

TEACHER'S GUIDE

Minnie and Moo

IN

The Seven Wonders of the World



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INTRODUCTION

Minnie and Moo in The Seven Wonders of the World is a whimsical story of two cows who create the seven wonders of the world out of common items and locations on their farm in an effort to raise money to save it. Their experiences and barnyard friends create a delightful and zany world. The story and illustrations are by Denys Cazet.

Lesson Plans

The chapter lessons are divided into five parts:

Just the Facts are literal-level questions. Students will find each answer stated in one sentence in the chapter being examined.

Between the Lines questions require students to make connections between information that appears in two or more sentences.

Let's Discuss questions encourage students to think about what is happening in the story. One question invites students to make a prediction about what is going to happen in the next chapter.

In the Real World activities lead students in the step-by-step creation of their own "seven wonders" by selecting people, items and events from the newspaper.

Vocabulary words are identified in each chapter. Teachers may use instructional vocabulary activities as they choose, such as for identifying phonic elements, using root words and affixes, or determining meaning from context.

Games

This guide includes questions and puzzles related to character names and vocabulary in the story, a crossword puzzle, and a word search.

Additional Activities

These activities encourage students to combine research and creative activities. Internet sites related to the story are provided.

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Not So Good News

CHAPTER

1

Just the Facts

1. What was Minnie wearing when Moo came up to see her?
2. Where does Mr. Farmer go when he argues with the mayor?
3. What is special about Minnie's favorite red dress?

Between the Lines

4. Why is Moo nervous?
5. What previous adventure had the cows had with Mr. Farmer's tractor?
6. What will the cows have to give up if Mr. Farmer sells the farm?

Let's Discuss

7. Why isn't Minnie as worried as Moo?
8. Why would "thinking" make someone grumpy?
9. Why do you think Moo sees a face in Minnie's bunion?
10. Make a prediction: How can a face on a bunion save the farm?



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VOCABULARY

- **bunion**, *n*
a swelling of the small sac on the first joint of the big toe
- **espresso**, *n*
a coffee brewed by forcing steam through finely ground dark roasted coffee beans
- **muttered**, *v*
complained in a low voice
- **sequins**, *n*
small disks of shiny metal or plastic used to decorate clothing

In the Real World

As you read this story, you will be creating your own "Seven Wonders" exhibit. You'll collect your attractions in a notebook. To begin, make up a title for your "wonders" exhibit. To make your notebook cover, cut out words, phrases and pictures from the newspaper and paste them on a piece of paper.

The Seven Wonders

Just the Facts

1. According to Minnie, “Big Hoof” is a missing link between cows and what other animal?
2. The cows’ posters promise what object that was left behind by a UFO?
3. What will happen to animals at The Mystery Spot?

Between the Lines

4. Why is Moo sure that everyone will come to see the Presidential Bunion?
5. Why doesn’t Moo think her Seven Wonders attraction is cheating?
6. In what scary location will one of the Seven Wonders be located?

Let’s Discuss

7. Why is George Washington called “the father of our country”?
8. What is the Bermuda Triangle? Why are people afraid of it today?
9. Do you think it is all right for Moo to present common objects as “wonders” to others? Does her desire to save the farm make it all right for her to create the “oddities”?
10. Make a prediction: What are the actual objects and places that make up Moo’s Seven Wonders?



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In the Real World

Pick your exhibit announcer. Find someone in the newspaper who would make a good announcer or emcee for your exhibit. Paste the person’s photo and/or name on page 2 in your notebook. Write several sentences explaining why this person is a good choice.

Draw a costume for your announcer.

VOCABULARY

- **donation**, *n*
money given to a worthy cause
- **long johns**, *n*
one-piece underwear with long sleeves and long legs
- **mock (turtle soup)**, *adj*
a soup that imitates real green turtle soup; here, something that isn’t what it seems to be
- **oddity**, *n*
something unusual or unique

The Presidential Bunion

Just the Facts

1. What did Moo wear as her costume?
2. Who were Minnie and Moo's best friends?
3. Who saw the face of "he with the electric clippers" in the bunion?

Between the Lines

4. Why didn't the bunion look like George Washington anymore?
5. Who recognized himself as the someone who was so beautiful he made the sun rise?
6. What was Elvis's confusion about a "gift"?

