

## Jonathan Harker's Journal

3 May. Bistritz. - \_\_\_\_\_ Munich at 8:35 P.M., on 1st May, arriving at Vienna early next morning; \_\_\_\_\_ at 6:46, but train \_\_\_\_\_ an hour late. Buda-Pesth \_\_\_\_\_ a wonderful place, from the glimpse which I \_\_\_\_\_ of it from the train and the little I \_\_\_\_\_ through the streets. I \_\_\_\_\_ to go very far from the station, as we \_\_\_\_\_ late and \_\_\_\_\_ as near the correct time as possible.

The impression I \_\_\_\_\_ that we \_\_\_\_\_ the West and entering the East; the most western of splendid bridges over the Danube, which \_\_\_\_\_ here of noble width and depth, \_\_\_\_\_ us among the traditions of Turkish rule.

We \_\_\_\_\_ in pretty good time, and \_\_\_\_\_ after nightfall to Klausenburgh. Here I \_\_\_\_\_ for the night at the Hotel Royale. I \_\_\_\_\_ for dinner, or rather supper, a chicken done up some way with red pepper, which \_\_\_\_\_ very good but thirsty. (Mem. get recipe for Mina.) I \_\_\_\_\_ the waiter, and he \_\_\_\_\_ it \_\_\_\_\_ called 'paprika hendl,' and that, as it \_\_\_\_\_ a national dish, I \_\_\_\_\_ it anywhere along the Carpathians.

I \_\_\_\_\_ my smattering of Germán very useful here, indeed, I \_\_\_\_\_ how I \_\_\_\_\_ get on without it.

Having \_\_\_\_\_ some time at my disposal when in London, I \_\_\_\_\_ the British Museum, and \_\_\_\_\_ search among the books and maps in the library regarding Transylvania; it \_\_\_\_\_ struck me that some foreknowledge of the country \_\_\_\_\_ hardly fail to have some importance in dealing with a nobleman of that country.

I \_\_\_\_\_ that the district he named \_\_\_\_\_ in the extreme east of the country, just on the borders of three states, Transylvania, Moldavia, and Bukovina, in the midst of the Carpathian Mountains; one of the wildest and least known portions of Europe.

I \_\_\_\_\_ light on any map or work giving the exact locality of the Castle Dracula, as there \_\_\_\_\_ no maps of this country as yet to compare with our own Ordnance Survey Maps; but I \_\_\_\_\_ that Bistritz, the post town named by Count Dracula, \_\_\_\_\_ a fairly well-known place. I \_\_\_\_\_ here some of my notes, as they \_\_\_\_\_ my memory  
when I \_\_\_\_\_ my travels with Mina.

In the population of Transylvania there \_\_\_\_\_ four distinct nationalities: Saxons in the South, and mixed with them the Wallachs, who \_\_\_\_\_ the descendants of the Dacians; Magyars in the West, and Szekelys in the East and North. I \_\_\_\_\_ among the latter, who claim to be descended from Attila and the Huns. This \_\_\_\_\_ so, for when the Magyars conquered the country in the eleventh century, they \_\_\_\_\_ the Huns settled in it.

I \_\_\_\_\_ that every known superstition in the world \_\_\_\_\_ gathered into the horseshoe of the Carpathians, as if it \_\_\_\_\_ the centre of some sort of imaginative whirlpool; if so my stay \_\_\_\_\_ very interesting. (Mem., I \_\_\_\_\_ the Count all about them.)

### Questions

1.- What time did Jonathan leave Munich?

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2.- Was the train late?

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3.- How did Jonathan describe Buda-Pesth?

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4.- Where did Jonathan stay?

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5.- What did Johnathan have for dinner?

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6.- Where had Johnathan visited in London?

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7.- who are descendants of the Dacians?

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8.- Who are descendants of Attila and Hunt?

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9.- Did Johnathan read every superstition?

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10.- Will Johnathan ask the Count about the superstition?

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