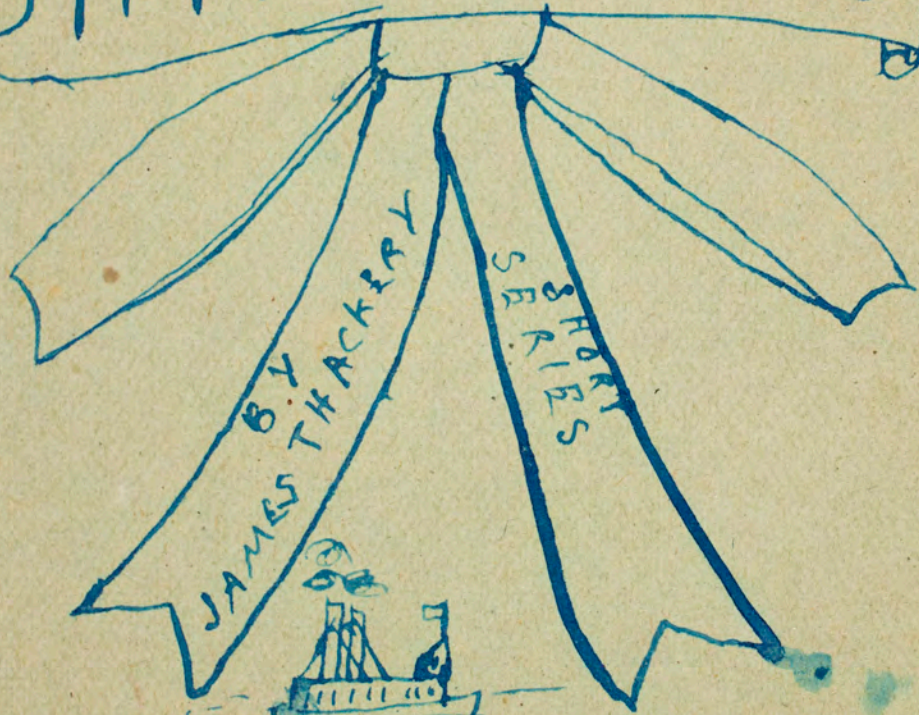
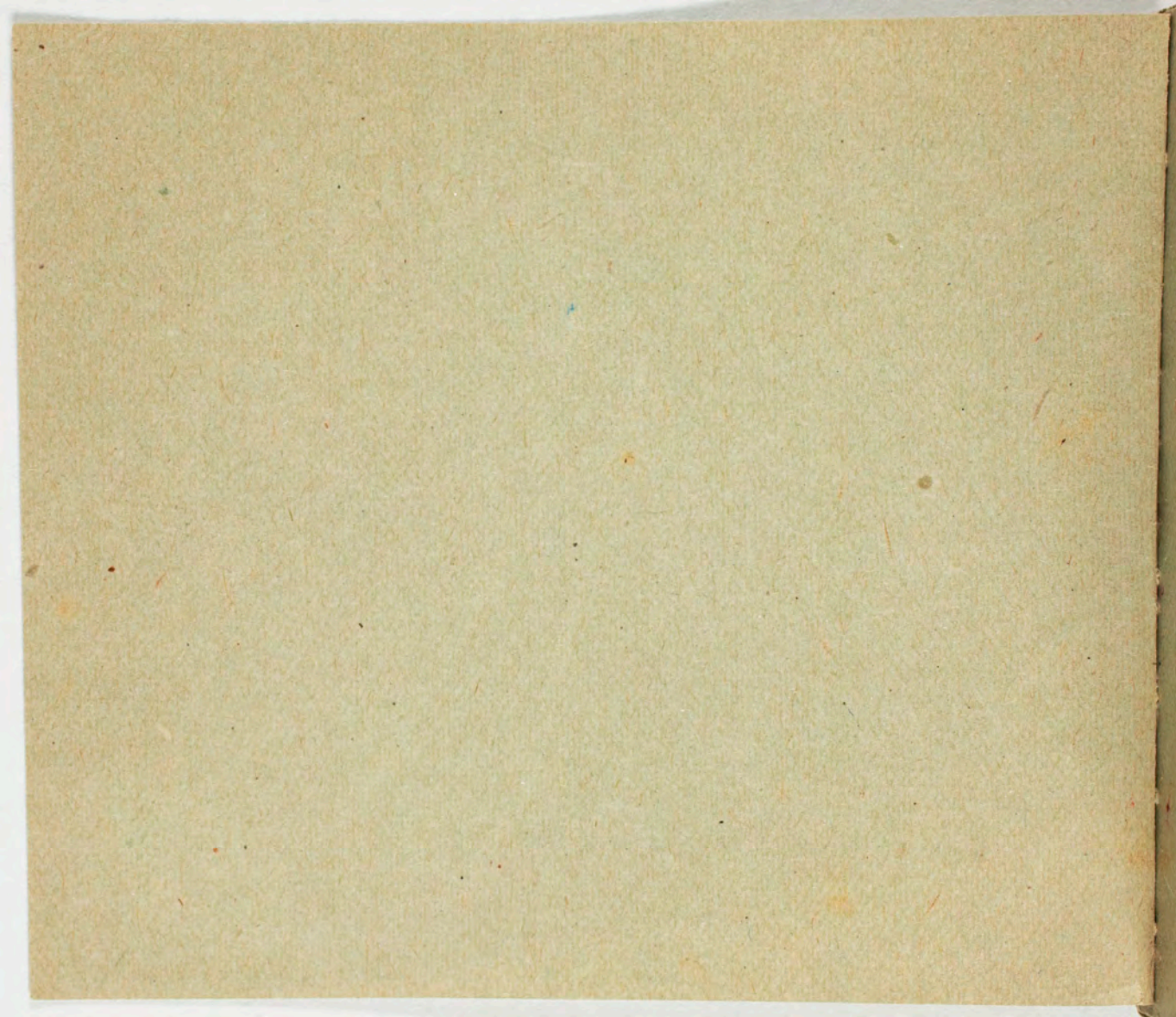