Let's Discuss

7. Why did Minnie dress the way she did?
8. Would a bowling ball make a good crystal ball? Why or why not?
9. Why did different animals see different things in the bunion?
10. Make a prediction: How will Minnie and Moo explain the missing rock?



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In the Real World

Exhibit #1: What in the World? Find a news story or photo about a new and exciting invention or machine. Create an exciting title for your inventive exhibit. Write a sentence making it sound mysterious and wonderful.

VOCABULARY

- **argyle**, *adj*
a pattern of varicolored diamonds on a solid background
- **Holstein**, *n*
a black-and-white dairy cow
- **milled**, *v*
moved around in a large group
- **modest**, *adj*
shy, not showy
- **turban**, *n*
a headdress made by wrapping a long cloth around a cap

Motherhood and a Hubcap

Just the Facts

1. What did Moo call the pebbles?
2. What animal said she had triplets?
3. What did Elvis say the hubcap looked like?

Between the Lines

4. How did Moo explain the missing Rock that Never Moves?
5. Why did Madge think the mother rock had just had the baby rocks?
6. What did Minnie do to signal that she was having a vision?

Let's Discuss

7. Why did all the animals start talking about their children?
8. How do you know the sheep were nervous when they thought the UFO might return?
9. How does Elvis react to the wonders the animals see?
10. Make a prediction: What made the big footprint?



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In the Real World

Exhibit #2: Here on Earth! Find a photo or news story about something that occurs naturally on the Earth – a rock, land formation, water, etc. Create an exciting title for your exhibit. Write a sentence making it sound mysterious and wonderful.

VOCABULARY

- **fava (beans), *n***
a broad bean distantly related to green or snap beans; also called broad bean, horse bean, English bean, Windsor bean
- **okra, *n***
a green, pod-like vegetable, grown in this country primarily in the South
- **quillion, *adj***
a made-up word meaning a large amount, based on words like million, billion, trillion, quadrillion, etc.
- **steamroller, *n***
a large, wheeled machine used to crush rocks into small pieces

The Well of Troubles

CHAPTER

5

Just the Facts

1. Where is the Well of Troubles located?
2. What had happened when Bea scared Madge in the past?
3. Where did the chickens chase Elvis?

Between the Lines

4. What had moved in the murky water of the Well of Troubles?
5. What caused all the animals to remember things they had done wrong?
6. What caused Hamlet's uncle suddenly to apologize for jumping in mud in the past?

Let's Discuss

7. What was making all the animals cry at the Well of Troubles?
8. Why did most of the animals feel better after they visited the Well of Troubles?
9. Why had Elvis spent so much time at another rooster's birthday party?
10. Make a prediction: What has frightened Elvis and the chickens?



In the Real World

Exhibit #3: It Grows! Find a photo or news story about something in the plant world that could make an unusual exhibit. Create an exciting title for your plant exhibit. Write a sentence making it sound mysterious and wonderful.

VOCABULARY

- **curdled**, *v*
spoiled the milk; caused curds to form in the milk
- **hairball**, *n*
a collection of hair from a cat's coat, collected when the cat cleans itself by licking its fur
- **hootchie-kootchie**, *n*
originally the hoochie-coochie; a dance from the early 1900s that involved a lot of wiggling and shaking of the hips
- **murky**, *adj*
dark and cloudy

The Mystery Spot

Just the Facts

1. Who suggested that Minnie and Moo could get the crowd back if they offered the next wonder for free?
2. Where did the animals go to see The Mystery Spot?
3. What happened to the animals at The Mystery Spot?

Between the Lines

4. Why did Minnie get upset when Elvis tried to tell them about the monster?
5. What scared Moo more than Elvis's report of the monster?
6. What caused the sheep to moan loudly?

Let's Discuss

7. Why is it so important to Moo to keep going on with the Seven Wonders tour?
8. Why did Minnie say the events at The Mystery Spot were "science"?
9. How do you explain the changing of the length of the animals legs at The Mystery Spot?
10. Make a prediction: What is causing the Sixth Wonder of the World?

In the Real World

Exhibit #4: It's Alive! Find a photo or news story about an animal or insect that would make a good exhibit. Create an exciting title for your exhibit. Write a sentence making it sound mysterious and wonderful.



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VOCABULARY

- **dog paddle, *v***
a swimming stroke in which the arms paddle and the legs kick
- **molted, *v***
shed feathers
- **noggin, *n***
a slang word for the head
- **screwy, *adj***
strange, crazy

The Brood of Shorts

Just the Facts

1. What kinds of clothing were flying through the air?
2. What did Moo put in the clothes to make them float?
3. What piece of clothing fell on Elvis?

