.

I have also a well stocked LIVERY STABLE, from which I am at all times ready to furnish horses and carriages to those who will favor me with their patronage, on the most reasonable terms and to the very best style of ONS, we feel confident of giving satisfaction.

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IMMENSE EXCITEMENT! THE PEOPLE IN MOTION! NEW FALL GOODS AT J. A. HUMRICH, Jr's. CHEAP STORE.

J. A. Humrich, Jr, has just returned from Philadelphia with an immense stock of Fall and Winter DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, BOOTS, SHOES, &c., selected expressly for Carlisle and vicinity. The people are respectfully invited to call at his store, examine his goods and

TEST HIS PRICES.

Being desirous to increase his custom, he has purchased a much larger stock of goods than at any other time, and intends to sell them off at such prices as cannot fail to suit every one who may wish to purchase. His goods have been selected with great care, among which may be found

FOR LADIES:

Silks,	Alpacas,
Persian,	Plain Delaines,
Lavella Cloths,	De'Beges,
Cobourgs,	Fancy Delaines.
Ribbons,	Hosiery, Gloves,
French & Scotch Ginghams, Handkerchiefs, &c.	

FOR GENTLEMEN:

Broad Cloths,	Kentucky Jeans,
Tweeds,	Black & Fancy Doeskins,
Sattinets,	Corduroy,
Vestings,	Beaverteens,
Fancy and Side-Stripe Cassimers, &c.	

Together with a large assortment of Shawls, Sack Flannels, Brilliants, Skirting, Calicoes, Muslins, Checks, Canton Flannels, Denims, Table Diapers, Nankeens, Crash, Drills, Umbrellas, &c., &c.

The cheapest assortment of HATS, CAPS, BOOTS AND SHOES, ever offered in Carlisle. A superior lot of FRESH GROCERIES, comprising Teas, Coffee, Sugar, Molasses, Rice, Spices, &c. All he asks is for the people to call and examine for themselves, as he feels confident that the quality of his goods and the low prices at which they are selling, will induce them to purchase.—Give him a call whether you wish to purchase or not.

J. A. HUMRICH, JR.,
Corner of North Hanover and Louther Streets.
Oct. 27, 1858.

TOBACCO AND SEGARS.—The finest qualities of Lump, Twist, Cavendish, and other chewing Tobacco's. SEGARS—fine imported Havana and Cut a Segars, also choice Hands of domestic manufacture, Lynchburg, Philadelphia, Baltimore Cut and Dry Tobacco. Our friends cannot fail to be pleased by examining for themselves.

Nov. 10, '58. J. W. EBY.

Water, Sugar, Butter and Soda CRACKERS. Tea Cake, Currant do., Jumbels, &c., fresh at B. J. KIEFFER'S.

New Goods.

B. J. KIEFFER'S
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL
Drug, Chemical, Confectionary, Fruit AND VARIETY STORE.

THE undersigned has just replenished his stock of DRUGS and MEDICINES, which, having been selected with great care, he is satisfied are Fresh and Pure. Physicians' prescriptions will be promptly and faithfully attended to. Orders from merchants in the country will be filled with care and on the most reasonable terms. All official preparations made strictly in accordance with the U. S. Pharmacopeia.

SPICES GROUND AND WHOLE,

such as Cinnamon, Cloves, Alspice, Coriander, Pepper, Ginger, Mustard, Baking Soda, Washing Soda, Cream Tartar, Nutmegs, Yeast Powder—Mace—Citron, Sweet Marjoram, Thyme &c., &c., fresh and pure. He has on hand all the different Patent Medicines of the day.

CONFECTIONARIES.