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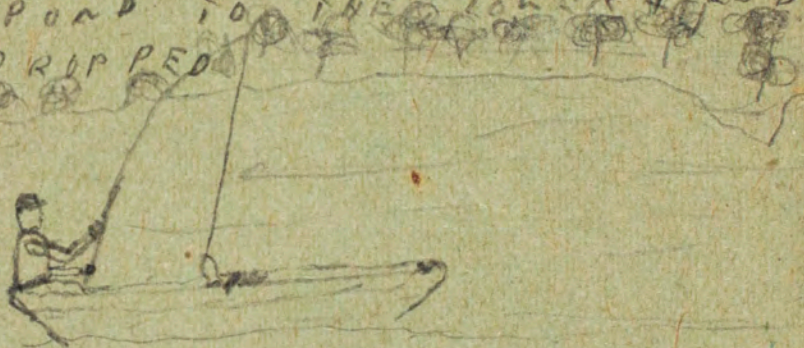
THE FIRE

OR

A WOMAN'S BRAVE ACT

THIS STORY THAT I AM TO LAY BEFORE YOU IS FOUNDED ON FACTS UP IN NORTH NEW HAMPSHIRE IT WAS IN A TOWN THAT HAD ONLY THIRTEEN IN HABITANTS OF IT AND SIX OF THESE WERE IN ONE FAMILY ONE DAY IN THE LAST OF MAY MR NEWTON FOR THAT WAS THE FATHER OF THE FAMILY OF SIX SAID I GUESS I WILL GO TO THE MILL WHICH WAS TEN MILES AWAY FOR LEANT SOME MEAL AND AT THE SAME TIME I WILL GO TO THE STORE AND SO GET SOME MATCHES AND FLOUR AND A FEW OTHER NECESSARIES ALL RIGHT AND YOU TWO OLDER BOYS MAY TAKE YOUR AXES AND GO TO THE WOODS. SOON MR NEWTON STARTED AND THE BOYS TOOK THEIR AXES AND STARTED FOR THE WOODS AFTER THEY HAD GONE OUT HORACE SAID MAMA CAN I GO DOWN TO THE POND AND CATCH

