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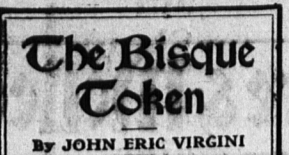
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THE GUARDIAN'S SHORT STORY



The Bisque Token By JOHN ERIC VIRGINI

The long sand beach seemed to be deserted—not a single soul in view. Suddenly from the gray timbers of a wrecked vessel's stern rose Dickie Boy's head. Half kneeling in his worn and scanty garments, he rested a hand on the jagged edge of a beam and, craning his neck, looked up and down the beach.

For a second he knelt there, facing the gleaming sea. The sun was in the west, but it was still bright. Well, it was early yet. She usually came a bit earlier, he thought. He hastily dived into one of his pockets and from the tangle that crammed it extracted three marbles, a fishhook and his dearly bought treasure. The salesgirl had wrapped it daintily for him with narrow white ribbon, and he held it carefully, almost reverently, in both brown little hands.

"Jimminy, I'm glad I've got something to give her before she goes away—something to remember me by."

For a quarter hour more the sun marched toward the western horizon, and then she came. But, alas, she was not alone! A man was with her—not one of her numerous summer admirers, but a man whom Dickie never had seen. He was young and vigorous, but there was something about him that bespoke age—a steamed, even a hardness, as of one who had fought battles, as of one who had arranged the border of her blue serge skirt close to her russet shoes. She was intent upon speaking of impersonalities. The man looked out to sea, whence came the fitful tone of disconcerting intervals.

"Wind's in our direction," he remarked briefly.

"What makes it so sad?" she speculated idly, picking up a pebble and throwing it into the surf. "The irregularity of the sound, do you think?"

"Irregularity is not necessarily sad," the man objected. "I think perhaps it's the aimlessness, the futility of it, dear. A bell ought to call people together, and this one warns them off. Therefore it's lonely. It may never be lonely. That's why it's sad, little girl."

"The bell awing at the messy of the wind and water. Its sound came to them in the pauses of the surf."

"Keep away, keep away!" chanted the girl, with the same measured intervals. "Yes, I don't know but you're right. It's a rather doleful burden."

While the girl looked silently out to sea he reverently studied her face, with its somewhat pale beauty—the effects of the gold hair under the yachting cap and that of the chastening indifference of her eyes.

Suddenly he rose and stood before her, his broad shoulders silhouetted against the growing pink of the western sky.

"I'm going away again, Eleanor," he said. "I'm going tonight. I thought when I came back that you might love me. Perhaps you do. I don't know. You don't know yourself. But I've lost my old boyish faith, you see. I distrust you, and you distrust yourself—and so—it is hopeless."

He spoke with a bitterness that seemed involuntary. Then for one brief second he stooped and laid his face against the soft hair on her forehead. She could not see the yearning tenderness of his expression, but there was a flush on her cheeks and a light in her eyes.

"You see, Blair," she said slowly, "it's so hard for me to know my own mind, I—"

"Yes," he threw in, a little frown on his forehead, "and it wasn't so very different five years ago."

"You mean to reproach me, Blair?" The flush on the girl's face was deeper now, but the light had died out. The note of trouble in her voice melted him. Unconsciously he sat down again on the timbers.

I had purposely broken your heart. You wouldn't want me to marry you if I hadn't surely made up my mind, would you? And I can't help it if nature deliberately made me a coquette—so there!" She tossed a handful of sand into space. She was angry with herself for the foolish tears that had started.

Then there came a startled little cry of pain. Some of the sand had blown directly into Dickie Boy's blue eyes.

A few moments later, when he had been drawn out into the light and had stammered his honest excuses, he laid the ribbon wrapped packet in his lady's lap and would have turned and fled, but his limbs seemed to have lost the power of locomotion.

Eleanor swiftly untied the ribbon while Dickie watched her adoringly. He was not afraid of her, ever, but of the big strange gentleman with the serious eyes.

"Oh, oh, oh!" cried Eleanor. "What a dear, cunning little heart!" She held up a heart shaped pin tray between her eyes and the light. "And it's bisque, real bisque. But who sent it, Dickie Boy?"

"I bought it, I did," assured Dickie, swilling with dignity.

"Why, Dickie, Dickie Boy! Wherever in the world did you get so much money?" she said tenderly, drawing him down to her side and pushing back his locks of hair while she looked into his eyes.

"Worked," answered Dickie laconically, displaying his hard, brown little hands, which showed unmistakable signs of wrestle with a stubborn soil.

"Oh, Dickie, Dickie Boy! And you did all this for me?"

"Do more'n that for you, I would. I'd do anything for you," said he stoutly. "An' I wanted you to have something to remember me by when you was gone."

Involuntarily Eleanor turned to the grave face behind her. Blair had not spoken. He was looking at the cliffs which frowned darkly against the glow of the sunset sky, and it suddenly struck her how deep were the lines that loneliness and pain had carved. Quickly she glanced down again at the adoring small countenance on her arm.

Years before Blair's face had worn that same look of boyish idolatry. The remembrance of it touched her now as his many devotion had failed to do.

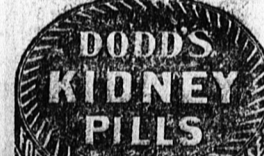
"I'll keep the little heart always, Dickie," she said, rising from the sand and stooping to kiss the boy's forehead as she did so.

"An' you won't break it?" inquired Dickie anxiously. Eleanor smiled strangely. The bit of bisque had come to her as a token.

"No, Dickie Boy, I shall never break any more hearts, I think—never any more." Turning to the man, she said gently: "Blair, dear, I'd like to walk up the hill and see the last of the sunset. Will you come?"

The man stopped at sight of the girl's face. There was about it a strange radiance that touched while it uplifted him.

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