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The Separation.

BY JOHN M. M'COY.

What a goose you are, Sybilla, said Mrs. Kingsford. He'll never know it. And if he does, what fault can be found? It's nothing but a surprise party; all masked of course, and—

"Oh, yes, said Sybilla, doubtfully; but Basil particularly dislikes surprise masquerades, and I promised him I would never take part in one."

"You silly little thing! said Mrs. Kingsford, good-naturedly tapping Sybilla Maurice's cheek with her fan. Now's the time to conquer all your husband's prejudices, or never."

"Take matters into your own hands at once. Not a year married and afraid of your husband."

"Why, what's to become of you. I'd like to know, at this rate?" Sybilla hung her head and colored, feeling as if she had been guilty of she knew not what amount of moral cowardice and poltroonery.

Mrs. Kingsford saw her advantage, and went on— "I've ordered the prettiest costume in the world for you—an Eastern odalisque, all pink satin and gold fringes. I'm to be a gypsy fortune-teller. Wear all that."

"It will be the most perfect thing of the season. And now, Sybilla, if you deliberately insist upon turning us out of your house—"

"Oh, I shouldn't do that, of course, said Sybilla, and, as you say, Basil is not to return from the county until next week, and there need be no real harm done, and one can't very well be rude to one's friends."

"No, certainly not," said Mrs. Kingsford, well pleased at the success of her special pleading.

But when that matron had taken her departure, and the glamor of her persuasive presence was withdrawn, Sybilla sat down to think matters over.

Her heart quailed within her. After all, what were Mrs. Kingsford and her bevy of gay associates to the young wife compared with Basil's love?

How she wished she had spoken out a prompt denial at once.

"But it's too late now," said Sybilla, half aloud.

"They are all coming, and I don't want them to think me inhospitable."

The windy, snowy March evening came, and Sybilla Maurice's drawing-room, so artistically decorated by her husband's loving care, was thrown open to a miscellaneous crowd, who pored not a straw for their hostess, except in so far as to enjoy her elegant apartments, and make her servants subordinate to their convenience.

Lights sparkled. Flowers hung in blossoming pendants from the chandeliers, and made stately festoons across the beautifully carved walnut portals.

The band was playing merrily. A medley tribe of Red Cross Knights, gypsies, queens daughters of the regiment, Druids, and Continentals sauntered hither and thither.

Sybilla Maurice, in her exceedingly becoming costume of an odalisque, was losing her sense of wrong-doing in the fascination of the scene, when a servant came to her with a whispered message.

"There is a gentleman asking to see you in the library, ma'am."

"Who is it, Bessie?"

"He said tell you a gentleman, ma'am."

"Another surprise, I suppose?" And Sybilla tripped off, removing her pink satin mask, as she passed out of the noisy atmosphere of the congregated guests.

The library was illuminated only by a drop-light.

The fire glowed low on the marble hearth.

The sounds from the brilliant rooms beyond reached this quiet nook, as if they came from another world. A gentleman stood by the table. Sybilla's heart gave a sudden, tumultuous throb as she recognized her husband.

"Sybilla! he said, in low, earnest tones, 'what is this?'"

She looked up with frightened, luminous eyes into his grave stern face.

"Indeed, Basil, she faltered, 'I have not invited them. It is a surprise party.'"

"A surprise that is most unpalatable to me," he said coldly.

"And your dress—scanning the satin trowsers and glistening, gold-fringed robes. 'I congratulate you upon a costume which would do justice to a merry-andrew, or a dancing girl in a theatre.'"

"Basil, forgive me?"

She shrank before his sarcasm, as a rootless flower withers up before the scathing noon sunshin.

"I will go to a hotel, he said, coldly. 'My own house is no home for me. My wife has proved herself unworthy of the trust I reposed in her.'"

"Sybilla, I cannot believe in a mere empty show of married happiness, when the life is all gone out of it. You had better return to your aunt as soon as practicable."

"A suitable allowance shall be made for you, and you will have an opportunity to consider the wisdom of your late proceedings at leisure."

And half an hour later when Kingsford came to look for the tress, to inquire why she had delayed so long, she found odalisque fainting on the sofa, her satin mask beside her, the girdle dress glistening faintly.

"Have you heard?"

Does he say anything? Aunt Janet, a lady, who always wears black silks, and the low old lace, shook her head fully.

"He encloses the quarters, and, Sybilla, that is all!"

Sybilla Maurice's countenance fell.

"Oh, if he would but write a single word—if he would only say 'How is she?' If he would evince by but a word that he sometimes thought of me!" she wailed. "Two years—and not one loving word."

Janet looked sadly down upon her niece's bowed head.

"It is your own fault, Sybilla."

"But I have been punished for it so bitterly, aunt! And I love him still, oh, so dearly!"

Janet shook her head and knitted away in silence.

"This was one of the inscrutable life-riddles for which she could see no solution."

Sybilla had been giddy and foolish, Basil vindictive and inexorable.

They wrought out their own destiny, and she could see no alternative but for them to abide by it.

But all the same, the tears dropped softly on her work as she knitted away.

Alone—all alone!

Basil Maurice, sitting by his solitary fire-side, could not amuse his restless mind by the columns of the newspaper, on that stormy March night.

