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JACK swims under water and reaches the shore in time to rescue Dolores from the two bandits. Merton and Dolores now have both ring and parchment. They go to Jack's house and Jack deciphers them. The Mystery Woman goes to the Port Office and tells Jack's ally, the Captain, that Jack and Dolores have reached home safely. One of Satan's spies overhears this and signals this information to Satan by heliograph.

Satan and his band immediately depart for Merton's. Just as Jack has finished deciphering the parchment and ring, and slipped the directions for finding the treasure in his pocket, Satan's men enter. Before they can attack him, however, Jack throws the parchment in the fire. Satan attempts to recover it but sets his cloak afire. In the excitement Jack and Dolores escape, taking with them a spade.

The Port Captain is told of Satan's pursuit of Jack, and, with a company of sailors, sets out to rescue his friend. Satan and his men are now in close pursuit of Jack and Dolores who have reached the designated spot and commenced digging for the treasure. The pair are driven off by Satan. They make a false trail and elude Satan long enough to return and resume digging.

The band returns and overpowers them, but is driven off by the sailors who arrive in the nick of time. A running pistol duel follows. Satan and his men beat their way to a cabin in which Jack and Dolores are hiding and overpower them, tying the pair to the beams. The volleying continues through the windows.

A chance shot sets fire to a box of matches and the cabin is soon ablaze. Satan's men leave the pair to their fate and march out in apparent surrender. By a ruse they overpower the sailors and escape, leaving Merton and Dolores to the mercy of the flames.

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