A MASS OF FISH FOR THE POND WAS
ONLY A QUARTER OF A MILE BE
LOW THEM IT WAS HALF A MILE LONG
AND QUARTER OF A MILE WIDE YES
YOU MAY I WOULD LIKE SOME VERY
MUCH SO HORACE STARTED HE TOOK THE WOOD
ROAD TO THE POND WHEN GOT INTO THE
LITTLE BOAT AND PUSHED ON HE PADDLED
UP THE POND TO THE LOWER END
AND THEN DRIPPED
ANCHOR BATTERED HIS HOOK
AND WENT TO FISHING
SOME THING NIBBLED.



AND HORACE YANKED
UP HIS LINE
AND UP CAME A VERY LARGE PUNY ON BREED
OR FLAT SIDE WHICH WOULD WEIGH AT
LEAST HALF A POUND HE DROPPED IN A CRAM
AND HE FELT SOME THING NIBBLE AND
HE PULLED UP AND UP CAME A BIG LIZZARD
ON MY HORACE SAID AND PUT HIM BACK
AFTER HORACE PUT HIS HOOK BACK
A BIG WANK CAME AND HE PULLED

THERE WAS A DUSSEL FOR A MINUTE AND
THEY HORACE MASTERED THE FISH IT WAS
A LARGE TWO POUND BLACK BASS THEN
HE CAUGHT A LOT OF SMALLER FISH
PRETTY SOON HE SMELT SMOKE WELL
HE SAID TO HIMSELF I GUESS THE OTHER
FELLOWS ARE HAVING A BONFIRE BUT
SOON THE SMOKE CAME THICKER AND
HORACE COULD NOT THINK WHAT IT WAS
NOW WE WILL LEAVE HORACE AND GO
ON WITH THE OTHER TWO BOYS HENRY
AND JOHN THEY TOOK THEIR AXES AND
WENT TO CHOPPING WOOD OUT IN THE WOODS
THEY HAD CUT AND PILED UP HALF
A CORD WHEN THE SMOKE ATTRACTED
THEIR ATTENTION THEY HAD A QUARTER
OF A MILE TO RUN IF IT WAS A FOREST
FIRE IS IT A FIRE SAID JOHN TO HENRY
I GUESS IT IS AND WE BETTER BE
GETTING OUT OF THIS FOR IT WILL
COME THROUGH THIS BRUSH AS FAST AS
WE CAN RUN LETS GO THEN SO ALAY
THEY PUT BEFORE THEY GOT OUT OF
THE WOODS THEY COULD HEAR THE
CRACKLING OF THE FIRE AND THE

S MOKE WAS ALL MOST SUFFICATEING
THEY RAN FOR ALL THEY WERE WORTH
NOW OUT INTO THE OPEN LAND IN SIGHT
OF THEIR HOUSE JUST AS THEY GOT MOST TO
THE BARN THEIR MOTHER RAN AROUND
IN SIGHT WHAT IS IT BOYS SHE SAID
BRINGING THE GREAT COLDNESS OF S MOKE
FROM THE WOODS AND NOW AND THEN
FLAMES IN THE EDGE A FIRE BRING
LATER QUICK PANTED JOHN AND THEY
ALL RUSHED TO THE HOUSE
AND GOT PAILS AND FILLED THEM WITH
WATER AND THEN RAN BACK AS FAST
AS THEY COULD FOR NOW THE FIRE
WAS DASHING ACROSS THE FIELD TOWARD
THEM THEY STRUCK THE WATER ALONG
IN FRONT OF THEIR BARN



