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YOUTH AND AGE.

He is not young, although his years be few,
Who is not glad when skies grow clear and blue,
When from the South the winsome Spring returns
And earth is clothed with verdure bright and new.

He is not young, who with unfeeling eyes
Sees the procession of fair days move by,
Pausing in golden glory down the west,
Nor feels his heart with happiness beat high.

Nor is he old, though slow his step, bent knee,
Who finds a temple in each stately tree;
Whose soul rejoices in the scented bower
With bird and flower and honey seeking bee.

He is not young who can in earth behold
Only a stage where he wins place and gold;
But he who feels its wonder day by day—
Whate'er his years, he never can be old.

—Ninette M. Lowater, in N.Y. Sun

To Day's Story

What a Kiss Cost

A Story of Southern Persons Long Ago

By F. A. MITCHEL

My granddaughter Marian was my favorite of all my descendants of her generation. What was the cause of my feeling for her is hard to specify. She was Marian Whitlock, and there was but one Marian Whitlock. It was not that she was a strong character, for she was not. She was not only headless, but blind to the result of her headlessness. But she was lovable. Indeed, she was loved through her faults rather than her good qualities. At least I, her grandmother, loved her on that account.

Marian used to tell her grandmother more about what was going on between her and her young men associates than any one else. Why she did this I don't know unless it was because I realized and therefore sympathized with the conditions under which she labored. Candor compels me to admit that she possessed traits which had shown themselves in me when I was her age, and it is more than probable that she inherited them from me. While I endeavored to guide her out of the effects of her indiscretions I never lectured her for having been indiscreet. I realized that indiscretion was a trait born in her and was not likely to be eradicated till she had grown beyond the age when it would lead her into trouble.

Marian used to come to me in a light hearted way with her perplexities, but one day she gave evidence that what she had to tell was of a serious nature.

"Grandma," she said, "I have gone and done it now and no mistake."

"What is it, child?" I asked.

"You know Elliot Walker?"

"Yes."

"Well, Elliot and I were in the music room, I at the piano, he turning over the sheets."

She paused. I gave her time.

"Elliot bent lower and lower over my shoulder. I suppose I should have moved, but I didn't."

"Well?"

"He kissed me."

I refrained from comment on this and waited for the denouement.

"I don't know what it was that prompted me to act as I did. I was certainly not offended. I had expected when I didn't move that he would kiss me and should not have thought much of him if he hadn't. It was not that I was prudish; it was—well, I don't know what it was, unless it was Old Nick got into me. But I arose from the piano, looked daggers at him and, turning, started to leave the room. What was my surprise to see Herbert Kenworthy standing in the door of the music room. Elliot and I had not been aware of his approach, and he had seen the whole performance."

"What did you do next?" I asked anxiously.

"Why, you see, I couldn't very well say that I had encouraged Elliot to kiss me, could I?"

"Go on."

"And I couldn't say that I was not really offended."

"What did you do?"

"Why, I went on out of the room."

"And didn't go back?"

"Yes, after a few minutes."

"And what did you say?"

"Nothing about what had happened. I began to chat with Herbert, while Elliot sat looking very much embarrassed."

"Oh, Marian!"

I was aware that these two young men were rivals for Marian's favor. We were southern persons, and in the south our men are hot blooded. Herbert Kenworthy had seen Elliot Walker give Marian what appeared to be an insult, which she could only resent as a woman. If trouble between the young men did not result then I was no judge of human nature. All this flashed through my brain, and I said to Marian:

"Did your two visitors show any animosity toward each other?"

"None whatever. But, grandma, I have heard since that which leads me to fear"—

"What?"

"I have been told that this morning they were playing billiards together at the club and Elliot charged Herbert with shoving up points that he had not made. Herbert called Elliot a liar, and Elliot struck him."

I did not ask to hear any more. I knew well that the young men would not play billiards together after what had occurred except for a purpose, that purpose being to make it appear that a different cause from the real one had resulted in an animosity which would facilitate her in a duel, the object being to keep Marian's name from being involved in the affair.

"What have you heard since?" I asked anxiously of Marian.

"Nothing."

I dreaded to tell her. Nevertheless if she did not prevent a meeting between these two young men and one of them killed the other, she being responsible for the act, her life would be blighted.

"Marian," I said, "you must go at once to Herbert Kenworthy and tell him that it was your fault that Elliot kissed you."

"Oh, grandma, I can't!"

