

The postman is bringing lots of postcards today. Can you match the words to the pictures?

Dear Jill and Mike,  
We're staying with our  
whole and aunt in  
Northern Ireland. They  
live in a big house by  
the sea. Yesterday we  
went riding on the  
beach.  
Love,  
Becky and Tom.

NEWCASTLE  
7PM  
15 AUG  
1999

Jill and Mike Robinson  
21 Ashgrove Road  
Summertown  
England

Dear Anna and David,  
The island is very  
quiet. There are lots  
of birds and not many  
people. We like it  
very much!  
Love to everyone,  
Granny and Grandad

ISLE OF ARRAN  
5 PM  
16 AUG  
1999

Mr and Mrs D. Robinson  
and family,  
21 Ashgrove Road  
Summertown  
England

Arran, off the west coast of Scotland

Dear Mike,  
I'm staying in the capital  
of Scotland. It's great!  
We saw this castle  
yesterday. It's on the top  
of a hill in the middle  
of the city. It's very  
old.  
See you soon,  
William

EDINBURGH  
7-8PM  
17 AUG  
1999

Mike Robinson  
21 Ashgrove Road  
Summertown  
England

Dear Jill,  
Today we went to  
Lands End. There are  
signposts pointing to  
other countries. We  
looked west but we  
couldn't see America!  
Love, Emma  
xxx

TRIZAN  
7AM  
16 AUG  
1999

Jill Robinson,  
21 Ashgrove Road  
Summertown

Dear Jill and Mike,  
This is a picture of the  
mountain I climbed  
yesterday. Grandma went  
up on the train but I  
walked. (I came down on  
the train!)  
Love, Grandpa  
Mount Snowdon is the  
highest mountain in Wales.

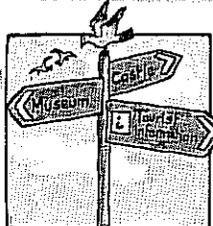
LANBETH  
4:30PM  
17 AUG  
1999

Jill and Mike Robinson  
21 Ashgrove Road  
Summertown  
England

Dear Jill and Mike,  
This is the town where  
Shakespeare was born.  
Yesterday we saw his  
house, his church, and  
his school. Then we went  
on a boat on the river.  
Lucy liked the river best!  
Lots of love,  
Paul, Sarah, and Lucy

STRATFORD-UPON-AVON  
11:30AM  
17 AUG  
1999

Jill and Mike Robinson  
21 Ashgrove Road  
Summertown



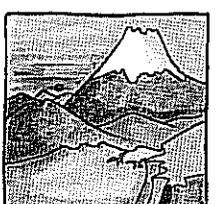
signpost



lake



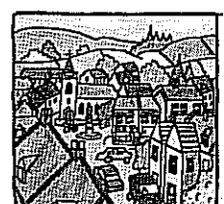
hill



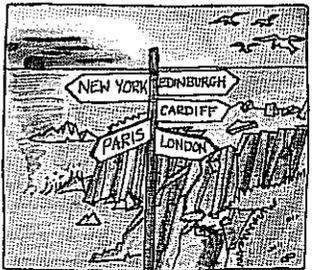
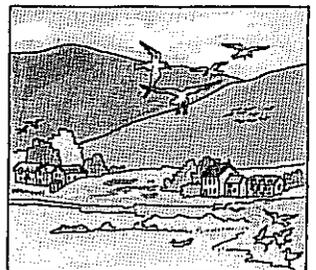
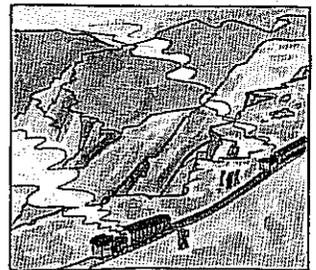
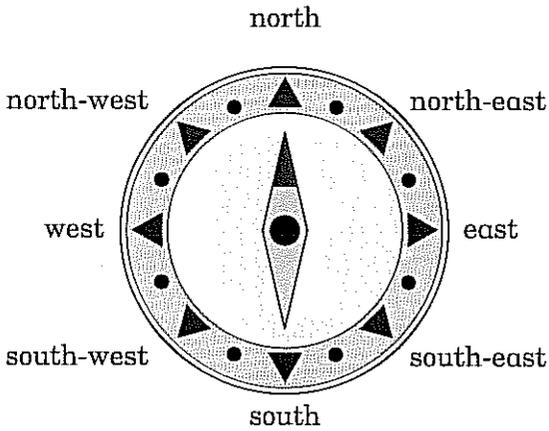
mountain