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CHAPTER 2

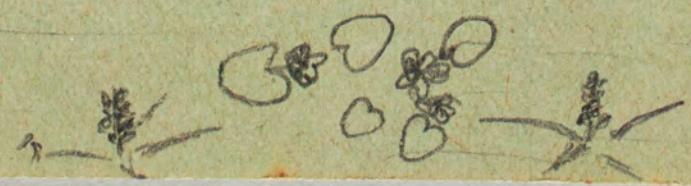
HOW THEY GOT OUT
THEM AWAY THEY WENT AND GOT
SOME MORE WATER AND BY THE TIME
THEY GOT BACK AGAIN IT WAS MOST
THERE THEY HAD GOT THE WATER AROUND
THE BARN AND WHEN THEY CAME AROUND
AGAIN THE FIRE HAD STRUCK THE WATER
AND STOPPED THEM BUT THE FIRE WAS
RUSHING AT THE HOUSE "STOP IT STOP IT"
SHOUTED HENRY THEY RUSHED AROUND CARRYING
WATER TILL THEY COULD HARDLY STAND
AT LAST THE FIRE PASSED AND THEIR
BUILDINGS WERE SAVED THEY HAD ALL AIDED
BRAVELY HORACE AFTER THE SMOKE
CAME THICKER BEGAN TO THINK OF A FIRE
HE PADDED TO LAND AND JUMPED OUT
AND STARTED FOR HOME HE HAD NOT
GOT HALF THE DISTANCE WHEN THE
SMOKE BECAME SO THICK HE COULD
NOT SEE HIS BOAT HE RUSHED
BACK TO HIS BOAT AND PUSHED OFF

HE HAD HARDLY GOT TO THE MIDDLE OF
THE POND WHEN THE FIRE CAME TO THE
EDGE OF THE POND THE SMOKE RAN
ACROSS THE POND SO THICK THAT HE COULD
NOT BREATHE HE JUMPED OUT OF
THE BOAT AND THEN MANAGED WHEN
THE WIND CAME A GUST OF WIND SO
TO LIFT THE SMOKE AND GIVE HIM
SOME FRESH AIR TO TIE THE BOAT
OVER HIM AND THE HE HAD A
BOAT NEARLY FULL OF FRESH
AIR IN THIS WAY HE STAYED TILL
HE BEGAN TO SHAKE WITH COLD
THEN HE STUCK HIS HEAD OUT TO LOOK
THE WOODS ALL AROUND HIM WAS
SMOKE IN GREAT CLOUDS OF
SMOKE WAS COMING UP ON EITHER
SIDE OF THE LITTLE POND BUT
THE SMOKE HAD RISEN AND SOME TIPPED
HIS BOAT RIGHT SIDE UP AGAIN
AND CLIMBED IN HE BAILED OUT
THE WATER AS MUCH AS HE COULD
WITH HIS HANDS

THE ~ HE LOOKED AROUND FOR HIS
FISH POLE THERE IT FLOATED WITH
WITH THE FISH TIED TO IT ABOUT FIFTEEN
RODS AWAY HE PICKED UP HIS OARS
AND ROWED TO THE SPOT AND
HALLED THEM IN THEN HE THOUGHT
OF THE HOUSE OH OH THE HOUSE WILL
BE BURNED AND ALL THE POLAR ON
TO FACE FAIRLY CRIED WITH THE THOUGHT



E ROWED
TO LAND



HE QUICKLY ROWED TO LAND AND STARTED
TO JUMP ASHORE BUT THE AIR WAS SO HOT THAT
IT ALL MOST BURNED HIM HE COULD
HARDLY BREATHE HE STAGGERED AND FELL
BACK INTO HIS BOAT JUST THEN THERE
CAME A GUST OF WIND WHICH REVIVED
HIM AND HE PUSHED OFF AND
ROWED OUT TO THE MIDDLE IT SOON
CAME DARK AND HORACE LAY DOWN
IN HIS BOAT BUT HE COULD NOT SLEEP
HIS THOUGHTS SPIT FOR ALL HE COULD DO
WANDERED HOMEWARD AND ALL THAT
NIGHT WAS SPENT IN A COMY ALL THE
TIME WAS SPENT IN THINKING HE DID
NOT SLEEP A WINK AND HORACE
COOKED AS IF HE HAD BEEN ~~SCARED~~
CRYING ALL NIGHT IN THE AFTER
NOON THE NEXT DAY THE SMOKE
CLEARED AWAY AND HORACE STARTED
FOR HOME IT THEN WAS SO HOT THAT
IT BLISTERED HIS FEET HE RAN AND
RAN TO GET HOME THEN HE THOUGHT
WHY AM I RUNNING THERE IN NOTHING
LEFT FOR ME