Between the Lines

4. What had Minnie and Moo collected in the donation jar at this point?
5. How did Minnie and Moo explain the flying clothing to the animals?
6. Why did the birds attack the flying clothing?

Let's Discuss

7. How did the balloons make the clothes fly?
8. Why did the animals accept Moo's explanation for the flying clothes?
9. Why are Minnie and Moo surprised at the appearance of Big Hoof?
10. Make a prediction: What is the unusual creature?



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VOCABULARY

- **brood**, *n*
usually, a family of young animals; in this case, a group of shorts
- **Hawaiian (shirt)**, *adj*
a shirt made of brightly printed fabric, typically worn in the state of Hawaii
- **petrified (wood)**, *adj*
turned to stone, scared
- **washers**, *n*
flat, thin rings used in plumbing and machines to ensure a tight fit between two pieces of metal or other material

In the Real World

Exhibit #5: Champions and Challengers! Find a photo or news story about a sports competitor or event in the sports section of the newspaper. Create an exciting title for your sports exhibit. Write a sentence making it sound mysterious and wonderful.

The Seventh Wonder

Just the Facts

1. What did the creature have instead of hooves?
2. What was the creature?
3. What kind of vehicle appeared at the edge of the road?

Between the Lines

4. Why did the rhinoceros say she wouldn't eat the animals?
5. How did the rhinoceros feel about freedom?
6. What important piece of information did Irene have for the animals?

Let's Discuss

7. How do you know the people who appear are looking for Irene?
8. How did Moo make such a mistake about Mr. Farmer?
9. Why is Elvis still fussing about his gift?
10. Make a prediction: What will happen to Irene?



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VOCABULARY

- **crops, *n***
plants that are grown and harvested to make money
- **Humvee, *n***
a large military vehicle that replaced the jeep and is used for many different purposes
- **jodhpurs, *n***
riding pants that are cut full through the hips and close-fitting from the knee to the ankle
- **pith helmets, *n***
helmets made of spongy plant fibers
- **vegetarian, *n***
someone who eats only vegetables, fruits, grains and nuts

In the Real World

Exhibit #6: Giggles! Find a person, thing or event in the comic strips that would make a funny exhibit. Create an exciting title for your comics exhibit. Write a sentence making it sound mysterious and wonderful.

The Forest Octopus

Just the Facts

1. What did the animals at the zoo call the volunteers?
2. What was the name of the woman from Pocahontas Lodge 453?
3. What did Elsie think Elvis was?

Between the Lines

4. Why did Minnie think it would be impossible to look “normal” when the women found them?
5. Why did the Dotty Docents give up their search for Irene?
6. Why did Elvis think the money in the jar was for him?

Let's Discuss

7. What kind of lodge did the women belong to? What do lodges like this do?
8. Why do you think the women mistook the animals for other creatures?
9. Why do you think the women gave the animals money?
10. Make a prediction: What will happen to the money?



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In the Real World

Exhibit # 7: On With the Show! Find a news story or photo about an entertainer or performance event that would be an inviting exhibit.

Create an exciting title for your entertainment exhibit. Write a sentence making it sound mysterious and wonderful.

VOCABULARY

- **Bipedal**, *adj*; **Gastropod**, *n*
bipedal: having two feet;
gastropod: a type of snail
- **Dotty**, *adj*; **Docents**, *n*
dotty: eccentric in an amusing way;
docent: someone who gives tours at a museum, art gallery or other cultural site
- **pitch pipe**, *n*
a small reed pipe which produces a tone used to help a person establish pitch in singing or in tuning an instrument

Just the Facts

1. How much money was left in the jar after some of the bills blew away?
2. Where did Hamlet take the jar of money?
3. In what vegetable did Mr. Wilkerson find money?

Between the Lines

4. Who reassured Moo that thinking really was good?
5. Where did the money in Mr. Wilkerson's garden come from?
6. Why did Irene plan to go away?

Let's Discuss

7. What kind of cow would Irene look like if Minnie and Moo painted her black and white?
8. Why would Elvis want sunscreen?
9. What did Moo do to make sure Mr. Farmer wouldn't discover Irene?
10. What lessons do you think Minnie and Moo learned from their adventure?



