

After the riverboat wreck, Huck and Jim start floating down the river. They still have lots of loot that they were able to grab from the boat, and in that loot, there is a book. In the book that Huck reads are lots of stories about kings, dukes and lords, and this eventually will lead up to why Huck and Jim are deceived by them. Anyways, Huck and Jim start talking about a lot of things. First off, Jim doesn't think Solomon was too wise for splitting a baby in half, and also Jim doesn't understand why a Frenchman doesn't speak English, but still is considered a man.

Huck and Jim's goal is to reach Cairo, a city that lies where the Ohio and Mississippi meet. When they nearly reach their goal, a thick fog envelops them and the raft. Huck takes a canoe, attempts to tie the raft up, however, loses the rope and ultimately loses Jim and the raft. Eventually by the next day Huck gets to the raft to wake Jim. He then convinces Jim that the whole incident of the previous night was a dream, however, Jim finds out, gets angered and Huck then apologizes to him.

They travel down the river a little further Jim starts talking about what he is going to do once he gets free, and this upsets Huck, because it sickens him to be called an abolitionist, and to go against society, so Huck grabs the canoe and starts to go to shore to tell someone, while he is doing so, Jim tells him how great a friend he is.

Huck finds two slave catchers, but he then has a change of mind, and decides not to tell the men about Jim. When they want to check out the raft to make sure, Huck says that it is his dad who is on board, and he lets the men assume that his father has small pox, and the men get scared at this, leave Huck money and run off.

Unfortunately for Jim and Huck, during the fog they passed Cairo, and they lost their raft, and as they float down the river a steamboat smashes the boat and Jim and Huck get separated.

Huck survives the wreck, and finds himself on the river bank. He gets himself to a mansion. The Grangerfords take Huck into their mansion as he tells them that he is George Jackson and has fallen off a steamship. After Huck finishes his story, they show him some of their daughters poetry and drawings. The drawings are quite morbid and the poetry is quite bad, but they all seemed to be impressed by them. Finally, they stick Huck into Buck's room, a boy who is about his age, and the two become good friends.

One day Huck and Buck are out, and they see Harney Shepardson. They stash themselves behind a bush, and Buck takes a shot at Harney. After which, Buck explains what a feud is, and in Buck's particular feud, they are uncertain of how it started.

While at the Grangerford's mansion, Huck delivers messages for Sophia Grangerford, and one day, while delivering a message, he finds Jim at a river bank. Apparently Jim was preparing the raft for them so that they can continue their voyage.

Huck then goes to church with the Grangerfords and the Shepardsons, and all of them are praying at the church with their guns. (Ironic huh?) So eventually the Grangerfords find out that Sophia has run off with a Shepardson in good old Shakespearean Romeo and Juliet fashion, and the end result is that all the Grangerfords are killed, and Huck even witnesses Buck get killed, so Huck runs back to the raft, and Jim and him take off.

It seems as though the whole focus of the book changes when Huck and Jim help two men who are being chased by some other men and their dogs. The two men come aboard ship, one is about 30, and he claims to be the Duke of Bridgewater, the other is about 70 and he claims to be the Dauphin of France.

The Duke and the Dauphin then decide to perform Shakespeare's Romeo and Juliet, and they pool their resources to do so. They also go ashore and pull a couple scams to get money, one such scam was the King pretends to be a reformed pirate, and swindles 80 some dollars from the group by doing so. At the same time the Duke goes to the printing office and gets a handbill saying the Jim is a runaway slave, and he intends to keep it just in case anybody questions Jim's being there.

While the Duke and Dauphin rehearse Shakespeare, Mark Twain interjects a little story in which Huck observes Colonel Sherburn and a town drunk named Boggs. In the story Boggs, goes into the saloon, and gets drunk, and says he is going to kill Colonel Sherburn, after which Colonel Sherburn kills him. Then a man named Buck Harkness gathers a mob together to kill Sherburn, but then when they reach Sherburn, he tells the crowd that they are cowards, and eventually, they go away crying.

Books from wreck contains tales from kings/dukes, Jim recognizes **King Sollermum**, not a good person because he would have divided a child into two parts. Entire concept of a **Frenchman** is a man and should speak like a man, or English

In 3 nights, expected to reach **Cairo**, 2nd night, **too much fog**, Huck can't find Jim and the raft, falls asleep, finds raft with trash on it, when Jim wakes, **tells him it's all a dream**, Jim figures it out, says trash is people that puts dirt on the head of their friend and makes them ashamed. Huck promises never to play a trick on him again. Jim starts talking about freedom, Huck starts wondering cuz he's helping a slave escape. Jim states crap about selling him his children and him stealing them. Huck plans to tell, Jim'll never forget what a good friend he was, Huck doesn't tell, says crap about father having smallpox. When they saw the **clear water**, knew they passed Ohio, canoe disappears, gets sliced by steamboat, Huck loses Jim. Found himself before house with dogs barking, house of the **Grangerford**, ID's as **George Jackson**, share room w/ youngest son **Buck**. Fascinated by **drawings of Emmiline Grangerford**, who died at 14. Really likes the food. Everyone has Negro servant, Feud with **Shepherdson**, **Buck shot at Harney Shepherdson**, only way for feud to end is when everyone dies. When delivering message for **Sophia Grangerford**, servant takes him to find Jim, **Sophia ran off with Harney**. So many die that he regrets coming on shore, continues w/ Jim. Huck went for berries, meets two men being pursued, takes them onboard, **72 year old is Dauphin of France**, **30 year old is Duke of Bridgewater**, but Huck sees through them.

Two frauds try to fake a **Romeo/Juliet**, pretended to be **reformed pirate** in need of money, prints banner of reward for Jim, 40 miles south of **New Orleans**. **Presented Romeo/Juliet in Arkansas town**, circus already in town. Old drunk **Boggs**, wanted to kill **Old Colonel Sherburn**, sent daughter to take care of him, Sherburn shoots him, **Buck Harkness** creates mob, wanted to lynch Sherburn, colonel calls them cowards for going a zillion on 1.

Interesting facts You should know

Stole Books, Spyglass, and 3 boxes of See gars from ship

King Sollomum got a million wives in Harem

Cows and Cats are animals, but the French are men, so they should talk like men, or English

Can't teach a nigger to argue They were afraid of passing Cairo

Jim thought jack lanterns and lightning bugs was Cairo

There were 2 men who Huck told his dad had smallpox, men gave him 20 bucks

Told the Grangerford's that he fell off a steamboat, they asked him if he knew the shepardsons

Buck couldn't spell Huck's name right, Family was in Arkansas

Girl wrote **Ode to Stephen Dowling Bots, Dec'D**, about a boy who drowned, in **Presbyterian Observer**

Whistle r – the only dude where the undertaker got to him before Emmelline did when he died

Col. Granger carries mahogany cane with a silver head.

Bob was the oldest son, then Tom