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HE THEN WALKED ON IN A LITTLE
WHILE HE WOULD BE IN SIGHT
OF THE HOUSE BUT THERE WAS ANY ALL
THE TREES



WERE BURNING
OR HAD
BEEN BURNED
NOT A LEAF

ON THEM
WHAT D
DREARY

ON GOOD PLACE ON DEAR
HORACE SAID TO HIM

FOR SHOUTED SELF ON GOOD HE
IN SIGHT JUST DID AND BROKE INTO A RUN
HORACE AND THEN THE HOUSE CAME
BURST INTO HIS EYES LATER
MOST BREATHELESS INTO THE HOUSE ALL

ALL SAFE HE SAID PANTING HORACE AND
HIS BROTHERS AND HIS MOTHER SAT
AND TALKED FOR MORE THAN HALF
AN HOUR IT SOON GREW DARK AND
THE BOYS AND THERE MOTHER

TURNED IN FOR THE NIGHT WHEN
THERE CAME A NOISE ON THE DOOR
MRS NEWTON HURRIED TO THE DOOR
AND UNLOCKED IT AND IN CAME
MR NEWTON "NOW WE ARE ALL HEAR"
AND THE BUILDINGS ARE SAFE I AM
SO THANK FULL NOW TELL ME ALL
ABOUT YOUR ADVENTURE SAID MR
NEWTON SO MRB NEWTON HAD TO
TELL THE WHOLE STORY. THEN MR



NEWTON SAID
WELL NOW I WILL
TELL YOU MY
STORY BEFORE
I GOT TO THE
VILLIAGE I SAW
MORE AND SO
I HAD HARDLY GOT INTO THE CLEARED
LAND AND VILLIAGE WHEN THE FIRE
CAME UP BUT ALL THE MEN FOUGHT IT AND
IT DID NOT BURN THE VILLIAGE
IT WAS A PRETTY EXCITING RIDE
THEN I STAY OVER NIGHT THERE AND

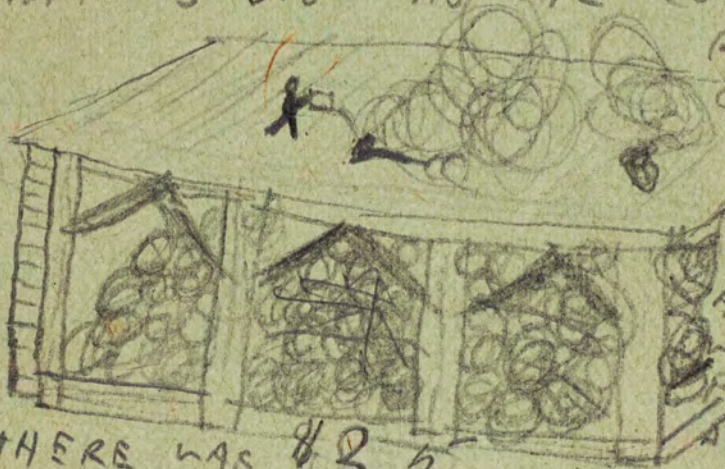
STARTED FOR HOME IN THE MORNING
BUT WHEN HEAR IT RAIN MY THIS WILL
STOP THE FIRE AND SURE ENOUGH THERE
WAS A REGULAR GALE THAT LASTED
ALL NIGHT

