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The stranger brushed a tear from her cheek and waited the conclusion. "Some day when I am gone where I'll never trouble them again, Mary and Martha will think of it all. Some day when the hands that toiled for them are folded and still; when the eyes that watched over them through many a weary night are closed forever; when the little old body, bent with the burdens it bore for them, is put away where it never can shame them—"

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The agent drew his hand quickly before his eyes, and went out as if to look for the train. The stranger's fingers stroked the gray locks, while the tears of sorrow and of sympathy fell together. The weary heart was unburdened. Soothed by a touch of sympathy the troubled soul yielded to the longing for rest, and she fell asleep. The agent went noiselessly about his duties that he might not wake her. As the fair stranger watched she saw a smile on the careworn face. The lips moved. She bent down to hear.

"I'm doing it for Mary and Martha. They'll take care of me some time."

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She was dreaming of the days in the little cottage—of the fond hopes which inspired her, long before she learned, with a broken heart, that some day she would, homeless in the world, go to John.—Southern Churchman.

THE ERRAND.

Mr. Willis, who was repairing the two-acre-pasture fence, discovered suddenly that he was running out of nails. Somebody must ride to Winthrop, the nearest town, and buy some.

"I can't go, and I can't spare Peter," he said. "We ought to finish this job to-night. Harry, do you think you could go?"

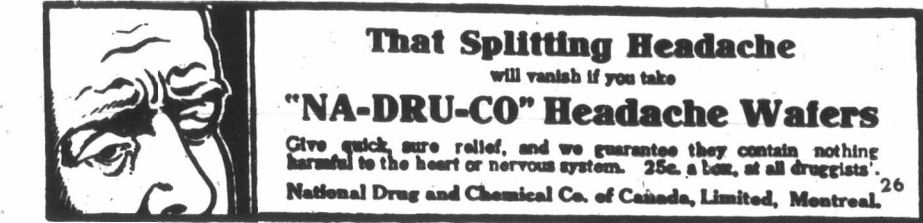
"Yes, sir," said nine-year-old Harry.

His father wiped his hot forehead and looked at the sky. "I don't know as I ought to let you," he said, doubtfully. "This is kind of a queer day; may be a weather-breeder. But I guess it's all right. You ride Prince; and don't stop anywhere, son."

"I won't," answered Harry. He was usually a solemn little boy, but he capered on his way to the barn; he liked to ride Prince.

It was a queer day. Even the birds seemed too hot to sing, and the chipmunks stayed hidden. Little gusts of wind rattled among the weeds and tossed up dust suddenly before old Prince's nose, who snorted suspiciously, but did not shy; Prince was too staid and dignified to shy. The way was rather lonely. Just before the half-way point to Winthrop, the road crossed a little creek at an easy ford. Harry was approaching this creek when he felt a drop of rain. He looked up and saw a very black and ominous cloud drifting across the sky. A little jagged streak of lightning winked from the edge of it.

Harry did not mind getting wet, but thunder-storms were another matter. And yet it was as far back now as it was to Winthrop; and besides, he hated to admit that he was afraid. So he crossed the creek. The light-



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ning winked and shivered again, and the day grew darker. The big cloud seemed to pitch and roll like water, and the edges of it were silver-bright and odd-looking. Harry kicked old Prince to make him go faster and his heart beat hard. The air grew colder, and the play of lightning was almost continuous. No more rain fell, however, and at last he reached Winthrop, and rode up before the hardware store. He found the proprietor out in front, looking curiously westward, whence Harry had come.

"Something funny happening out your way son," he said. "You wait here a while."

They had scarcely gone into the shop when the rain came down in a flood, and continued to fall for fifteen minutes as Harry had never seen it. The whole world seemed full of water. This lasted for fifteen minutes; and it was accompanied by a strange roaring noise, which puzzled the storekeeper as much as it did Harry. Then the rain ceased; presently it was just a drizzle.

"I think I'll go back now," said Harry. "Father must have the nails." As the rain seemed over, the storekeeper let him go.

When he left Winthrop he found the road almost washed out. A storm like a small river was running down the middle of it, and all the tall weeds on each side were beaten flat and dirty. But it was when he reached the creek that Harry was most surprised. The trees were down—smashed flat in all sorts of positions; only two or three of the smaller ones had been left standing. And the water which had been only a few inches deep an hour before, now boiled and rushed along muddily, till Harry was quite frightened. But one thing remained clearly in his mind—his father had said he must have these nails. So he urged Prince into the creek, and slipping and sliding, the steady old horse went through. The water came so high that Harry had to draw up his legs, but that was all; and once on the other side, he had a clear road home.

He had not gone more than a quarter of a mile, however, when he saw a man galloping toward him, and when they neared each other, Harry saw that it was his father.

"Harry!" cried Mr. Willis. "Are you safe?" His face was white.

"I think so," said Harry, in a brave voice.

"That was an awful storm," said his father.

"It blew down the west corn-crib, and we thought the house was going. Your mother is almost crazy about you. Did you get to Winthrop?"

"Yes, sir," said Harry. He held out a damp package. Then all at once a funny feeling came into his throat, and his lips twitched and he burst into tears. Then quickly Mr. Willis jump-

ed off his horse and came and put his arms round the little boy. "Why Harry," he said, "what's the matter? It's alright now."

"Yes, sir!" sobbed Harry. "I was just thinking—how scared I've been!"
—J. W. Linn, Youth's Companion.

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