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Select Tale.

THE SCHOOL MA'AM.

Mrs. Rixton had prepared an unusually inviting supper this evening. The people in Mink Hollow always 'laid themselves out' in the gastronomic line during the 'school ma'am's week.' For in this antiquated corner of the State of Connecticut the school-teacher, 'boarded around' from house to house, thereby enabling the trustees to save several dollars a month to the educational fund. And there had gone a rumer through the scrappy pine woods that Miss Price, the new teacher, had once lived in the suburbs of Hartford, and carried a cane pocket-handkerchief sweater. And although the Misses Hollowell, who disappeared, on principle, of mad extravagance and wasteful pride, there was a certain novelty about Miss Price that commended her to the public estimation.

'Crimes her hair an' wears high-heeled boots,' Milo Dexter, the biggest boy, had reported.

'Keeps a bottle o' cologne in her desk,' whispered Mary Barry, mysteriously.

'Style is all very well in its place,' said old Mr. Furbush, 'but I don't see why the teacher for bein' a fine lady! How is she in Tare and Trot and the rules of English Grammar? That's what I'd admire to know.'

And so, spurred on by the breath of these vague rumors, Mrs. Rixton had washed her calico bodice, beaten the tattered breadths of her rag carpet, and killed a chicken, in order to have chicken potpie for supper the first day.

'I won't be beat by nobody at house-keeping,' said Mrs. Rixton, as she sliced up early green apples to make a 'turn-over,' and sent Billy, her youngest hope, to the store for New Orleans molasses to sweeten the same.

When Dolly Price arrived, however, Mrs. Rixton could scarcely conceal her disappointment.

'Why,' said Mrs. Rixton, 'she' just like any other gal! Here, Benjamin—set this here turnover out on the cellar shelf to cool. I want to see if I can't get a thing like her couldn't be noways fit to teach school.'

'No more she ain't!' said Benjamin, kicking the ends of his fingers where the New Orleans molasses had exuded from the rim of the turnover. 'And we won't teach long—you may bet your head on that!'

'Goin' to be married, eh?' said Mrs. Rixton.

'The big boys an' gals is goin' to be too much for her,' said Benjamin, winking at his mother. 'You see if we ain't! We ain't forgot the day she wouldn't give us a half-holiday when 'Brish Lambert foun' the big tree on Frost Mountain.'

'It sh'd be an every day's affair,' said Mrs. Rixton, 'but I can't bear to see a tree ain't come every day, an' she needn't a' been so hateful!'

'Get out!' said Mrs. Rixton—but in her secret heart she admired the pluck and spirit of her oldest son. Benjamin, in the school board opinions were divided. Old Deacon Burr didn't approve of young teachers no how. They hadn't authority enough. It took a man to collar the young fellows in Mink Hollow.

Mr. Ashley did not suppose that the Mink Hollow district was like a reformatory or a lunatic asylum. If the young people of Mink Hollow could not behave themselves like ladies and gentlemen they had no business to cross the threshold of the schoolhouse. He, for one, was for backing up Miss Price's authority on every point.

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flung through the window upon a heap of newly-cut fire wood; Job Dext was sprawling in the aisle, on the flat of his back; John Hovey found himself suddenly devoted to his studies, and Detsy Bliss was compelled meekly to ask Miss Price's pardon for her insolence. In fifteen minutes the most perfect order was restored and Dolly was mistress of the position once again.

'And now,' said Mrs. Ashley, when the school had been formally closed for the day and he was driving the school ma'am home again, 'you can do as you please about retaining the situation!'

'I am so very, very grateful to you,' murmured Dolly, who had never admired a man in her life so much as she admired Mr. Ashley when he knocked down the six-foot-high school bully, and Job Dart.

'I would have done as much for any woman,' said he, quietly. 'But I don't think that any teacher is going to find Mink Hollow School a bed of roses.'

'But I don't know what else to do,' said Miss Price. 'I am poor, you see; I have got to support myself and keep my two little brothers at school. And there are so few things that a woman can do.'

'Suppose you come home with me,' said he. 'Mira will be very glad to have you keep her company for a few days—'

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