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DEFENSELESS MAN

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The happiest day in my life was when Alan Constable proposed to me. I had been expecting a declaration for weeks, and perhaps this added to my delight. Alan is a steady, slow going fellow, who never does anything in a hurry.

There is a girl in this town who was once engaged to Alan. I met her at Carrie Watson's last week. Her name is Wentworth—Kate Wentworth—and from all appearances she must be a lovely girl. At any rate, Kate says she is. It must have been embarrassing for Miss Wentworth to meet me, knowing that I was engaged to the man who was once her lover, but she didn't show it. Kate says she has got all over that affair long ago. She said something else I didn't like—that Kate wouldn't marry Alan now if he were worth ten millions.

I haven't been able to sleep nights since I heard that Kate Wentworth wouldn't now marry Alan if she could. I spoke to Alan about his old flame, and he said that he didn't care to discuss the matter. I wonder why. There certainly can't be anything about it that he's ashamed of. Yet what Carrie said about it troubles me. That a girl formerly betrothed to the man one is to marry wouldn't marry him if he had \$10,000,000 is not a pleasant thing for his present fiancée to hear. Suppose he has some weak or bad spot in him that she happened to find out. Pshaw! I resolve solemnly that I'll think no more about it.

I went to call on Carrie the other day and asked her what she meant by saying that Kate Wentworth wouldn't marry Alan now. Kate said she didn't know. When I asked her to tell me something about it, she never mixed herself up in other people's affairs. So I let the matter drop. Just as I was about to leave her she said that out of pure friendship for me she would tell me something she thought I should know. Then she told me that Kate had broken off her engagement with Alan because he had treated her shamefully. I asked what the shameful treatment had consisted in, to which she replied that there were so many things that she didn't care to name them, and Kate wouldn't care to have her do so.

My engagement with Alan is broken. I just couldn't drive out of my head what Carrie had told me about his treatment of Kate Wentworth. At last I told him about it. Instead of hurrying back the accusation like a man, he didn't even deny it. All he said was that I had nothing to do with his previous affairs of the heart nor be with mine. That's all he would say about it. Then I told him that if such things were not cleared up before marriage they would be a thorn in our sides after marriage, and so long as he wouldn't give me any satisfaction in the matter we had better call our engagement off. To this he agreed. I gave him back my beautiful ring. And oh, how I did hate to part with it! I'm very miserable.

Oh, my goodness gracious! I surely shall have nervous prostration. Something awful has happened. The engagement between Alan Constable—my Alan—and Carrie Watson is out. But this isn't all. I've been told by Grace Fuller, Carrie's most intimate friend and one of my own, too, that Carrie is wearing the engagement ring which Alan gave me and which I returned to him. To think that Carrie—the serpent—should have told me all those things about Kate Wentworth and Alan, breaking my match with him then accepting him herself. I do believe she told them to me purposely to part us so that she could get him. Oh, my dear stars! I think I shall go mad.

It is three months since I heard that Alan was engaged to Carrie Watson. Today I have received a note from him saying that his engagement with Carrie lasted only a week and he had only brought it about to show me how silly I was to listen to tales about him. He denies that he ever was engaged to Kate Wentworth. He sent with his note the engagement ring and asked me to accept it as a friendly gift, saying that he has no fault to find with me. I was simply caught in a trap by an unscrupulous woman. He closed by saying that the incident had prejudiced him against marriage and he had decided to stick to his club.

I thought a long while before deciding to accept the ring as a "friendly gift," but finally decided to do so. I alone was at fault. My brother, whom I have told all about the trouble, says

that a man attacked by a woman is practically defenseless and when I was told that he had treated a former fiancée badly I should not have expected him to accuse her or her friend of falsehood. This is a man's view of it. I can't see any harm in one who is maligned by a woman defending himself. To this my brother says that there may be no harm in it, but a thoroughbred will never do it, and if he does it won't do any good. I don't understand this, but I know that Carrie Watson has separated me from the man I love and will always love.

Thirty years later. Neither Alan Constable nor I have ever married.

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Department of the Interior,
U. S. Land Office, at Roseburg, Oregon
October 4th, 1911
Notice is hereby given that George D. Deos, of Bandon, Oregon, who on March 15, 1906, made Homestead entry Serial No. 03925 for Lot 2 Sec. 11, and E. 1-2 NE 1-4 NW 1-4 NE 1-4, Section 10, Township, 30 S., Range 14 West Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final five year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Edgar A. Dodge, United States Commissioner, at Myrtle Point, Oregon, on the 27th day of November, 1911.
Claimant names as witnesses: John N. Luke, Henry B. Tucker, T. H. Shaw and Levi Goff, all of Bandon, Oregon.
BENJAMIN F. Jones, Register
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In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon in and for Coos County

The First National Bank of
Bandon, a Corporation,
Plaintiff
vs.
C. A. Manassa, A. S. Manassa, Bertha Manassa, John Devereaux, F. J. Feeney, Trustee and J. W. Mast, Defendants.
Case No. 3145
SUMMONS
in Suit in Equity

To A. S. Manassa and Bertha Manassa, defendants named above:
In the Name of the State of Oregon; You, and each of you, are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit within six weeks from and after the date of the first publication of this summons, which said date of first publication is October 27, 1911, the last day of said period of six weeks is December 8, 1911; and if on or before the expiration of said period of time, you fail to so appear and answer, then, for want thereof, the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief prayed for in plaintiff's complaint, a succinct statement of which is: For a decree permanently vacating the Bill of Sale of June 1, 1911, by Manassa & Son to John Devereaux; also the assignment of June 8, 1911 to F. J. Feeney, trustee; also the sale July 11, 1911 by F. J. Feeney, trustee to J. W. Mast. For an order enjoining defendants from alienating or otherwise disposing of all or any of the estate of C. A. Manassa until plaintiff's claim be satisfied. An order subjecting Bertha Manassa's \$426 to plaintiff's claim against the estate of A. S. Manassa.

An order subjecting all said estate to settlement of plaintiff's claim, prior to that of any other creditors. For a decree subjecting the attached property to legal process under case No. 3117. For an order to settle out of said estate, all costs and disbursements herein incurred, including statutory attorney fee, and such further relief as to the Court may seem proper and just.

This Summons is published by order of the Hon. John S. Coker, judge of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for the second judicial district, said state. Dated October 24, 1911.
C. R. WADE, Plaintiff's Attorney.
10-27-12-8f

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