"This quarrel has nothing to do with billiards. It is about you. Herbert has constituted himself your champion, understanding that Elliot insulted you."

"I have thought that myself," said Marian, paling.

"A duel will surely follow."

Marian looked at me with a frightened expression that excited my pity, but I knew that it was no time to indulge in anything but action. I impressed upon her the necessity of her preventing any further trouble between her two suitors. During our conversation it came out that she had made a choice between all her suitors, including the two in question. This she revealed to me, though I was the only person she confided it to. She loved Elliot Walker. Thinking she needed my support, I told her that I would go with her to see Herbert Kenworthy. She made no reply for awhile to this proposition. I could see that a struggle was going on within her, but I was ignorant as to just what it was. Presently she rose.

"What are you going to do?" I asked.

"I am going to see Herbert."

"Do you wish me to go with you?"

"No, grandma."

This was the first indication of strength I saw in her, and it was some relief. She left me, and later I heard her pony phaeton on the gravel walk. I waited anxiously for her return. When she came I saw by the expression on her face that she had not succeeded in her object.

"Well?" I said interrogatively.

"I went to Herbert's house," she said, "called him out and we had a conference on the veranda. I told him I had heard that he and Elliot had had an altercation. I inferred that he had seen Elliot kiss me and me resent the act. I begged that he would not constitute himself my defender. He replied that he had not done so, but admitted that he and Elliot had got into a quarrel from words that had passed between them relative to Elliot's act. I then admitted that I had encouraged Elliot to kiss me.

"He looked very much surprised and paused at this. I knew that his contempt had passed from Elliot to me. I told him that since I had exonerated Elliot I should expect him to apologize to Elliot for anything he might have said under a misunderstanding. After some thought he told me that any woman in such a case, to prevent trouble between two of her men friends, would assume the blame. There was no sin in my doing so. The affair had gone too far to be smoothed over. I argued with him for some time, but could get nothing out of him. Then I came away."

"You must see Elliot. The one who has given the challenge is the one to offer the olive branch."

"I have seen Elliot. The challenge had come from Herbert. Elliot having struck him. Elliot apologized to me humbly for having kissed me. He admitted that the scene in the billiard room had been concocted to keep my name out of the quarrel. He would gladly on my account put a stop to it, but could not refuse a challenge without being disgraced."

"And as the matter stands the two men will meet tomorrow morning?"

"I suppose so."

The case was a knotty one. The only way I could see out of it was for Marian to choose between the two men. She might tell Herbert that she loved Elliot, but I doubted if this would prevent a meeting that had become a public matter and with which she was not known to be connected. It would probably save Elliot from injury, but this would not be fair to Herbert.

"The only hope I see to prevent this meeting, Marian," I said, putting my arms about her, "is to tell them both that you love Elliot. That would, I think, dispose of the matter. Herbert would withdraw his challenge."

I could feel her shiver in my arms at this alternative, but she said nothing, though later she told me that Elliot had made her no proposal.

The day was now ended, and nothing had been accomplished. I determined to leave Marian free to act for herself till the last minute; then if she did not act I would endeavor to force her to do so. We remained in the same room through the night without disrobing. After 12 o'clock I fell asleep on a lounge. I was aroused at dawn by Marian.

"Come," she said.

Without asking her where we were to go I went with her. I knew. She knew where the meeting would take place, and we proceeded there. Since Elliot had not proposed to her I could not see what she would do. We walked an hour a short distance from the field and finally saw one party come on to it, then the other. The seconds were engaged at the preliminaries when Marian advanced, I following her.

"What will stop this affair?" she asked.

There was no reply from either. Marian asked all to withdraw except the principals.

"I can think of only one way to stop it," she said. "I love one of you gentlemen. Will you both agree to shake hands if I name the one I love?"

At this they were all attention. Then Herbert nodded an assent, and Elliot followed.

"The one who kissed me," said Marian and covered her face with her hands.

Elliot started for her, but I was too quick for him and carried her away.

The duel did not take place. There is a sequel to this story, but it is a sad one. Elliot was a long while in obtaining Marian's consent to marry him. That kiss kept him from another for more than a year.

RETIRED FARMERS TO ANSWER CALL.

At a meeting yesterday the organization of resources committee interviewed A. J. Reynolds, Hamilton; A. Gifford, Maxford; A. Elliott, Galt, retired farmers were already assisting in seeding and will continue to do so to the limit of their ability. They also believe that there are many others who should be aroused to the need of increased food production, and that each retired farmer should be personally appealed to in each city, town and village of the Province by the local committees.