JAMES THACKERY

A FIRE AT THE STATION

AT ALLENS TOWN LAST YEAR WHEN
THEY WERE BUILDING THE COAL STATION
LUMBER STATION AND SHOE FACTORY
AT ONE TIME THERE WAS A FIRE THE
WORK MEN HAD ALL COME HOME TO THEIR
DINNER A LITTLE ENGINE AND COAL
CAR CAME RUFFING UP THE TRACK THERE
WAS A LOOSE BEAM HANGING OVER THE
TRACK AS THE TRAIN CAME ALONG IT HIT
THIS BEAM AND NOLKED THE SMOKE STACK
OF JUST THEN THE ENGINE MAN
STEPPED INTO THE COAL CAR TO GET
SOME COAL HE HEARD A CRASH AND
SO SLUMPERED INTO THE CAR HE INSTANTLY
SAW THAT HIS TONGUE HAD FALLEN DOWN
AND SO THOUGH THIS WAS THE NOISE
THE SMOKE STACKS FALLING OF HAD CHECKED

THE FIRE AND SO THE ENGINEER SET HIS BELLOWS
 TO WORK AT THIS COAL AND SPARKS
 FLEW OUT ALL OVER THE NEW BUILDINGS
 THE ENGINEER SAW THIS AND STOPPED
 AND THEN STOPPED THEM AND WITH
 A PAIL OF WATER HE RUSHED UP THE LADDER
 SHOUTING FIRE THEN EXT MINUTE THE
 MEN WERE STREAMING OUT OF THE
 BOARDING HOUSES AND COLUMNS OF BLACK
 SMOKE STREAMED OUT OF THE LUMBER
 COAL STATIONS JUST AS THE COAL STATION



ROOF WAS
 GOING TO
 FALL IN
 THE TWO
 FIRE ENGINES
 CAME ALONG
 AND THE FIRE
 WAS SOON
 PUT OUT BUT
 A LOT WAS

BURNED THERE WAS \$25 WORTH OF COAL BURNED
 AN 815 OF LUMBER AND 825 OF ROOF AND SIDES
 TO TAL AMOUNT 25 COAL
 15 LUMBER
 25 MISCELLANEOUS \$65 BURNED