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VOCABULARY

- **plucking**, *v*
picking or pulling something
- **sunscreen**, *n*
a lotion or liquid used to prevent sunburn
- **tended**, *v*
took care of

In the Real World

The reviews are in! Make the last page of your notebook a collection of words that tell how great your exhibits are. Cut out words from the movie section and ads that mean “great” or “wonderful.” Paste the words all over the last page in your notebook.

ADDITIONAL ACTIVITIES

1 Have students use reference books or the Internet to research the Seven Wonders of the Ancient World. Create a bulletin board with student illustrations of the wonders. Have students write a brief history of each wonder and attach it to the illustration.

Check this website:

<http://www.cnn.com/TRAVEL/DESTINATIONS/9705/seven.wonders/>

2 Have students use reference books or the Internet to research other structures and locations that have been identified as “wonders of the world.” Have each student select one topic to research. Have students create posters displaying the topic of their research.

3 Have students discuss what they would consider to be the seven wonders of the current world. Put students in small groups. Have each group select an object or location it would nominate as a modern wonder. Have the groups research their choices and present arguments supporting them.

4 Have students use reference books or the Internet to identify items and locations considered “oddities” by others. Have each select one oddity to research and share with the class.

Check these websites:

www.ripleys.com
www.EccentricAmerica.net

For additional research on the Seven Wonders of the World recommended by The Seattle Times Newspapers In Education:

<http://www.travelchannel.com/interests/arts-and-culture/articles/arts-and-culture>

<http://www.kidsdiscover.com/blog/spotlight/new-7-wonders-for-kids/>

<http://library.thinkquest.org/J002388/>

<http://www.infoplease.com/world/buildings-structures/seven-new-wonders.html>

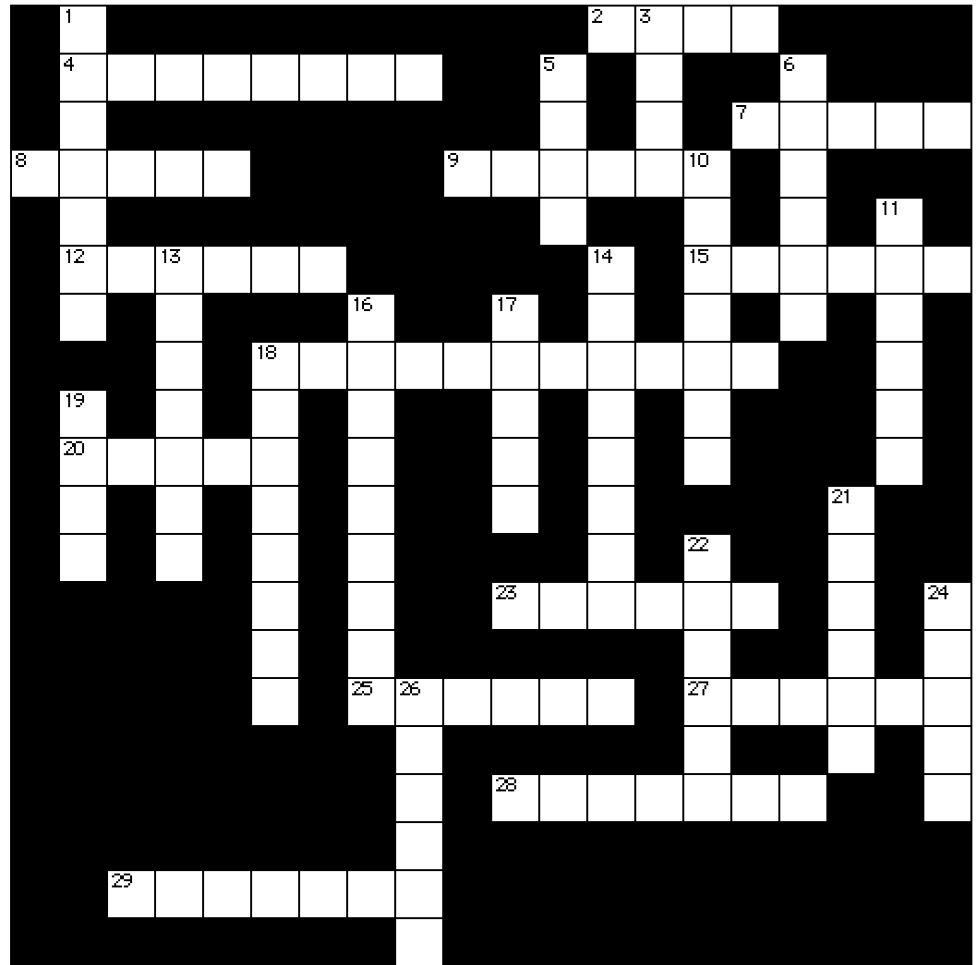
<http://kids.nationalgeographic.com/kids/stories/history/ancient-wonders/>

WHAT'S IN A NAME?

