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second-class matter.]

Piloted by a Ghost.
I checked my horse, and after one long,
straining look around owned to myself that
I was lost. I had suspected the fact some
time since, but had stubbornly fought down
the suspicion, though my horse evidently
realized it. With patient endurance he
plodded along, resignation plainly expressed
in the droop of his tail and ears. In
place of the ranch, the hearty welcome,
pleasant words, had, supper and fire I had
expected to reach by sunset, there was nothing
to be seen before, behind, on either hand
but the dead level of the plain. There
were paths in plenty; in fact, the trouble
was there were too many—all narrow and
winding, for whose meandering there seemed
not the slightest excuse, except the general
tendency to crookedness most things ani-
mate and inanimate, alike possess. But it
would have taken the instinct of a blood-
hound or a trailing Indian to have said
which path had been made by horses' feet
or those of cattle.

Now that the sun was gone, I found my
knowledge of the point of the compass gone
with it. I felt perplexed and worried the
gloom of twilight gathered fast, and the
chill of cooling rain smote me through and
through, while in the distance there was the
roll of thunder.

I was now quite dark, very dark at that,
though at short intervals close to the horizon
a faint gleam of lightning showed too dissi-
pated to cast brightness on my path and only suf-
ficient to intensify the blackness about me.

All at once I saw a man walking about
fifteen feet in front of me. Yes, I know I
said it was a ghostly dark, but all the same
I repeat it. I saw a man walking in front
of me, and, furthermore, I could see that he
was a large man, dressed in rough but well-
fitting clothes; that he wore a heavy red
beard, and that he looked back at me from
time to time with an expression of keen
anxiety on his otherwise relaxed features.

"Hallo!" I cried, but as he did not halt I
concluded he did not hear me. As a second
halt produced no result I spurred my weary
horse up to overtake the stranger. But,
though the gray responded with an alacrity
most commendable under the circumstances,
I soon found that this strange pedestrian
did not intend to let me catch up with him.
Not that he hurried himself. He seemed
without an exertion to keep a good fifteen
feet between us.

Then I began to wonder how, with the
intense darkness shutting me in as four
black walls, I was yet able to see my strange
companion so clearly, to take in the details
of his dress, and even the expression of his
face, and that at a distance more than twice
my horse's length, when I could hardly see
his head before me. I am not given to su-
persensitiveness, and my only feeling was
of curiosity.

We went on in silence for nearly half an
hour, when as suddenly as he had appeared,
he was gone. I looked around for him,
half afraid, from his instant and complete
disappearance, that I had been dreaming,
when I perceived that I was close to a
small, low building of some sort. I related
in and about several times, but not the
slightest response could I hear, and at last
I rode boldly up and tapped on the wall
with the butt of my riding whip. Then, as
this elicited no sign of life, I concluded that
I had stumbled on some deserted house or
that it was the abode of my eccentric friend;
so, dismounting a red tying the gray, I re-
solved to spend the rest of the night under
a roof or to find some good reason for con-
tinuing my journey.

I felt my way along the wall till I reached
the door, and trying this and finding that it
yielded to me, I stepped inside, striking a
match as I did so. Fortunately, I carried my
matches in an air-tight case, and as it was
dry the one I struck gave me a light at once.
I found myself in a large room close to a
fireplace, over which a rude shelf was placed,
and in this mantel I saw an oil lamp to
which I applied my match.

On the hearth was heaped a quantity of
ashes, and over the e crouched a child, a
girl of 5 or 6. At the end of the room,
which was plainly and scantily furnished,
lay a man across a bed, and as I raised the
lamp I saw that he was the same I had been
following, but there was something in his at-
titude and face that struck me as peculiar,
and I was about to go forward and look at
him when the child, who had at first seemed
dazed at the light, fairly threw herself upon
me.

"Have you anything for Nelly to eat?"
she said, and then, "Oh, Nelly so hungry!"
I ran my hand into my pocket and drew
forth what had been a paper bag of choco-
late candy, but was now a pulpy, unappetizing
mass. I must confess to a childish
fondness for sweets, which I usually carry
to some form about me. I handed the re-
mains of my day's supply to the child and
then walked over to the bed. Yes, it was
the same man, red beard, rough clothes, but
setting off the magnificent frame to perfec-
tion; the same man, but dead, long dead.
I took his hand only to find it stiff and
cold, while his face had the dull gray aspect
never seen in the newly dead. As I stood
gazing down on him a little hand touched
mine.

"Nelly so hungry!" said the child.
"Have you eaten all the candy?" I asked
her.
"Yes, yes! But me hungry, for me had
no dinner, no brekkus, no supper, and papa
went get up."

The house, which consisted of the large
room, a smaller kitchen and a shed, where I
found a quantity of hay and fodder, seemed
quite bare of food, but by dint of search in
the hay I discovered a nest, which Nelly
informed me was there, and in it two fresh
eggs. These I boiled for her. When she
had finished I soothed her to sleep on a bed
I had put for her before the fire. Then, after
I had put my horse in the shed room and fed
him, I performed as well as I could a service
for the dead.

When day dawned I was able to discern at
some distance from the house a line of tele-
graph poles, and taking the child with me I
followed this to the nearest corner, where I
notified the authorities of the fact. The
dead man's name was Frank B. Russell.
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cords of Alexandria County, Virginia, in deed
book J, No. 4, page 558, two subscribers, as trust-
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the party thereby severally authorized for sale at public
auction in front of the premises, on
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