

A KISS IN THE DARK

By EVERETT P. CLARKE

When consciousness came to me I found myself in a strange room surrounded by a number of persons, all of whom were looking at me with sympathy on their faces.

One of my eyes had been injured, and a strip of linen was laid over both of them. Then I suppose I was left to myself for awhile, for I heard no sound in the room, though at intervals persons came and went.

Now, I was at an age when a kiss like that would naturally stir the imagination. Was the kisser young? I judged so by the feeling of her lips, which were soft and warm.

I remained where I was but a few days, when I was taken to my own home. I was not permitted to remove my eye covering before leaving the house, so I was ignorant of the members of the family.

This I did. The son, Ed Murray, was about my age, and I took especial pains to cultivate him. He was nothing loath, and we soon became excellent friends.

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Haha, an Indian Maiden

By F. A. MITCHEL

Haha was the name given by white settlers of Kentucky to an Indian girl who lived more than a hundred years ago because her real name was too difficult to pronounce.

One day the tribe to which Haha belonged pitched its tepees in the neighborhood of a family of white settlers named MacDermott, who were of Scotch-Irish extraction.

Suddenly there rang out a peal of melody, a laugh. It had scarcely died away before its echo came back from the cliff opposite.

There could be no better place than among this profusion of nature's bounties and beauties for the birth of love.

Haha had many suitors among the young warriors of her tribe, but from the moment she met Donald McDermott she would listen to none of them.

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Push, but No Pull. Sir Oliver Lodge claims that there is no such thing as pull applied to bodies—that is, that an engine, for instance, never pulls a train, but really pushes it.

But the actual force administered is that of a push and not a pull. Take a rope pulling a safe up to a window. It is wrapped under the safe, and that is the part that is exerting the force.

An amusing incident recently took place in a hotel at a popular seaside resort. At one of the tables in the writing room sat the young and charming Mrs. Newley, busily engaged on a letter.

Domestic Economy. When a woman wants to economize she likes to cut it out of what the family eats, and when a man proposes economy he wants to take it out of what his wife wears.

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Physicians and Surgeons. WILLIS J. REDFIELD, Surgeon. JOE B. REDFIELD, Physician. OFFICE: Physicians & Surgeons Hospital. PHONE 642.

Dr. J. S. Twinem, Homeopathic Physician and Surgeon. Special Attention to Obstetrics and Children's Diseases. Phones, office 183, residence 283. Office in McDonald Bank Building, North Platte, Nebraska.

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT IN AND FOR LINCOLN COUNTY, NEBRASKA. Notice of Sale. To Mrs. Eloise Ireland, non-resident defendant; You are hereby notified that Emma J. Turpie as plaintiff filed her certain petition in the district court of Lincoln county, Nebraska, on April 28, 1914, against you, impleaded with Sarah Coe, Frank E. Coe and...

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. Department of the Interior. U. S. Land Office at North Platte, Neb. Notice is hereby given that Oda Roberts, of North Platte, Neb., who on April 15, 1913, made Nonresident Entry No. 56649, for 1/2 SW 1/4 of Sec. 22, Twp. 13, N. R. 22, E. of the 6th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make commutation proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before the register and receiver, at North Platte, Neb., on the 7th day of July, 1914.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. Department of the Interior. United States Land Office. North Platte, Nebraska, April 27, 1914. Notice is hereby given that Henry W. Greeley, of North Platte, Neb., who on Nov. 24, 1908, made homestead entry No. 9776 for 1/2 Section 6, Township 15 N., Range 29, W. of 6th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final five year proof, to establish claim to the land above described before the register and receiver at North Platte, Nebraska, on the 25th day of June, 1914.

Sheriff's Sale. By virtue of an order of sale issued from the district court of Lincoln county, Nebraska, upon a decree of foreclosure rendered in said court wherein L. C. Severson is plaintiff and Chris Rasmussen and E. P. Rasmussen, are defendants, and to me directed I will on the 25th day of May, 1914, at 2 o'clock p. m., at the east front door of the court house in North Platte, Lincoln county, Nebraska, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, to satisfy said decree, interest and costs, the following described property to-wit: All of Section Nine (9), Township Ten (10), North of Range Twenty-eight (28), except the 1/2 NW 1/4 and 1/2 SW 1/4, except the NW 1/4 of the southeast quarter, west of the 6th P. M., Lincoln county, Nebraska. Dated North Platte, Neb., April 25, 1914.