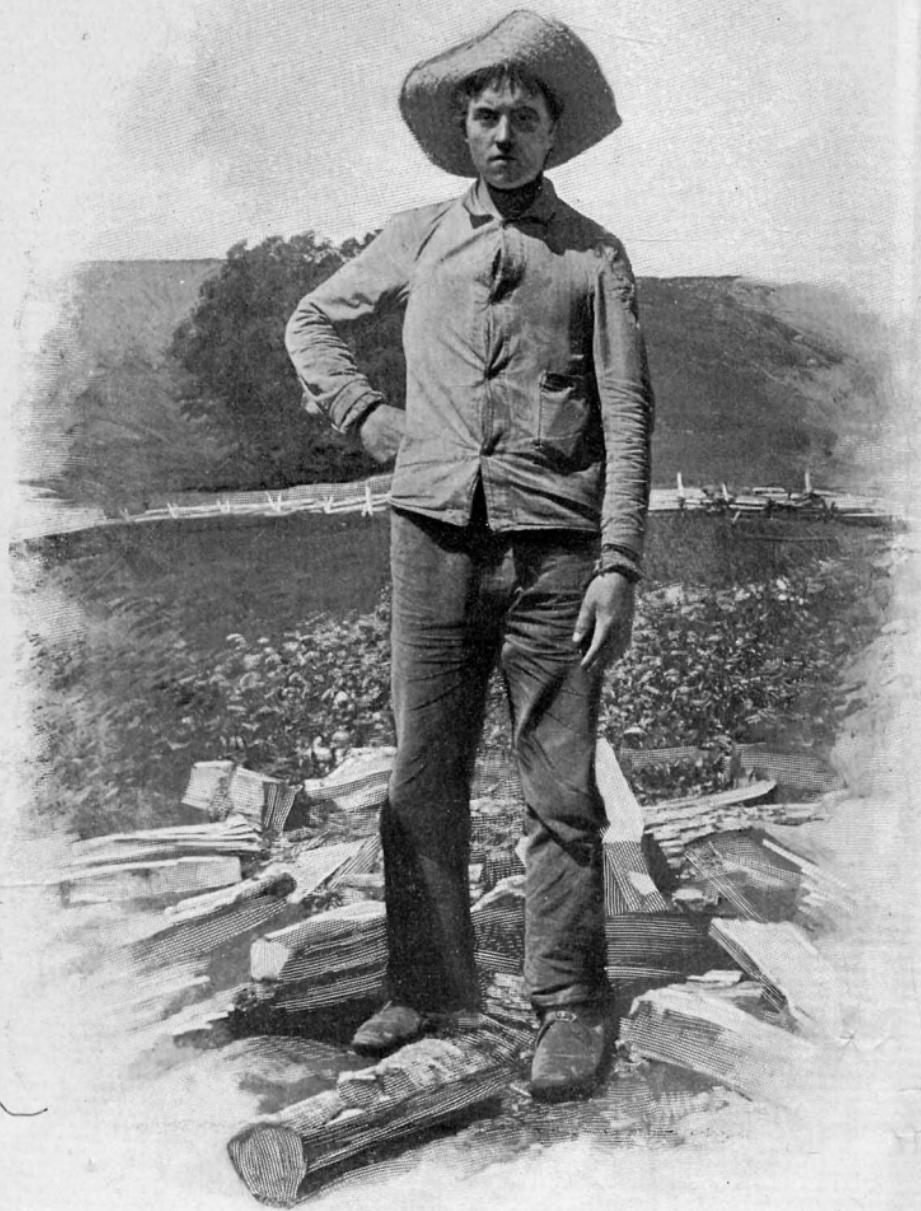


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REPEATED and persistent questionings concerning the section of our country introduced by these Stringtown Novels must be the author's justification for the following somewhat personal ascription. This land is not, as many persons suppose, a creation of the imagination. It is as real as boyhood home can be to the man whose nearest and dearest ties of love and kinship have ever been therein. The scenes are laid in picturesque Boone (Stringtown) County, Kentucky, where are to be found exceptionally fertile soil, magnificent scenery, and features of rare interest to historians as well as to naturalists, some of which may be briefly noted.

Passing from Cincinnati down the gorge that marks the great bend in the Ohio River, we reach the glacier cliffs known as "Knobley" and "Split