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Little Jack Rabbit by David Cory

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Big Voyages in Little Boats

Some people say that the men of the present day are not hardy enough to do as their forefathers did—brave the oceans when the biggest ships were small and the shortest voyages long.

But the people who belittle the present generation are evidently unaware of the many daring voyages that have been carried out successfully in tiny craft. There is no doubt that the spirit of our forefather still lives!

Some few years ago the steamship Holbein during a passage from New York to Manchester, picked up a boat which was only some fifteen feet long. She contained a Captain Andrews, who was attempting to cross the Atlantic in her. He had travelled 700 miles, had suffered great privations, and his limbs were swollen by exposure.

He was sighted previously by other vessels, but had hitherto refused assistance. A few years before he had actually succeeded in crossing the Atlantic in a small boat.

Still near our own time a sea captain sailed from America to England in the Great Western, a cutter only thirty feet long. He sailed alone, and reached Gloucester in two months. At the end of the voyage he had neither fingers nor toes, having lost them by frostbite during his hazardous journey.

About the same time two men crossed the Atlantic in a rowing boat fitted with water-tight compartments. They were captized by a big wave, but righted their craft and continued the voyage. They arrived at St. Mary's, Scilly Isles, very little the worse for the many exciting adventures that had befallen them.

A Voyage of Ten Months. Another notable voyage was that of the Homeward Bound, a boat twenty feet long and seven feet broad, manned by three men. She left Port Natal, South Africa, for over, which she reached after a voyage of ten months, touching at only two ports on the way. These three men encountered terrible weather. Their boat was subsequently exhibited at the Crystal Palace, London.

Another famous craft which has only recently been rescued from its mud-birth off Canvey Island, Essex where she lay for years, is the Tallikum, a native dugout, thirty feet long, with a tiny cabin built on her by Captain Voss.

This navigator had invented a sea anchor, which he claimed was the best of its kind. He proved this by navigating the Tallikum all over the world, braving tornadoes and hurricanes and everything else that comes to the life of a sailor. All his voyages he completed in safety.

Probably the greatest achievement of all was a voyage round the world, single handed, by Captain Joshua Slocum, a native of Boston. His boat, the Spray, was built entirely by himself. She was thirty feet long.

He took ocean routes and completely "circled the world's wide compass round." Cape Horn and other dangerous spots had no terrors for this daring navigator and he sailed the oceans in his tiny craft with every confidence.

"I don't see how he ever catches anything," said the little rabbit. "He's so slow. Goodness me, he's slower than a month of Sundays."

"You don't know him," answered Little Long Bill Wren. "He can stand up on his hind legs as quick as a wink and dart out his head just like a snake. He caught me before I knew he was even near."

"He was deep down in the mud, with only his head sticking up," explained Pretty Mrs. Oriole, flying down from her stocking-like nest that hung from a branch of the Weeping Willow Tree.

"Little Long Bill Wren was wading in the shallow water when all of a sudden Teddy Turtle's head darted out. "Yes, I almost stepped on him," cried the little bird. "I thought at first his shell back was a stone."

Just then a sweet voice called from the dear Old Bramble Patch: "Little Jack Rabbit!" "Mother's calling," explained the bunny boy, and off he hopped down the Old Cow Path to the bramble bushes.

"Hop over to Cousin Cottontail's for me," said Lady Love, his pretty bunny mother. "Ask her to lend me a yeast cake."

"He was deep down in the mud, explained Pretty Mrs. Oriole."

"All right, pretty mother dear," cried the bunny boy, with a laugh. "I'll tell her all the latest news. And 'bout Mrs. Cow's little calf."

And away he went on his errand like a good little bunny boy. Yes, he always was willing to do something for his mother.

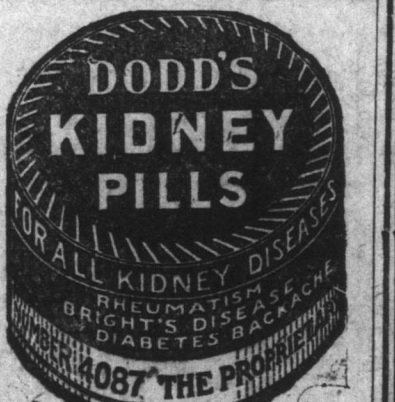
Never grumbled, sulked, nor whined, but cheerfully minded his mother.

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Compass Always Changing

A perfect and accurate compass today will not be scientifically reliable 40 years from now, it is maintained, because a compass point is constantly changing its direction. When observations were made in 1590 north was in reality ten degrees east of north. A 100 years ago it had moved over to 24 degrees west of north, and in 1924 the needle moved or varied one-fifth of a degree.

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