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## A LOVE TOXIN

By LULU EVERHART

"I wish that my daughter would marry," said Clark Dana to his family physician, Dr. Hunt. "I'm getting old, have no son, only the one child, and I would infinitely prefer to see her provided with a protector before I die."

"Have you any young man in view for her?" asked the doctor.

"I would like her to marry her cousin, Harry Dexter. He is an estimable young man, steady as an ox team and would make her a good husband."

Dr. Hunt was lost in thought a few moments, then said:

"I have often thought that, since science is doing so much in other respects, it should take advantage of the great work being done every day in the field of the imagination. I verily believe that if I could inspire your daughter with the idea that she is in love with her cousin she would be in love with him."

"But if you told her she was or that you wanted her to be it would produce the opposite effect."

"Very likely. However, I have long desired to try an experiment, and I would be glad to find a subject in your Susie. She is very young—barely eighteen, I believe—and impressive. There she is now, sitting out in the yard with her embroidery. Suppose we go and sit under the same tree with her. I will do some discoursing for her benefit."

The two men went to where the girl was, pretending that they had come outside to get cool. Seating themselves they continued the conversation.

"Recent discoveries," said the doctor, "have developed the relations between the brain—or the soul, as some persons will have it—and our physical natures. Many conditions which we have heretofore considered mental are symptoms of disease. Irritation or temper is a symptom of disordered nerves. Hatred may be produced by an affection of the kidneys. Now, there has recently been discovered a substance which used as a toxin will produce love."

"You don't mean it?" exclaimed Mr. Dana. Miss Susie looked up with an expression of awakened interest.

"Yes, sir, my friend Dr. Tobin has been experimenting on this line for ten years and has succeeded in producing a veritable love toxin."

"Are you joking, doctor?"

"If you think I am I will get you some of the serum, and you can try it on whomsoever you like."

"I should certainly be pleased to have a little of it!"

"Very well; I'll send you some this evening."

"How long a time is required for the serum to act?"

"Sometimes within a few days, other times a few weeks or months."

Now, it occurred to Miss Susie that she would lay in wait, as the doctor well knew she would, for the love serum, and very likely she would try it on herself. He was not disappointed. That night she stole into her father's room and carried off the bottle that had been sent him. Her father, having satisfied himself where it had gone, sent an invitation to his nephew, whom he knew was in love with Susie, to come and spend some time with the family at his country place. When Dexter arrived his uncle led him into the scheme that was being practiced on Susie. Harvey was delighted and ready to do his part in the matter.

A few days after the young lady had begun to take the love toxin she and Dexter were sitting together under the tree where the plot had been hatched.

"It seems to me," remarked her cousin, "that there is a singular look about you today."

"What kind of a look?"

"Oh, a dreamy, languid, half sad, half joyful look."

The girl remarked to herself, "I've got it!"

"There's something the matter with me too. Ever since I came here I have felt very much as you look."

This time she said inwardly, "He's caught it from me."

"Somehow I feel drawn to you, Susie, as never before. What do you suppose it is?"

"I don't know, Harvey. What do you think it is?"

"I don't know either."

"How do you feel toward me?"

"Why, I feel like putting my arm around your waist, drawing you toward me—this way—and giving you a kiss. How do you feel?"

"Why, I feel as you feel."

Susie leaned back. Harvey put his fingers under her chin, raised her face and kissed her on the lips.

"I wonder," he said, "what made me do that?"

"I know."

"What?"

"I don't like to say; it isn't my part to say."

"It seems to me it's love."

"So it is." And she told him about the love toxin.

The next day Mr. Dana called up Dr. Hunt on the telephone.

"The serum has worked. The one inoculated gave the disease to the other."

"Good. Are they engaged?"

"She has sent Harvey to me to ask for her."

"Then they no longer need treatment from me?"

"No; send in your bill."

"My fee is a champagne supper."

"All right; I'll pay Saturday night."

## ABSTRACT REPORT Of instruments filed in the office of Recorder of Deeds.

DEEDS.

J. C. Rush to E. E. Basey. Lot 3, block 2 Lamonta. \$13.  
J. R. Helfrich to O'Neil Bros. Co. Lot 3 block 2 Lamonta. \$300.

Inland Empire Co. to Oregon Trunk Ry. Part of nwn<sup>1</sup> section 28 11-13. \$10.

Madras Land Co. to W. E. Barber. se<sup>1</sup> section 6-12-13. \$10.

