



House of the Hunted

By Mills, Mark.

Random House. 1 Paperback(s), 2012. soft. Book Condition: New. Following The Information Officer, The Savage Garden, and his John Creasey Memorial Dagger Awardwinning debut Amagansett, this fourth Mark Mills novel takes us back to "that sliver of time between the wars when cordial relationships were still possible among civilized people of all nations" (NYTBR). On France's Côte d'Azur in 1935, former British operative Tom Nash feels pleasantly removed from the war clouds over Europe, pursuing a writing career on the French Riviera in a lively community of expats and artists, hoping to forget the worst deeds of his past and the woman he once loved. But when an assailant tries to kill him in his sleep, Tom realizes that someone knows his secrets, and that this attempt on his life won't be the last. Relying on his instincts for self-preservation, Tom suspects everyone of double-dealing even the people he considers his friends: the Russian art dealers from Paris, the exiled German dissidents, and his former boss and closest confidant. And as Tom plunges deeper into his haunted past, he feels himself turning into the person he used to be a dangerous man, capable of anything."Picture it: An Art Deco villa in the French...



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