SYNOPSIS.

The scene at the opening of the story is laid in the Kentucky mountains, where Jim Carrington, known as the "Prodigal Judge," lives with his daughter Alice and his son Carrington, known as Rowdy. Jim Bolt, a neighbor, has a feud with Carrington, and Bolt's son Tom is in love with Alice. Tom Ware is also in love with Alice, and Tom Ware and Rowdy Carrington are rivals. Tom Ware and Rowdy Carrington are rivals. Tom Ware and Rowdy Carrington are rivals.