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Tom comes home at supper time with a face as white as a sheet and a will to tell all about his adventures. During supper, Aunt Polly asks Tom if he has been skipping school that afternoon. Tom lies that he has not. Aunt Polly asks if he has been out of town. Tom lies that he has not. Aunt Polly asks if he has been visiting friends. Tom lies that he has not. Aunt Polly asks if he has been out at night. Tom lies that he has not. Aunt Polly asks if he has been out at all. Tom lies that he has not. Aunt Polly is satisfied. Tom goes out of the house in a rage, runs through the streets of St. Petersburg, wears a fool's cap, its brim full of blackberries, and is smothered and captured.

Tom and the new arrival are taken to the judge's house, where the judge's daughter Elizabeth dozes and drools over a new dress. Tom manages to scoop the seamstress away from his aunt and eventually chooses the newcomer as the way home.

When he returns home in the evening, Tom finds Aunt Polly waiting for him. She notices his dirtied clothes and resolves to make him work the next day, a Saturday, as punishment.

On Saturday morning, Aunt Polly sends Tom out to whitewash the fence. Jim passes by, and Tom tries to get him to do some of the whitewashing in return for a "white alley," a kind of arabesque. Jim almost agrees, but Aunt Polly appears and chases him off, leaving Tom alone with his tasks.
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Tom comes home at suppertime, his hair disheveled and a small red mark on his cheek. He has been kept out of school that afternoon, and Aunt Polly, concerned about his adventures. During supper, Aunt Polly asks Tom about his latest escapade. Tom admits he has been out without permission and skips school. Aunt Polly is satisfied.

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