

KEARNEY'S PROMISE.

'Great advantages in being left-handed, aunty!

'Thieves don't look for pocket-books on the left side, burglars can't dodge a left-hand shot, a man can write two love-letters at a time, or shake hands with himself, eh, aunty?

'Now if I had been a right-handed man, I should never have been able to save myself from a terrible fall as I did last night, when my mare bolted past the rocks and would have whirled me out of my saddle if I had not caught at a tree-bough just above me on the left, and hung there like Absalom or Mohammed's coffin between heaven and earth.

'Couldn't have hung by my hair, though, could I? Well, Parson Allen says Absalom didn't, either, so I am not out of the way, after all.'

Carroll Kearney, stout, strong, rich and handsome, running his fingers through his close-cut curls and nut-brown whiskers, stood at the door of his lodge-keeper's cottage, in the early September sunshine, looking down on a quaint, fair little old woman who sat knitting industriously. She was the mother of his most valued farm-hand, John Ellis, who, with a comely wife and child group of three, like a clover-leaf, lived here, where his father before him had served a former generation of Carrolls in the big white house on the hill above the belt of evergreens.

'Aunty, what in the world are you thinking about? You've dropped lots of stitches, and your glasses are as dim as old Shawangunk when the storm is coming over,' said Carroll, as he looked down at the dear old woman who loved him so well. She started a little, and laid down her knitting as she answered softly.

'Oh, I was 'way, 'way back in the old times, Master Carroll, when you were a little yellow-haired laddie, and the wee left hand first had to learn its lesson. I can see you now all white and limp, with your broken right arm hanging down, and your mother crying and—and—'

'Never mind, aunty. Don't talk about it,' said Carroll, and then with his head turned away he was silent. He stooped to pick up his riding whip, which had fallen out of his hand, and bending its supple length well nigh together he said hurriedly.

'Was he, I mean my father, sorry?' 'They say he fell down on his knees beside you, and vowed if God should spare your life, he never—shall I go on, Master Carroll?'

Aunt Ellis looked up wistfully in the face, darkened by bitter memories, as Carroll answered, 'Ah, ah—vowed he would never drink a drop again, and broke his vow and his neck, before the year was out, leaving mother and me to fight our own way through life. You see I know it all, aunty. A man finds somebody good enough to tell him such things, whatever else he fails to learn.'

'Well, well, at least I have no inheritance of thirst, and shall never go that road to ruin. I can drink when I choose, and I can let it alone, can't I, aunty? Ah, there's John, now I am off and away.'

As Carroll mounted his waiting pony tied outside the gate and rode off, John Ellis tured away with a heavy sigh, but his mother's voice arrested him.

Pointing with her released knitting-needle toward the gallant figure, lessening to their view, she said,

'John, is he going his father's road?' and Aunt Ellis lifted her dimming eyes to her son's solemnly. He took his old red handkerchief out of the hat which he held in his hand and let it fall again idly, once or twice, before he answered,

'I'm afeared, yes, mother, I'm mortally afeared; down to Dobbin's ev'ry night, comin' home all sorts of hours. Nothin' but the good Lord's hand that saved him from havin' his brains dashed out last night, when the mare took her head straight past the rocks at the turn of the road, can save him now. It's bad—bad—bad, though he thinks he a'n't a drinkin' man.'

John punched his handkerchief into the old hat crown as if to relieve his mind, and Aunt Ellis clasped her trembling old hands as she said: 'Just so his father went! Open hand and loving heart, but never a brake to turn or stop him on his way down hill.'

'Ah, John, if you could see it as I can, after all these years, when Carroll's father held him up over the balcony so all the farm-hands and neighbors, who were keeping holiday in honor of Carroll's third birthday, could see him in his little suit of navy-blue, his yellow curls a flyin' and his bright eyes dancing!

'And then, when the unsteady hands that held him and let go! The child struck on the ground below, the right arm on a jagged stone, and his mother, whiter than the frock she wore, came flying to the baby's side.'

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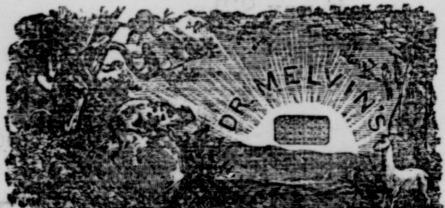
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ALL that tract of land and premises situate lying and being as follows, that is to say: Commencing on the north side of the Fort Augustus Road, at the south-east angle of a farm of land in the possession of Thomas Ceerley; from thence north fifty chains, or to the northern boundary of the said John Hensley's land; thence east five chains; thence south to the said road, and from thence west to place of commencing, containing by estimation Twenty-five acres, a little more or less, and being part of Lot or Township Number Thirty-six, in Queen's County, together with all rights, members and appurtenances there-to belonging.

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FRANCIS KELLY, Mortgagee.

Dec. 2, 1878—law t sale

THE above Sale is hereby postponed till TUESDAY, the Twenty-fifth day of February 1879, then to take place at the hour and place above mentioned

FRANCIS KELLY, Mortgagee.

Prince Edward Island.

IN CHANCERY.

SILAS BARNARD, Executor of the last Will and Testament of James Coles, deceased, Complainant.

—AND—

THOMAS REILLY, CATHERINE REILLY and MARY G. REILLY, by her Guardian, Hannah Reilly, Defendants.

In pursuance of a decree made in this suit by His Honor the Vice Chancellor, bearing date the nineteenth day of November, instant, A. D. 1878, there will be sold by PUBLIC AUCTION, on Monday, the twenty-fourth day of February next, A. D. 1879, at twelve o'clock, noon, at the Supreme Court House in Charlottetown, in Queen's County—

ALL that Tract, Piece or Parcel of Land being part of Town Lot Number Eighty-nine the third hundred of Town Lots in Charlottetown, commencing at the northeast angle of said Town Lot, on the southeast edge of Kent Street; thence, following the course of the same, westwardly for the distance of eighty-six feet and eight inches; thence, by a right-angle line with said Kent Street, south-eastwardly for the distance of forty-eight feet and six inches; thence, by a line parallel with said Kent Street, eastwardly for the distance of thirty feet; thence, by a right angle therewith, north-westwardly for the distance of six feet; thence by a line running north-eastwardly to the southwest angle of the dwelling house; thence, by a line at right angles with the course of Prince Street, eastwardly thirty one feet to the westward edge of said Prince Street; thence, following the course of the same, north-westwardly thirty-one feet to the place of commencement; together with the buildings and improvements thereon and the appurtenances thereunto belonging.

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