

A DREAM.

I dreamed I had hard words with you Last night, dear love, I know not why, Some trivial word or act of yours Had roused my anger, and when I Awoke my heart and brain Were smarting with the wrong and pain.

ROMANCE OF THE PLAINS

One of the best-known characters of southern Arizona is Billy Long, one of the pluckiest little scouts that ever "pumped lead" into a band of blood-thirsty, throat-cutting Indians.

The Little Scout, as he is sometimes called, is a Texan by birth, and as far back as he can remember he has been on the frontier driving cattle, fighting Indians and playing hide-and-seek with nature in search of her precious metals.

Several years ago, when that well-known pioneer, Charlie Benham, was making a great effort to develop the silver mines of northern Mexico, he employed Billy to drive a stage running between the city of Hermosillo and one of his mining camps in the Cananea mountains.

Selecting two of the best horses in his corral, Benham had one loaded with Winchester rifles, Colt revolvers and ammunition, and begged Billy to make all haste in reaching the unsuspecting miners in the mountains.

All that night he rode and the next day and the next night, never stopping to sleep or give his animals a moment's rest. On the morning of the second day he reached the foothills of the Cananea mountains.

Billy turned in the direction the horse was looking and discovered a band of Indians scarcely a mile away, coming over a low hill which had hitherto shut them out from view.

The Indians, who had been watching closely all that was taking place, saw Billy was going to make a fight and dismounted. Under cover of rocks and bushes they began to close in on the pile of rocks where he had taken refuge.

The chance could not be missed, and with the sharp crack of the little scout's Winchester a good Apache died. A volley from all sides answered the shot, but the bullets only flattened on the rocks close around, and without harming him, sung unpleasantly close to his ears.

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the Cananea mines to be abandoned. Billy being out of employment, asked for and received a position as scout and guide for the forces which had been sent in pursuit of Geronimo.

On one occasion Billy, with two other scouts and four soldiers and four soldiers, was sent from Fort Huachuca, in Pima county, Arizona, to join Lawton's command, which was supposed to somewhere in the Azul mountains in Sonora.

To quiet matters down Billy ordered him to fall back in the rear of the party and to keep in that position during the balance of the way.

In the summer of 1886 Billy had a romantic and thrilling experience down in the District of Saueripi, some three hundred miles south of the border line.

Billy and his partner were handsomely entertained, and in the evening the doctor called in a few of his neighbors to have a frolic in an inner courtyard of his place.

She danced several times with Billy, and seemed perfectly happy as long as he remained by her side; but the moment he left her to dance with anyone else she seemed to give way to a fit of melancholy.

Early next morning the two scouts set out for Bacanora and arrived there late in the afternoon. The trail between the two towns leads through an exceedingly rugged range, which has always been a favorite hiding place for roving bands of Apaches.

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Apache tribe right behind her," chimed in the companion.

The woman was now only a few yards away and it could plainly be seen that the bosom of her plain calico dress was saturated with blood.

"Cuidado! Los Indios! Los Apaches!" and the next instant she fell heavily forward into his arms. Billy eased the girl gently to the ground, and tearing open her dress, tried to staunch the blood which flowed from two gaping wounds in her breast.

"Look here, Billy, we'll have to get out of this mighty quick. The cusses are slipping up on us all around."

"And leave that girl's body here to be torn to pieces by the breach-clouted devils?" remarked Billy; "not much. I'm going to take her with us or die trying."

He meant just what he said, and regardless of the heavy fire which was opened on him whenever he exposed himself to view, he succeeded in lifting the girl's body to the back of the horse she had rode and securing it to the saddle with his lariats.

The next morning a sad procession of several hundred men set out on the trail for Saueripi, escorting poor Carolina's remains. Billy was gloomy and despondent all during the journey, and recalling all the events of the dance at the doctor's house he could not help thinking that he was in some way to blame for Carolina's death.

At Saueripi he learned the truth. The Indians had suddenly turned about and taken the back trail. They reached the vicinity of Saueripi the day Billy left and killed several people close to the town.

Billy was never forgotten this tragic event, and while he never loved the girl, whom he only met on the one occasion, yet it would be as much as a man's life is worth to lightly refer to "monkey-face."

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THEY BLOOM IN THE SPRING.

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