Supply the missing letters to complete the names of characters in the story.

She worried about losing the farm	_ O O
She wore a purple bathrobe and a turban	_ I _ _ I E
He wanted his “gift”	E _ _ I _
He wore a Hawaiian shirt	_ A _ _ E _
She was a Holstein	_ A _ _ E
She said “Foop”	I _ E _ E
She was a Dotty Docent	E _ _ I E

CROSSWORD PUZZLE



Across

- 2 a curved covering of horn that covers the front part of the foot on some animals
- 4 coffee brewed by forcing steam through finely ground dark coffee beans
- 7 small prickly parts of plants
- 8 dark and cloudy
- 9 a metal disk on the wheel of a car
- 12 another word for your head
- 15 loose, rounded pieces of rock
- 18 a large wheeled machine used to crush rocks into small pieces
- 20 from another planet
- 23 swelling on the joint of the big tow
- 25 guide in a museum
- 27 a formal eveningwear suit for men
- 28 having two feet
- 29 strong flow of air or water

Down

- 1 small, shiny disks of plastic or metal used for ornamentation
- 3 a green pod-like vegetable
- 5 small lies
- 6 a headdress
- 10 young pigs
- 11 took care of
- 13 a small silver fish
- 14 a black and white cow
- 16 turned to stone
- 17 plants grown and harvested to make money
- 18 a lotion or liquid used to prevent sunburn
- 19 a kind of broad bean
- 21 a large military vehicle
- 22 shed feathers
- 24 family of young animals
- 26 something unusual or unique

WORD SEARCH

Z P T R G I C V H C F B D O O R B G H Q N T Y U C Q H Q B V R
 Y Y Z D O N A T I O N F E S E B E C X O J H B O O W V E K A H
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 Z B J H V I R Q Y H E T U A Y D O J N H I E R N O T E
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 HUMVEE
 ARGYLE
 MURKY

SUNSCREEN
 DONATION
 SEQUINS
 ODDITY
 NOGGIN
 FAVA

SQUILLION
 ESPRESSO
 BIPEDAL
 DOCENT
 TURBAN
 OKRA

LONGJOHNS
 HAIRBALL
 CURDLED
 BUNION
 BROOD
 PETRIFIED

MUTTERED
 WASHERS
 MOLTED
 DOTTY

ANSWERS TO CHAPTER QUESTIONS

Chapter 1: No So Good News

1. A terry-cloth robe
2. Town-council meetings
3. It has silver sequins and a plunging neckline.
4. She's afraid Mr. Farmer will have to sell the farm.
5. Apparently, they tried to go the moon.
6. Chocolates, an espresso machine, hot tub, electric hair dryers, cosmetics and fancy clothes.
7. Mr. Farmer often complains, but nothing really happens.
8. Answers will vary. People might think of only negative events, they might worry about things that haven't happened yet.
9. Answers will vary. The bunion may actually look like something. She may be coming up with a plan.
10. Predictions will vary.

Chapter 2: The Seven Wonders

1. Dinosaurs
2. Hubcap
3. Their legs will grow longer on one side and shorter on the other.
4. People are curious and love mystery.
5. Answers may vary. She's just going to have people look at common objects in a new way.
6. Wilkerson's Woods.
7. He was the first president. He led the colonial army in the Revolutionary War.
8. The real Bermuda Triangle is an area in the Atlantic Ocean. Many people think that ships and planes have disappeared without explanation in that area. People think there may be supernatural or alien forces that cause the disappearances.
9. Answers will vary.
10. Predictions will vary.

Chapter 3: The Presidential Bunion

1. A black tuxedo with tails and a top hat
2. Bea and Madge Holstein
3. One of the sheep
4. The swelling on Minnie's toe had gone down overnight.
5. Elvis, the rooster
6. When Moo said Elvis had a wonderful gift, she was referring to his eyesight. Elvis thought she meant a gift like a present.
7. Answers may vary. The conventional image of someone who claims to see

the future, etc., is exotic. Minnie's costume looks exotic, with a flowing fancy robe and a turban with a jewel in the center.

