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### My First Jumper

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where the fire was burning brightly.

When he saw my eyes open he heaved a great sigh of relief. "Well how do you feel now," he inquired as he assisted me to a sitting position in the bed. "Not too bad," I answered, for I really didn't, I could feel my back was still sore but it was bandaged, and except for a severe headache I felt fairly well.

"Could you wait here for half an hour," he asked me, "and I'll go and get the deer." "Get the deer" I replied. "Did you get him after all?" "No you got him yourself," he replied. "Just you sit quiet and I'll tell you all about it, and then you can lay down and sleep till I get supper and we'll go home in the morning."

"As soon as I saw you knocked down I left the horses and ran to see if you were hurt. On the way I saw you try to get up and knocked down again. Hurrying as fast as I could, I managed to reach your rifle which I saw you drop. It was laying with a shell in the chamber. When I turned to shoot the deer, he was already laying down almost dead from the loss of blood. I called to you, but as there was no answer, I ran over and shot the old buck in the head, to ensure no further trouble. Then I walked over and looked at you. You were unconscious, so I brought you home and bound up your sore spots, so now just roll over till I get supper ready."

I soon fell asleep dreaming of the adventure. In the meantime Walter got the horses and drew home the deer. Then he prepared supper, choosing some of the tenderest of the animal's carcass for meat. When he had the meal ready he came over and woke me. "How do you feel now, old sport," he asked, "strong enough to swallow a cup of tea?" I tasted the preparation, then looked up and grinned. "Beef tea?" I inquired. He nodded. It sure was a cup of beef tea stewed from My First Jumper.

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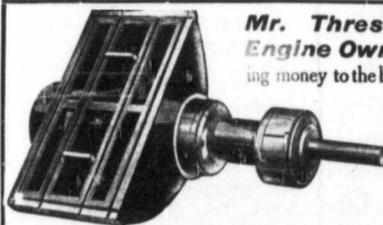
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