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**ТЕКСТ С**

**JAMES WATT AND THE TEA-KETTLE**

Long ago in Scotland a boy sat by the fire one day watching the tea-kettle. He noticed a thick cloud of steam rising from it, and soon the cover began to jump up and down. He took off the cover and inside he saw boiling water.

He held, a cup above the cloud of steam to sее what would happen, and very soon there were some drops of water in the cup. All this was very strange and for some time the boy sat beside the fire and wondered about it.

Suddenly his aunt said, "James, you are such; a lazy boy". Take a book and read or do something useful. I shall get angry with you if you waste time in that way.

But the boy was not lazy. At the age of 17 Watt had to begin to make a living. He left home and went to London. He stayed there for a year working and studying. Then he returned home. There he owned a shop where he made and repaired all kinds of things. But all this time he could not forget the steam in the tea-kettle. He thought: "If steam can make the cover on a kettle jump up and down, it can do many other things.

He made up his mind to construct an engine running on steam. People laughed at Watt but he went on working. He was poor and had to work in the little shop to make a living. So it was very difficult for him to put his idea into practice, but still he gave every free minute to his engine.

He worked at the mention of his engine for a long time. He read every book that could help him to understand the nature of steam. He mаde a lot of experiments and at last the engine was ready.

**Notes (примечание)**

1. He saw nothing but boiling water - он не увидел ничего, кроме кипящей воды.

2. What... makes the cover jump? - Что …заставляет крышку подпрыгивать?

3. to see what would happen - чтобы увидеть, что случиться;

4. in that way - таким образом

5. to make a living - зарабатывать на жизнь

6. to make up one's mind - решить

7. running on steam - который двигался бы при помощи пара.