THE GREAT FLOOD
OR

MY ADVENTURE ON THE RIVER

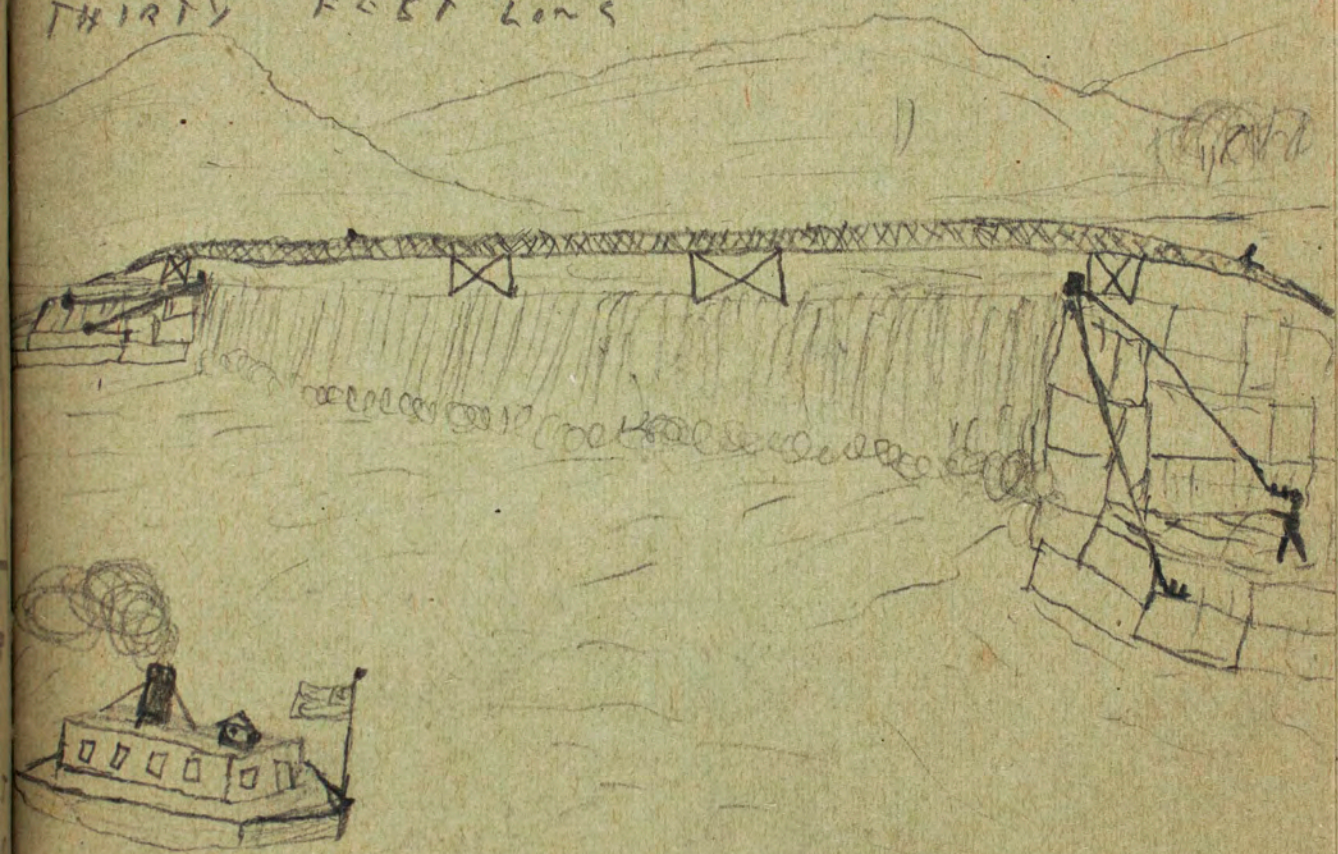
ALL NIGHT THE RAIN POURED DOWN
STEADILY ON THE LITTLE HAMLETS
OF WOODBORTH CREEK AND IN THE
MORNINGS IT RAINED STILL HARDER
BUT I PUT ON MY RUBBER COAT
AND WENT DOWN TO THE STREAM
BOAT LANDINGS FOR I WAS PILOT OF
THE LITTLE STEAMER SYLDH WE WERE
A LITTLE BEHIND FOR WE HEARD THE
WHISTLE OF THE RIVER QUEEN ABOVE US
THIS RIVER QUEEN WAS A RIVER TO
OURS IT WAS A MUCH LARGER AND FASTER
LOWER THAN OURS WELL THE RIVER
QUEEN HAS GOT AHEAD OF US & SID
THE CAPTAIN AS HE CAME HURRING
UP YESS I REPLIED I GUESS THEY ARE
MOST UP TO HILLS BRY'S DAM
YESS WELL COME ON LE LIT GO
AND IN FIVE MINUTES WE WERE

MAKING OUR PROGRES UP THE SWOLEN
STREAM THE SKY IS PRETTY BLACK THE ENGIN
EER REMARKED AS I WENT UP TO THE
HIGH DECK, I SHOULD THINK THAT IT IS
RAINING UP AT HILLSBAYS DAM NOW
HEAR COMES THE RIVER SWOLEN AGAIN



AS WE PASSED THEY HOLLARED AT US AND
SAID WHY DIDNOT YOU GET UP QUICKER
HURRY UP, AND IF YOU KEEP ON YOU
WILL LET THERE SOME TIME THESE ARE
THE KIND OF CRESTING THEY GIVE US AINT IT
SAID THE CAPTAIN TO ME FROM THE LOWER
DECK WE STEAMED UP THE RIVER TO HILLSBAYS
DAM NEAR WAS A SMALL SUMMER RESORT
WITH A LITTLE STORE HILLSBAYS DAM WAS