George B. Bishop to J. C. Cokerham. nwn<sup>1</sup> & ne<sup>1</sup>nw<sup>1</sup> section 12-12-12. \$10.

Robert F. Armstrong to J. Merle Roby. al. Lots 2 & 3 section 31-12-14. \$1.

Madras Townsite Co. to Ed Hodapp. Lot 3 block 3 Palmain. \$300.

Bertie May Owen to School District No. 49. 150 feet square in sw<sup>1</sup>sw<sup>1</sup> section 6-10-13. \$1.

Baldwin Sheep Co. to School District No. 25. Tract in se<sup>1</sup>sw<sup>1</sup> section 14-11-16. \$1.

Easton I. Harvey to John T. Ross. sw<sup>1</sup> section 10-11-13. \$5000.

Ora Van Tassel et ux. to Vanora Townsite Co. Townsite of Vanora. \$12,000.

Florence E. Colter to Eugene Cummings. wn<sup>1</sup>w<sup>1</sup> & w<sup>1</sup>sw<sup>1</sup> section 141-01-3. \$1.

Elizabeth E. Fisch to J. G. Fisch. n<sup>1</sup>se<sup>1</sup> section 12-121-2. \$1.

Edwin B. Perrin to Martha McPherson. se<sup>1</sup>ne<sup>1</sup> section 26-10-16. \$1.

Martha McPherson to Bidwell Cram. se<sup>1</sup>ne<sup>1</sup> section 26-10-16. \$320.

Wade Siler to W. H. Culp. Lot 12 block 72 Depot Addition to Madras. \$75.

C. V. Wilson to George W. Combs. se<sup>1</sup>ne<sup>1</sup> section 4-13-13. \$25.

Max Lueddeman to H. [C. White. Lot 5 block 1, lots 6, 89, 11 & 13 block 2, lots 1, 2, 5, 6, 13, 14, 17 & 18, block 3, lots 7, 8, 17 & 18 block 4, lots 5, 6, 7, 12, 13, 14 block 5, First Addition to Palmain. \$1.

C. M. Bedford to School District No. 52. Tract in se<sup>1</sup>se<sup>1</sup> section 31-11-13. \$30.

Walter Ruble to Rachel Randolph. T ract in sw<sup>1</sup>nw<sup>1</sup> section 12-11-13. \$1000.

PATENTS.

Christ Hari. e<sup>1</sup>sw<sup>1</sup> & sw<sup>1</sup>sw<sup>1</sup> section 29 and se<sup>1</sup>se<sup>1</sup> section 30 -11-13.

Louisa E. Freeburg. ne<sup>1</sup>sw<sup>1</sup> section 34-9-14.

Elizabeth E. Fisch. s<sup>1</sup>ne<sup>1</sup> & n<sup>1</sup>se<sup>1</sup> section 12-12-12.

Kate Mathers. n<sup>1</sup>nw<sup>1</sup> section 2 3 and ne<sup>1</sup>ne<sup>1</sup> section 2 6-14.

Effie I. Rice. sw<sup>1</sup>ne<sup>1</sup> & sw<sup>1</sup>nw<sup>1</sup> & nw<sup>1</sup>sw<sup>1</sup> section 3-12-4.

Albert D. Thayer. n<sup>1</sup>ne<sup>1</sup> & se<sup>1</sup>ne<sup>1</sup> & ne<sup>1</sup>se<sup>1</sup> section 2-0-4.

Register's final receipt to William C. Young for nw<sup>1</sup> section 32-13-13.

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"Hold on, old man," said the clerk; "you're in the wrong department. Marriage bureau on the left, three aisles down."—Philadelphia Record.

Good Advice.

A Sewickley father recently gave his son some excellent advice.  
"Now that you are married, my son," said he, "listen to me."  
"What is it, dad?"  
"Try to be a husband, not merely an ex-bachelor."—Pittsburgh Post.

Stung.

"Yes, Waldo, appearances is deceitful! Here I follored a guy wot looked like a millionaire ten blocks to git dis cigar butt an' it ain't nutthin' but a 'two-fer' after all."—New Orleans Picayune.

Sarcastic.

Cholly—D'you know, I'm sometimes inclined to think— Clara (encouragingly)—Why don't you do it, Cholly? It's not such a difficult thing if you really try.

Life is too short for stupid quarrels. —Philip Gibbs.

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