

Jeannie Sinclair,

THE LILY OF THE STRATH.

All the inmates of the farm-house vied with each other in ministering to his wants, and in doing all manner of thoughtful acts for his comfort.

The youth was made to blush at being the object of such universal and excessive regard, but he could not help acknowledging to himself that he felt it very delightful.

After the afternoon, when he had been left to himself to enjoy perfect quietness, the door was opened so gently and noiselessly that he was aware of it only by feeling it moving.

Jeannie entered, her colour heightened a little, but too much under the influence of true genuine emotion to manifest either shyness or hesitation.

She thought he might be asleep, but found his dark eyes gazing full upon her, and a smile of glad recognition upon his countenance.

"Oh, sir, I am so sorry to have been the cause of this," she murmured, as she came near to his couch, her fair countenance clouded by a look of distress.

"Nay, then, we are likely to differ on that point," he answered, the smile deepening as he spoke. "I count the adventure a fortunate one, since it has so early and so easily gained me friends in the Strath."

"Now, really, Miss Sinclair, rejoined Denman, you must not add to the flood of thanks which has poured in upon me all day. I am quite overwhelmed by the kindness which one and all unite in showing me."

"All owing to your own generous act of self-sacrifice, sir," returned Jeannie, "but for your noble deed, I should be glad to think what must have befallen me. Oh, sir, to you I owe my life, and life to us who are young is a priceless boon. I am the last to come to thank you for what you did, but I hope you do not deem me the least grateful."

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"Oh, yes, but for Ned, I would have been in great jeopardy again, for no sooner had the bull tossed you into the river than he pursued me again, but Ned came between us, and struck him such a blow with his stick that he grew frightened and fled."

"Stay one moment," said Denman, with a puzzled look. "When tossed by the bull did I fall into the river?"

"Not the first time, but on the second occasion." "Ah, then, the fellow had twice a shy at me. I did not know that—the first fall, I suppose, made me unconscious. Who, then, fished me out? My friend, Ned, I suppose?"

"No, indeed, sir. If you help had come before Ned had time to reach you, your fate would have been beyond recall, but a young gentleman who was shooting on the other side of the stream, plunged in and brought you out."

"Ah, that is news to me, indeed. I must see my deliverer and thank him, when I am able." "And you will like him when you meet him, sir. Robert Douglas is a good, generous-hearted young man. But I am transgressing," she added with a smile and a blush.

"I was strictly enjoined not to allow you to speak. I came only to wait upon you, and here have been talking all the time. We must both be silent now."

"I will obey," returned the youth. "We now understand each other. Only I cannot bear to remain in a stranger's still in my name, an called William Denman. I came on a visit to this Strath, more for pleasure than anything else. My time is my own, so that this mishap does not greatly inconvenience me, and who knows but this locality, to which I have been so strangely introduced, will prove to be a place of no brief or transient acquaintance?"

"I hope it will be so," she smilingly returned. "But, I hope, also, that the enforced confinement to which you are now subject will not be cause of your protracted stay, and, therefore, that your recovery may not be retarded. I must positively prohibit you from speaking more at present."

Denman smiled submission, and a thrill of exquisite happiness shot through all his being when the fair hand of Jeannie Sinclair, with gentle, womanly touch, smoothed the snowy pillow on which his head reclined. TO BE CONTINUED.

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AMARANTH

Lot 22, in the 10th Concession, 292 ac

Lot 17, 18 and 19, 8th Con., 600 acres.

ARTHUR.

South-half of Lot 15, 3rd Con., 100 acres, 60 of which are in a high state of cultivation, and well fenced, watered by a creek crossing the centre of the farm; a two story house and good barn on the lot.

ERAMOSA.

Part of West-half of 2, in the 3rd Con., four acres with a good stone house and log stable.

Lot No. 22, in 1st Con., of which 130 acres are under the plough; good buildings and an orchard; well watered.

Part of 2, in 1st Con., 99 acres, 70 cleared, good building.

East half, in 4th Con., 100 acres, 40 cleared.

ERIN.

West-half of Lot 8, in the 1st Con., 170 acres, so cleared, good frame barn and shed and poultry and frame dwelling house; well watered and fenced.

East-half of Lot 32, 5th Con., 100 acres, 75 ac cleared, a new frame house and barn; spring creek.

West-half of Lot 22, 8th Con., 100 acres; 75 ac cleared; 25 excellent land.

ELORA.

Valuable Tavern Stand for sale in the Village of Elora, at present leased to Robert Cook being his stand 6, corner of Victoria and Walnut Streets, with stabling for 10 horses.

GARAFAXA.

West-half of Lot 1, in 14th Con., with 500 acres of Lot 2—a splendid farm, with good outbuildings—100 acres of it are cleared, and adjacent another 100 acres, 85 of which are cleared, in Erin, making it desired a block of 250 acres.

Lot 11, in 13th Con., 100 acres; 60 acres cleared, all dry land; farm buildings.

GUELPH TOWNSHIP.

Lots 3 and 4, in 3rd Con., Div. D., 140 acres; 90 acres improved; frame dwelling house, and frame bank barn and sheds, well fenced. There is an excellent orchard on the farm; and being so near the Town, and on the Gravel Road, makes this a very Valuable Property.

TOWN OF GUELPH.

Valuable Store—A three story store (with basement) out stone front, fitted up in the best style as a Grocery Store—situated on Wyndham Street, between Higinbotham's corner and Hadden's store. The price is low—the terms are liberal, and the rental will pay a handsome interest to the purchaser.

River Lots on Queen Street, well adapted for Private residences, valuable quarries being on the lots.

Water Privilege and Mill Site, on a fine 13 acres, composed of the north parts of Lots 1, 2, 3 and 4 and Lots 5 and 6, in Oliver's Survey, on the Waterloo road.

Lots 4, 15, 16, 22, 23, 29, 31, 35, 36, 40, 41, 49, 50, 51, in Webster's Survey, lying between Strange Street and the river Street.

Lot 4, on the north side of Pearl Street, with a double frame house.

Lot 155, corner of Gordon and Wellington Sts.—Lots 1943 and 1944, Cambridge Street, on which is erected a frame plastered dwelling house.

Four Quarry Lots, being Nos. 21, 22, 42 and 43 on the Waterloo Road.

Two story brick house on Queen Street, with stable and sheds, at present occupied by Mr. J. P. Martin.

Park Lots in St. Andrew's Church Glebe, containing from 1/2 to 3 acres each.

Nos. 23, 24, 25, 28, 29, 30, 36, 37, 38 and 39, fronting on the Woodwich Road, and 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 2, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 40, 41, 42 and 43 in rear of 105, 106, in one block.

Also, lot 15, five acres, a beautiful lot, well fenced, and in a high state of cultivation.

These lots are admirably adapted for Market Gardens, and the terms of credit are extremely liberal.

Lot 388, Market Street, next to Mr. Heffernan residence.

LUTHER.

North-half Lot 18, in the 4th Con., 160 acres

South-half Lot 19, 4th " 160 "

Lot 2, 7th " 200 "

Lot 15, 5th " 200 "

Lot 25, 7th " 200 "

Lot 14, 11th " 200 "

Lot 15, 11th " 200 "

Lot 19, 12th " 200 "

Lot 16, 13th " 200 "

Lot 11, 13th " 200 "

Lot 19, 13th " 200 "

Lot 14, 15th " 200 "

Lot 5, 9th " 200 "

N 1/2 Lot 13, 9th " 100 "