**SCENE II. The same.**

*Enter BUTCH and OTIS*

**BUTCH**

Well I be; ABNER will marry JEDEDIAH’s daughter.

**OTIS**

Don’t let appearances fool ye. I thanks I got an idea that can stop that marriage flat.

**BUTCH**

Otis, anythang you kin do to cross that marriage would be music to my dad blamed ears. I am sick at my stomach with Abner, Daisy, Jethro and the whole lot o them. Anythang to squash that marriage would be pure medicine to whatsa ailin’ me. How bout you tell me what’s up them sleeves o yorn?

**OTIS**

It’ll be ugly to see, Butch, but I guarantee that Abner ain’t never gonna have anythang to do with Jedidiah’s daughter after he sees what I gots to show him tonight.

**BUTCH**

Go on,now. Don’t be a teasin’ me.

**OTIS**

Do you recollect when I tol’ you bout how Daisy’s friend, Beulah, only has eyes fer me.

**BUTCH**

I remember.

**OTIS**

Any time o any night I want, Beulah will sneak out to meet me wherever I say.

**BUTCH**

What’s that got ta do with Abner and Daisy’s Marriage?

**OTIS**

You jess head on over to Jethro’s and be a tellin’ him and Abner that Daisy is a low lying skin flint who done Abner wrong by sparkin’ non other that this ol’ boy, Otis.

**BUTCH**

They sure as heck ain’t a gonno believe a tale that tall. Err you goofy or what?

**OTIS**

Butch, they’ll believe whut they done seed with they’re onliest two eyes. Ba thundas, when we’re a finished with Jethro and Abner, they’ll look like the biggest fools in these here hills, and Abner and Daisy ain’t a never gonna git hitched.

**BUTCH**

I’ll bite on this. What’s are plan, boy?

**OTIS**

Go, find Jethro andABNER ; tell them that you know  
that DAISY loves me; Convince ‘em that the onliest reason yer a tellin’ ‘em is to protect innocent Abner from that witch and to protect Jethro’s honor. They will scarcely believe this without eye witness proof: Bring ‘em by my winder jus after Midnight, and I’ll be a smootchin’ on Beulah and a callin’ her Daisy whiles’t she’s a warin’ a wig makin’ her the spittin’ image of Daisy and she’ll be a callin’ me ABNER! Haw! Haw! Haw!

**BUTCH**

Haw! Ha! Otis, if’n this works, I’ll be a makin’ it worth yer while, fer dang shur! Haw!

**OTIS**

You do yer part, and I’ll be a doin’ mine, and we’ll squash this weddin’ flat. Haw! Haw!

**BUTCH**

Let’s git thangs, ready! Haw! Haw! Haw!

*Exit*