8. Answers may vary. A traditional bowling ball is black. Bowling balls come in a variety of colors, however, they are solid colors. A "crystal ball" should be clear so the seer can see images in it.
9. Answers may vary. People's visions reflect what they know about and what they are concerned about.
10. Predictions will vary.

Chapter 4: Motherhood and a Hubcap

1. Baby rocks
2. One of the sheep
3. A garbage can lid
4. The rock was a mother rock that had been sitting there for a squillion years having the baby rocks (pebbles).
5. One pebble was still warm.
6. She moaned and said she was feeling vibrations.
7. Answers may vary. Mothers like to talk about their children and how much they suffered in childbirth.
8. They left the circle quickly and huddled together under a tree.
9. He acts like he doesn't believe Minnie and Moo. He makes a joke about the baby rocks being crushed into sand. He doesn't believe anyone would want fava beans and okra. He recognizes the hubcap as a garbage can lid.
10. Predictions will vary.

Chapter 5: The Well of Troubles

1. In the Bermuda Triangle
2. Madge's milk had curdled.
3. Down the road
4. A frog
5. They thought a voice in the well was saying "naughty" and accusing them. They all started thinking about things they had done wrong.
6. Moo was talking generally about people sometimes making mistakes and used the expression "it's difficult not to step in life's mud puddles..." Snort thought she was referring specifically about a time when he jumped in a mud puddle and didn't share.
7. They had stomped on onions and crushed them. The fumes from the onions made the animals' eyes tear up.
8. Answers may vary. The animals

apologized to their friends for past acts; they forgave each other. They probably felt better after they admitted their wrongdoing.

9. Answers may vary. He didn't want to have to work. It was more fun to go to a party than to sort eggs.
10. Predictions will vary.

Chapter 6: The Mystery Spot

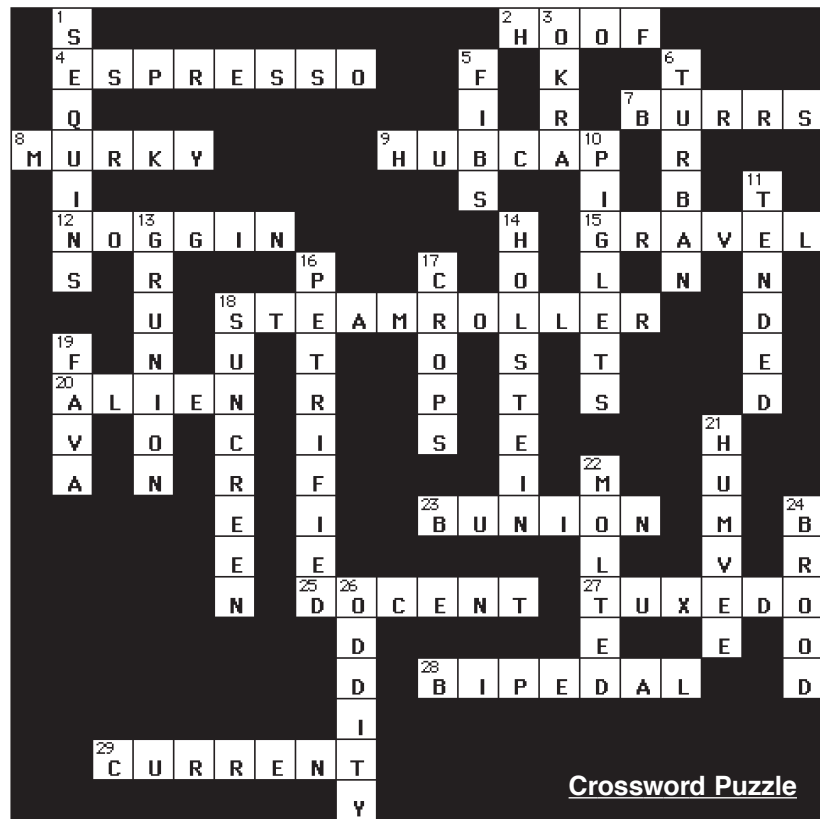
1. Hamlet
2. On the side of the hill
3. When they stood on the side of the hill, it looked like their legs on the downhill side were longer than their legs on the uphill side.
4. He kept talking about everything except the monster. He talked about how he was trying to explain himself to the chickens.
5. The possibility of losing the farm
6. They saw a pair of long johns floating in the air over their heads.
7. She's afraid of losing the farm: her home and her lifestyle.
8. It made it sound like the effects were more than just a trick or an optical illusion.
9. When you stand on the side of a hill, you stretch out your leg on the downhill side and pull up the leg on the uphill side to keep the rest of your body balanced.
10. Predictions will vary.

