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no good until I painted it to look like a bird, and the king sent his wife up, instead of a slave to feed it, so the woman should be my wife."

So they stood quarreling and quarreling until they saw a man coming along the road, and called him in to settle it. They told him about what each had done. He knew not how to answer, but told them this story,

"One time a lot of men owned a fine chorten,<sup>1</sup> and as they couldn't decide to whom it belonged they cut it into pieces and divided it." So these six men drew their knives and slew the girl.

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<sup>1</sup> A chorten is a stupa, or pagoda, sometimes of gold, more often made of clay, of religious significance.