A DAM BUILT OF GRANITE AND ABOUT FIVE
FEET ABOVE THE DAM WAS AN IRON RAIL THAT
CROSSED THE RIVER THE DAM WAS EIGHT
TEEN FEET HIGH AND ONE HUNDRED AND
THIRTY FEET LONG



HILLS BRYS DAM

THAT DAY THE RAIN POURED DOWN ALL
DAY AND NIGHT THE NEXT MORNING I WAS
AWAKENED ABOUT TWO O'CLOCK IN THE MORNING
BY A LOUD ROAR AND CRASHING I SPRANG OUT
OF BED AND DRESSED ME AS QUICK AS POSSIBLE
AND RAN OUT DOORS IT WAS RAINING
DOWN LIKE HAIL AND ABOVE THE SOUND
OF RAIN I COULD HEAR A CREEK ROAR THIS
I KNEW TO BE THE CREEK AND I KNEW
THERE WAS A FLOOD I WALKED TOWARD WHERE
THE SOUND CAME FROM ABOUT A ROD AND
TRIED TO PEER INTO THE DARKNESS
BUT I COULD SEE NOTHING I WENT TWO
YARDS FURTHER AND FOUND A RUSHING BOILING
STREAM AND WITH THE WATER A FOOT DEEP
AROUND IT I SAW OUR STEAMER LAYING
ON ONE SIDE, WITH THE WATER BREAKING
AROUND IT I RAN BACK TO THE CAPTAIN'S
HOUSE AND GOT HIM WE MUST RIGHT
THE STEAMER AFTER A HALF HOUR OF HARD
WORK WE GOT IT RIGHTED MEANWHILE
THE WATER HAD RISEN A FOOT SO WE SAILED
OUT A LITTLE AND BUT LET DOWN OUR ANCHOR
AND WE HAD TO LET DOWN ANOTHER BEFORE WE BECAME

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THE GREAT FLOOD
OR
MY ADVENTURE ON THE RIVER

AFTER A LONG TIME OF WAITING IN WHICH
WE COULD HEAR THE ROAR OF THE FLOOD
IT CAME LIKE LIGHTNING FULL WE
WAS SET ON STEAM AND HOISTED ANCHOR
JUST AS WE WERE GETTING READY TO START
PART OF THE COMPANY OF THE RIVER QUEEN
CAME RUNNING ALONG AND SAID YOU DO YOU
KNOW WHERE OUR STEAMER IS NO SAID
THE CAPTAIN WELL I NEVER HE SAID TO
ME THEY HAVE LOST THEIR STEAMER
WHAT A JOKE I REPLIED BUT I HOPE
THEY WILL FIND IT SO DO I JUST THEN I
SAW A BIRD COOD A-PACHICKEN ON IT COME
FLOATING DOWN AND THEN SAW SOME OTHER
DUCKS AND A BIRD SWIMMING AROUND AND
I CALL THE CAPTAIN'S ATTENTION TO
THEM THEY
ARE IN GOING
IT AINT THEY



PARTS OF HOUSES WERE FLOATING DOWN
WE CRUISED AROUND PICKING UP PEOPLE
THERE UP IN A BIG TREE I SHOOTS TO THE
CAPTAIN AND WE SAILED OVER TO FIND
THREE CHILDREN IN A TREE ALL THE FOUR
NOON WE CRUISED AROUND THE WATER GREN
STILL HICHER JUST IN THE AFTERNOON
WE SAW THE RIVER QUEEN COMING UP
WE WERE LOADED DOWN SO HARD THAT
OUR BOAT DIPPED WATER IYELLED TO THE
MEN THAT ALL WHO COULD SWIM TO SWIM
TO LAND AND AHEAD 1922 A NUMBER
OF HEADS WERE BOBBING ABOUT IN THE
WATER IT WAS ONLY A SHORT DISTANCE
TO SHORE AND WE EASILY MADE IT
IN THAT LITTLE FLOOD EIGHT LIVES WERE
LOST AND FIVE THOUSAND OF DOLLARS WORTH
OF PROPERTY LOST

JAMES THA CHERRY