He threw it aside, and letting his forehead drop into his hands, abandoned himself to melancholy thought.

All day long the presence of Sybilla had seemed to him near.

He had smelt the perfume she generally carried about with her—a subtle, sweet atmosphere, and had been half angry when he traced it to a bunch of flowers that his sister had placed on the library table.

to rustle in the very doorway. But Basil was on his guard against all such delusions now.

He never stirred, nor lifted his head from its dejected posture.

"Basil! oh, my husband!" He started up, and saw Sybilla kneeling at his feet.

Sybilla, pale and lovely, with pleading, uplifted eyes, and hands clasped in the passion of entreaty.

"Oh, forgive me, my husband! Oh, take me back to your heart. Let the past be blotted out from between us, and let us begin our world anew."

Basil Maurice, clasping his long-estranged wife to his heart, felt how impossible it is for Resolution to conquer Love.

"Little Sybilla, he answered, in a choked voice, 'we have both been wrong, but I erred most grievously. Let it be as you say. Let us both begin again.'"

Mrs. Kingsford, who somehow contrived to find out most that was going on, declared that Mrs. Maurice was a great fool to sutreat her husband's pardon in that spiritless sort of way.

"I would not be to him," said Basil more emphatically.

But Mrs. Kingsford, who was not to be outwitted, said, "What's the use of acting such a blame fool. You love Sook?"

"No, I don't, uh, hah, hah."

"Yes, you do."

"I don't nuther."

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"Would you give her to me if I waster want to marry her?"

"Yes, you may have her. Come here, Sook, calling the girl."

"What do you want, dad?" she said, entering the room.

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"Makin' uv a steer-yoke, uh, hah, hah."

"What's Lige doin'?"

"Ain't doin' nothin'. Dun gone to meetin' with a gal, uh, hah, hah."

"What's your mother doin'?"

"Got sorter bother on her quilt an' is a cardin' uv her bats to-day."

"Made your plant bed yet?"

"We've made one uv them but we ain't made the big one what we flow-ed to make."

"Sam!"

"Yes, sar."

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The Readjuster party found the free schools in a dead or dying condition. The funds that were sacredly dedicated to the education of the poor children of Virginia by the Constitution had been diverted by Funder officials and found their way into the pockets of the bondholders.

The Readjuster party found a disgraceful restriction upon suffrage, placed there by Bourbonism, and intended to disfranchise a considerable number of the citizens of Virginia.

Strange to say, after Readjustment had done these good things for our State the people allowed the Funders to come again into power.

Ye men of Virginia, to the rescue! The telegraph brings the news that W. L. Royall has started to London to urge upon the foreign bondholders, that they should compromise the Virginia debt.

WOOL is selling at from fifteen to twenty cents under good Democratic rule. What do our farmer friends think of this?

CLEVELAND has demanded that the resignation of a postmaster in Mississippi be called for; and Mr. Vilas has called for it.

WHY didn't the Democratic House of Representatives pass the Blair Educational Bill at the last session of Congress? Investigate the matter.

GEN. WYATT M. ELLIOT is spoken of as a candidate for the Republican nomination for Governor. He is a good man.

GEN. GRANT is getting no better and seems to be growing no worse. He works some on his book nearly every day.

THE hungry office seekers are growing very restless under the delays of the administration.

How about the bettered condition of the workingmen under a Democratic administration.

WHEN are the good times coming? When the Republicans take charge of affairs again, State and National.

OH what a sweet mess Cleveland and his underlings are making of the government.

WILL the people be deceived by the Bourbons this fall? We think not.

THE people would like to know the condition of the State treasury.

Curious Story About Riel's Uprising.

The London Press Association publishes a story to the effect that Alfred Aylward, the ex-Fenian, and famous in connection with the Boer rebellion, also had much to do with Riel's uprising in the northwest.

WHAT RIEL SAYS In a recent interview Riel declared that the half-breeds were forced to fight by the mounted police and Hudson Bay officials.

A Lady in Despair. A St. Louis (Mo.) special of the 28th says: At a late hour last night a young woman giving the name of Flora Emily Dowds broke the show window of John Boland's jewelry store.

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Death of Col. Daniel Dechert, Editor of "The Spirit of the Valley."

HARRISONBURG, VA., May 31.

Col. Daniel Dechert, editor of The Spirit of the Valley, died very suddenly of heart disease at his residence in this place this morning at 4:30 o'clock.

He had been indisposed for several weeks, but awoke this morning at 4 o'clock, remarking to his wife that he felt a great deal better, and went into an adjoining room to start a fire in the grate.

He fell asleep, but was soon aroused by the presence of smoke in her room, and jumping out of bed was horrified to find Mr. Dechert partly lying in the grate and his clothing burning.

He got no sympathy. N. Y. Times. The last cent which Matthew Dougherty possessed he spent yesterday morning to gain admission to the promenade of the Brooklyn bridge.

He reached the New York street in his no harm. The party No. 431 west is, according to report, nineteen years old.

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Call for Republican Convention.

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I. That the Republican voters of the counties for each precinct in the State assemble at their respective polling places on SATURDAY...

Such precinct meetings shall be called to order and for the same a temporary chairman and secretary designated by any member of the County or City Committee present...

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