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Tom comes home at suppertime. Aunt Polly sits down at the table and tells him all about his adventures. During supper, Aunt Polly tells Tom that he will not be skipped school that afternoon and must review his lessons. Tom is angry and throws his napkin on the table. Aunt Polly is satisfied. Tom's half-brother Sid comes in, and Tom scolds him for not covering his cloth. Tom has sworn the shirt himself to disguise his adventures, and Aunt Polly is disgusted.

Tom goes out of the house in a huff, determined to go and look for his raft. While wandering the streets of St. Petersburg, he sees Huckleberry Finn and meets an old man, Mrs. Smollett, who gives him a twenty-dollar bill to take to her son. Tom and his new friend meet General Grant and eventually chase the newcomer all the way home.

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