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Harry wound up all the different parts of his dinosaur and off he went to help the rag-and-bone man and his horse. It was hard going, because the different parts of the dinosaur all ran down at different times and Harry had to keep jumping off to wind them up. But the dinosaur took giant steps and it moved fast.

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Soon Harry got to the end of the valley. There he saw the lion prowling round the rag-and-bone man's wagon. The rag-and-bone man was in a tangle of old garden hoses and crusted pipes. He was keeping the lion off with a length of pipe while the horse plunged and kicked and the wagon bounced and rattled.

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