Oranges, Lemons, Figs, Raisins, Currants, Prunes, Almonds, Filberts, Walnuts, Grain Opie, Cream nuts Chestnuts, American, German and French Candies, and Candy Toys of every variety. Those wishing to make wholesale purchases can here be supplied with the best quality of Confectionaries and at lower rates than at any other house in the country. He has also a full assortment of

AMERICAN, GERMAN AND FRENCH TOYS,

consisting of Wood and Tin of every description, such as Dolls, Doll Heads, Horses, Wagons, Birds, Moving Figures, Fancy Work Boxes, Masks, Cords, Drums, Chaises, Whips, Trumpets, Whistles, Dressing Stands, &c., &c., to be sold Wholesale and Retail, and in prices, competition is defied.

FANCY GOODS.

Port Monnaies, Purses, Pocket Books, Fine Pocket Cutlery, Shell and Pearl Card Cases, Needle Books, Port Folios, Callas, German, French and American China Ware, Inkstands and trays, Card Racks and Baskets, Gilt Breast Pins, Necklets and Rings, Combs Puff, Long, Side, and Back Guttapercha Combs, Hair, Clothes, Hat, Button, Nail and Tooth Brushes, Sewing Silks, Patent Thread and Spool Cotton, Buttons, &c., &c.

PERFUMERIES.

Fancy Toilet and other Soaps, Pearl Powders, Extracts, first quality Hair Oils, Pomades, Shaving Soaps and Creams, Tooth Paste, Balm of a Thousand Flowers, Tricophorous, Tooth Wash, Hair Invigorators, and Hair Dye. The above have been selected with care and will all bear examination, speak for themselves.

TOBAO AND SEGARS.

On hand the best lot of Segars and Tobacco that has ever been brought to this town. His Segars will convince the smoker on trial of the purity of the material of which they consist.—He has on hand those only which are *Imported* and which he can recommend as such. We need not speak of the true German Segar as they have already gained for themselves a *reputation* that they so richly deserve. He also keeps the common article of Segars to suit the trade; Tobacco such as Elmira, Plain Congress, Twist Plain, *Fig Leaf*, Cavendish, Congress, and Fine Cut Tobacco and Snuff, the best material.

Feeling thankful to the generous public for their liberal patronage, a continuation of the same is solicited, at our permanent location in South Hanover street, directly opposite Hannon's Hotel, and next door to Mr. C. Inhoff's Grocery.

B. J. KIEFFER.

Carlisle, June 23, 1858—1y.

HARDWARE SAXTON'S SPRING ARRIVAL.
IMMENSE STOCK OF HARDWARE.

The subscriber has just returned from the Eastern cities, and would call the attention of his friends and the public generally to the large and well-selected assortment of HARDWARE which he has now on hand; consisting in part of BUILDING MATERIALS, such as *Nails, Screws, Hinges, Bolts, Locks, Glass of every description* and quality, such as Common, White, polished, American, French, Enamelled and Double thick of all sizes. Paints, Oils, Varnishes, &c., &c.

TOOLS—Including Edge Tools of every description, Saws Planes, Brace and Bitts; Augers, Squares, Gauges, Files, Rasps, Hammers, Vices, Anvil, Screw Plates, Blacksmiths Bellows, &c., &c.

Shoemakers and Saddlers will find a large assortment of Tools of every description, together with Ladies' and Gentlemens' Morocco Lining, Binding, Patent and French Calf Skins, Shoe Thread, Awls, Wax, Pegs, Lasts, Harness Mounting, Collars, Girthing, Whipstock, Door Lock, Saddle Trees, &c., &c.

Also, Coach Makers, Tools and Trimmings of all kinds such as Hubs, Spokes, Felloes, Shafts, Bows, Floor Cloth, Canvass, Cloth, Damask, Fringe, Lace, Moss, Axles, Spring Belts, &c., &c.

Cabinet Makers will find a large assortment of Varnishes, Oak, Walnut, and Mahogany Veneers, Knobs of all kinds and sizes, Mouldings, Rivets, Hair Cloth, Plush, Curled Hair Chair and Sofa Sponge, &c., &c.

Housekeepers will also find a large assortment of Knives and Forks, Brittannia, Albata and Silver Plated Table and Tea Spoons, Candlesticks, Waiters, Shovels, and Tongs, *Iron and Brass Kettles, Pans