Chapter 7: The Brood of Shorts

1. Long underwear, a blouse, overalls, socks, shorts, panty hose and a pajama top
2. Helium balloons
3. A pair of jockey shorts
4. \$2.35, an I.O.U., two eggs, a handful of dried corn and six metal washers
5. They said Farmer Power caused the clothes to fly through the air.
6. They were afraid the clothes would land on their nest.
7. They were filled with helium. Helium is lighter than air, so the balloons rise.
8. Answers will vary. They were gullible, or they saw Mr. Farmer as an authority figure, so it was easy to believe he could do unusual things.
9. The creature that appeared was not one of their creations. They hadn't planned for its appearance.
10. Predictions will vary.

Chapter 8: The Seventh Wonder

- Toes
- A rhinoceros
- A Humvee
- She was a vegetarian; she ate only plants
- She had mixed feelings. She wanted to be free, but she was lonely.
- It wasn't Mr. Farmer who needed money; it was Mr. Wilkerson. Mr. Farmer was trying to find a way to help Mr. Wilkerson.
- Answers may vary. They are dressed the way safari hunters are usually portrayed — pith helmets, hunting jackets and jodhpurs. They were poking the bushes with long poles. The animals know that Irene escaped from a zoo and the zookeepers would logically try to find her.
- Answers may vary. Moo only heard bits and pieces of a conversation and jumped to conclusions.
- Answers will vary. He's self-centered. He truly believes the cows owe him a gift.
- Predictions will vary.



Crossword Puzzle

Chapter 9: The Forest Octopus

- The Dotty Docents
- Elsie Maxwell
- A baby buzzard in diapers
- They were supposed to be barnyard animals, but Minnie was wearing a purple bathrobe, Moo was wearing a tuxedo, Hamlet was wearing a Hawaiian shirt, and Elvis was wearing jockey shorts. They didn't look like typical animals at all. Their strange attire looked suspicious.
- Answers may vary. They were confused. They didn't want to miss their next meeting.
- Answers may vary. He was still looking for his gift. Elsie handed him the jar after the women had put money in and he thought it was for him.
- Answers may vary. Lodges are social organizations where people meet and work together on humanitarian causes.
- Answers may vary. The women are portrayed as distracted and easily confused.
- They were used to giving money for worthy causes. They were taken in by Elvis's claim that the other lodge was collecting money for the Forest Octopus.
- Predictions will vary.

Chapter 10: It's a Wonder!

- \$16.08
- By the gate at the Wilkerson farm
- In the lettuce. In some slang, the word "lettuce" refers to currency bills.
- Irene. She told Moo that she had been helped by Moo's thinking.
- It was the money that had blown out of the donation jar.
- She was afraid the animals would get in trouble if she was found with them.
- A Holstein
- When he was frightened by Irene earlier, he lost his feathers. Now he doesn't have any protection from the sun.
- She stole his glasses so he wouldn't be able to see clearly.
- Answers will vary.

Trivia questions

Chapters

- What will the cows have to eat if the farm is sold?
Hay, three times a day
- What is the FLJ Mystery?
The "flying long johns" mystery
- What is the name of the butcher?
Mr. Bartolucci
- According to Moo, what did the UFO steal from the garden?
Fava beans and okra

- Why did Madge apologize to Bea?
She apologized for putting bubble gum in her tuba.
- What was the name of Elvis's friend, the rooster who had the birthday party?
Carlos
- What was the only piece of clothing to escape the attack by the birds?
The party hose
- What kind of pie had Minnie eaten while Mr. and Mrs. Farmer were away?
Lemon cream
- What animal were the Dotty Docents raising money for?
The Bipedal Gastropod
- Where did Moo find Mr. Farmer's glasses?
On the seat of his tractor

What's in a name

- MOO
- MINNIE
- ELVIS
- HAMLET
- MADGE
- IRENE
- ELSIE

