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A NIGHT'S ADVENTURE ON THE OHIO RIVER—AN INCIDENT OF THE FLOOD OF 1832.

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[CONCLUDED.]  
The clock had struck four. Kneeling there, they passed villages and high bluffs, and saw distant towns, all of which seemed submerged, for there were lights gleaming from upper story windows in the houses, and moving about as though on the water. Dark objects went swiftly by them, and every little while the house would dip and rock, as a log, or tree, or other weighty objects struck it.

Heavy as their hearts were, they spoke to each other of the great flood, and likened themselves to Noah in the Ark. They were in the current, and went swiftly on. Five o'clock struck, then six, they began to see objects distinctly in the swirling light. "Gee!" exclaimed Will, "there is something on that bale of hay, and there is a coop full of chickens, too!"

"Look at that settie and those chickens, and there is a dog, and a pig, and a cow, and the poor dog is clinging to the outside with his paws, he is chained to it." Sally pointed towards the spot.

Hay, straw, articles of furniture, bales of cotton, wood, and timber of all kinds, strewn the face of the river. "Oh!" The house careened as though going over, as some large objects struck against it, and the building was thrown back upon the floor. It righted again, and trembling they continued to watch the waters, their thoughts diverted from themselves by what they saw.

There was a strange noise at the back window, a scratching and clanging and thumping. They drew near to see what it was, and found that the cat, which had probably been on the shed, that plank by which she was falling from the house, had sought the refuge of the window-sill without, where she was disturbed by the old ram, also on the shed, and making frantic efforts to reach the same position with him, as he felt his unsafe foothold quiver beneath him. As he bounded up, or climbed against the house, striving to make a way with his horns, the cat would draw back and spit and hiss at him. Amused despite themselves, the children opened the window and the cat bounded it, while the old ram was left to his fate.

With the light, all Sally's resolutions and energy came back to her. They passed towns and villages. She knew they must be nearing Cincinnati, of which she had heard, and there, she had a vague idea, they would be rescued.

Taking the sheets off the bed, she fastened them to a couple of slats from the bedstead, and put them out of the window, as she had heard of persons doing on the river bank when they wished to attract attention and get a steamboat to stop. After several attempts she succeeded in nailing the slats to the window-sill.

Stationing Will at one window, she placed herself at the other, her heart palpitating with expectation. The sun had now been up some time; she had a clear view of the scene, and began to realize the danger and to shudder at every creak of the timbers of the house.

They passed a solitary dwelling half immersed, then several, then a town with steamboats at the landing, and ships and docks paddling through the streets. They were sure that the men in them saw the house, they pointed to it, and were talking of it, but still no help.

On they went. The waters were more turbulent, the surface of the stream more thickly studded with floating articles. Now it spread out so wide it seemed boundless, and again it would contract, and on the high ground would be dwellings not yet reached by the flood.

An hour passed. Sally was almost frantic, and began to despair. Several times she had seen people make signals to them, but none came to help. The baby fretted and cried, and Will took it up and rocked and gave it milk.

"Eat a bit, Will, eat a bit," said Sally, who was herself almost exhausted through want of sleep and excitement. The baby only shook his head and looked up. There was an expression on his face that terrified her.

"We are coming to a town. This must be Cincinnati. See the houses!" Sally leaned out of the window and wildly waved something she had snatched up, raising her voice at the same time and shrieking for aid.

"Put the baby down, Will, and come and wave and holler," she said, looking in at him, and waving. "They see us! Why don't they help us?" she exclaimed in wild excitement. "It is Cincinnati! Why don't they come? See the boats!" She came near falling out of the window, and they passed the suburbs; people saw, and shouted to them, but seemed to have no power to reach them. They were coming in front of the city, the lower part of which, with Cincinnati and Newport, lay in the water. The steamboats appeared to be away in the town, and many upon the river.

Now they were indeed seen, and their shouts were answered, but the ships could not get near them. The current of the river was strong, and there were too many large objects on its surface, obstructed by a knowledge that they were seen, the children increased their exertions. Sally brought the baby from the bed and held it up. Presently a large boat, which was a steamer, by some of the lumber of a saw-mill, shot out and came towards them. Slowly and steadily it moved in an out, avoiding or pushing off the driftwood and other articles floating by.

People who had been obliged to retreat to the second story of their dwellings put their heads out at the windows to see the strange sight, and some of them waved and shouted and threw up their hands when they saw it had inmates, and those inmates were children. Meantime the house was floating on, and the children were clinging to it, and it would be as its side. Just then a huge saw-log, which had been lying like a great whale on the surface of the water, was struck by something and changed its course, dashed into the side of the dwelling.

A startled shriek was given by the inmates on, as, thrown down by the concussion, the children disappeared, and the water dashed over the parties.

"While the frame turned and whirled in the eddy, the log moved on. Taking advantage of the clearer space, the house, guided by a steamer, struck the side of a ruin; then, while one of the crew succeeded in making it fast, another clung to the window, where the children had again appeared, and lifted them out. A moment more and the house fell over on its side.

"Thought God would take care of us," whispered Will to Sally, as they were safely set ashore.

Jack Martin, who had reached the vicinity of the house to find it gone, was soon informed of the safety of his children, and ere long the family were together again. Need we say it was a joyful meeting?—Young Folks.

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