In this connection it is of interest to note that Carroll S. Vrooman, Assistant Secretary of Agriculture of the United States, in launching his campaign to enlist 750,000 new workers for farms, spoke of the retired farmers as the first source of supply and boys between the ages of 15 and 19 years as the second source.

The organization of resources received to-day a report from the Y.M.C.A. Boy Secretaries, who have been appealing for the committee to the high school boys to enter farm service. They report that 118 collegiate institutes, high schools, business colleges, continuation schools and normal schools were visited and the appeal made to enlist older boys for service on the farm. Also mayors, presidents of the boards of trade, and in fact every leading citizen agreed to give this committee their hearty and earnest co-operation.

Seventy-five per cent. of the boys who were present at these meetings signified their intention to devote their time and energy to more food production; 2,883 is the estimated total of those already enlisted, which constitutes 23 per cent. of the enrolment of the schools visited. Two noteworthy features were brought out in the campaign. First, that many of the boys had already arranged for their own employment; and, secondly, that the girls were just as earnest to do their share to help the cause.

The boys who enlist in this farm service will receive a bronze service button; which is oval in shape, with the words, "Farm Service Corps, 1917," prominently displayed, and the coat-of-arms of Ontario, a typical boy, the maple leaf and a wheat sheaf, rake and hoe appearing thereon.

Intense patriotic feeling has been aroused in the young men of the Province and they are responding nobly to the cause, giving up their educational work, better paying positions and their summer recreations.

YOU KNOW THIS CHAP

There is one chap that I don't like, nor you don't like him too, he's just as rasp'in' on my nerves as he would be to you. But he is every place you go, he's campin' on the job, oh he's a sticker chap he is, this blasterin' silly slop. The man we mean is woodrow wiss, more so than all below, he is the chap that springs that gag 'bout how "I told you so." When old Hi Jinks went up in smoke with his old tinker'ore, he said he waited for that fire for 'bout a year or more, "I told you old Hi's shop would go, and with it old Hi too," he seemed most awfully happy his doping's has come true. And when old Jennings closed his bank and vanished in the night, and knocked a dozen local wads far higher than a kite, "I always sed this here would come, I knowed it long ago—I did my best to warn the folks of this here bustin' blow." It doesn't seem to make no odds, how big the thing that busts, from peanut roaster to a bank or some high finance trusts. A hunk of gossip's just the same, be it joy or woe—he's always ready with his blat "See there I told you so." It seems to me that I would like it 'twsn't for the law to plant my mighty horny fist right slam upon his jaw, and whack him hard upon the nose with such a squelchin' blow, he'd ne'er again unloose his trap to lisp "I told you so." Ark

Races May 24th

The Annual race meet will be held at Georgetown, on Thursday, May 24th, when the following events will take place: 2:10 class, trot or pace, mile heats, 3 in 5, purse $200; 2:18 class, trot or pace, mile heats, 3 in 5, purse $175; 2:35 class, trot or pace, mile heats, 3 in 5, purse $125. Canadian Association Rules to govern. Entries positively close May 23rd, 1917. W. Cleave, president; T. J. Hill, starter; Bert Beaman, secretary.

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Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed Contract may be seen and blank forms of Tender may be obtained at the Post Offices of Acton, Georgetown and the office of the Post Office Inspector.

A. Bellfeuille, Post Office Inspector.

Post Office Inspector's Office, Toronto, May 7th, 1917.

In the Surrogate Court in the County of Halton.

In the matter of the Estate of Mary Leslie, late of the Township of Esquesing in the County of Halton, Widow, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given pursuant to Revised Statutes of Ontario, Chapter 121, Section 56, that all persons having claims against the estate of MARY LESLIE, who died 19th April, 1917, at Esquesing, in the said County, are required to send by post or to deliver to the undersigned on or before the 10th day of May, 1917, their names, addresses, full particulars of their claims, and the nature of the security, if any, held by them, all duly verified by statutory declaration. After the said date the executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have notice and they shall not be liable for the assets or any part of them to any person of whose claim notice shall not have been received by them at the time of such distribution.

Dated at Milton this 25th day of April, 1917.

WILLIAM I. DICK, Milton, Ontario, Solicitor for Executors. 4.