



IN DANGER.

Farmer Jones was having a new bridge built. All the neighbours' men had come to help hoist the great heavy beams. This they called a "building-bee," for there must have been as many as twenty men. Little Mabel thought it was great fun having so many people around, and when the men all sat down to dinner at a long table made of planks laid on barrels, she said it "'minded her of the church tea-meetin'."

Little Mabel thought she would like to see what had been done, so she started off to the new bridge. Soon she was missed, and after a little search, her mother looked out of the door and spied a little figure walking on the beams of the new bridge. She was much frightened for she feared the wee tot might fall through on the sharp stones beneath and be killed. As fast as possible she and her husband ran to the bridge and caught the little child before any harm happened to her.