

## Chapter 8

1. Aunt Tillie loved her eight-year-old nephew Charley very much. Charley received good grades in school and was very nice to Aunt Tillie. Aunt Tillie wanted to take care of Charley so she wrote him out a promissory note for \$3,000 payable on her death. Later, when she died, Charley tried to exercise the note and collect his money. The estate refused to pay. Charley sued Aunt Tillie's estate on the theory that they were in breach of a written contract. Should Charley get his money? *Dougherty v. Salt*, 227 NY, 200.