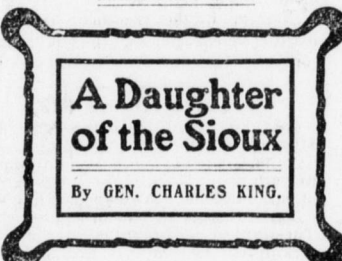




EGOTIST AND HIS PICTURE.

An egotist sat down one day To look the family album through; The dust of years upon it lay, The clasp with verdigris was blue.



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CHAPTER XIX.

The columns of Col. Henry and Maj. Webb, as said "the chief," had united, and here were two men who could be counted on to push the pursuit "for all they were worth."

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knew not how—mysteriously as the anarchists' warnings are said to find their way to the very bedside of the guarded Romanoffs.

Secretly Flint was doing his best to discover the bearer when came the bold riders from the north with their thrilling news.

Flint believed her to be connected in some way with the coming of the disturbing note, which was why he compelled her detention at the guard-house.

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and the others, had pushed on in pursuit of certain braves who had scampered into the thick of the hills, carrying a few of the wounded and prisoners with them.

And yet Blake had found time to write to his winsome wife—to send her an important missive and most important bit of news.

"Think of it, Madie," she cried, "Think of it! Gerald's first words, almost are, 'Take good care of that pouch and contents,' and now pouch and contents are gone! Whoever

It seems that when a lad of 18, "Eagle Wing" had been sent to Carlisle, where he ran the gamut of scrapes of every conceivable kind.

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Little group of eager listeners when Pink Marble, factotum of the trader's store, came hurrying forth from the adjutant's office, speedily followed by Maj. Flint.

First there were stifled sounds of scuffle from the interior of the guard-house; then shrill, wrathful screams; then a woman's voice uplifted in wild upbraiding in an unknown tongue.

And then another woman's voice, rich, deep, ringing, powerful, fell on the ears of the amazed, swift-gathering throng, with the marvelous order: "Stand where you are! You shan't touch a hair of her head! She's a chief's daughter. She's my own kin, and I'll answer for her to the general himself.

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Two minutes were discussing the characteristics of a third, who was known for his zeal as a controversialist.

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