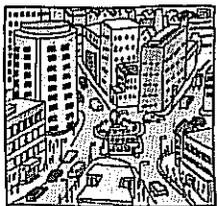
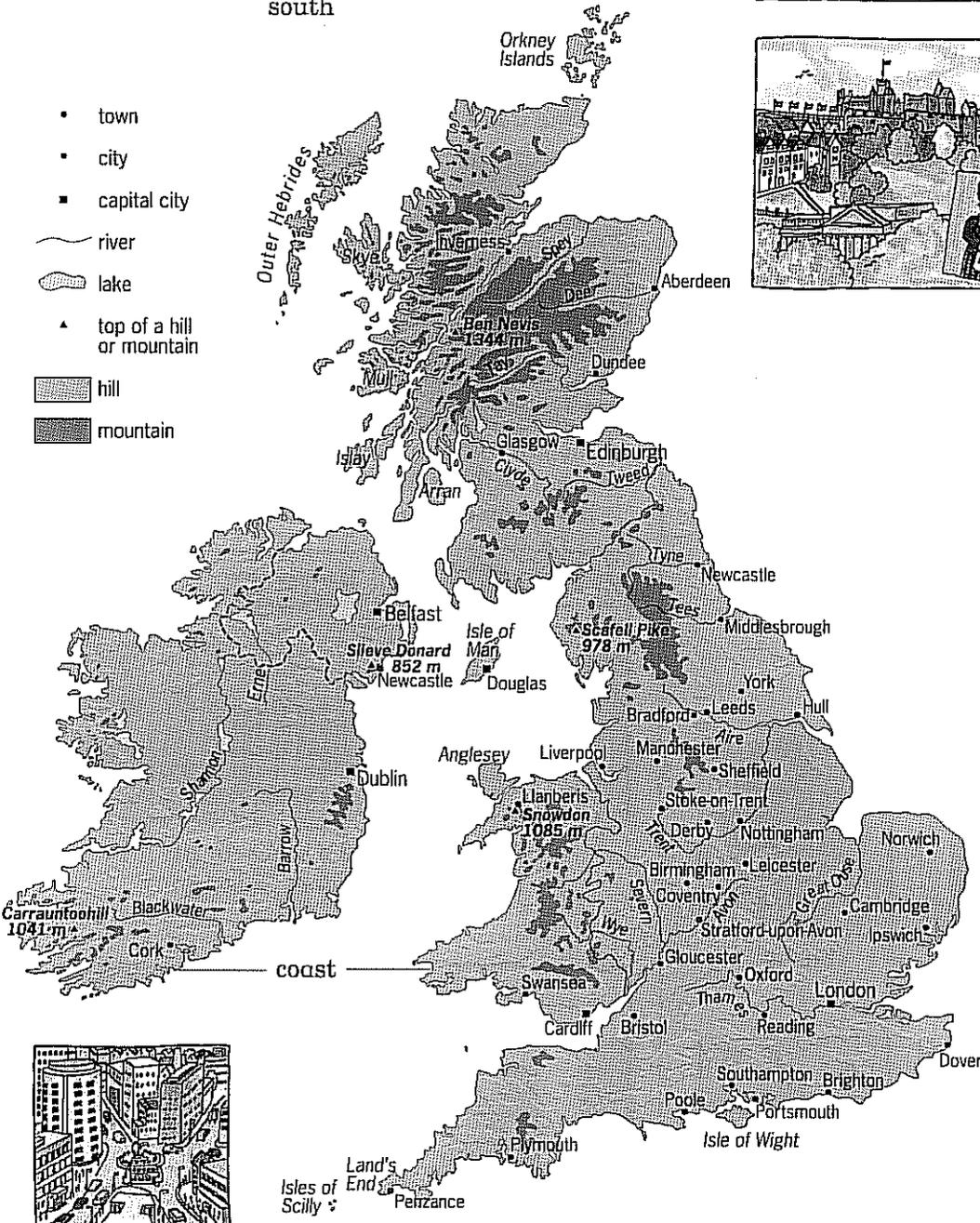
island



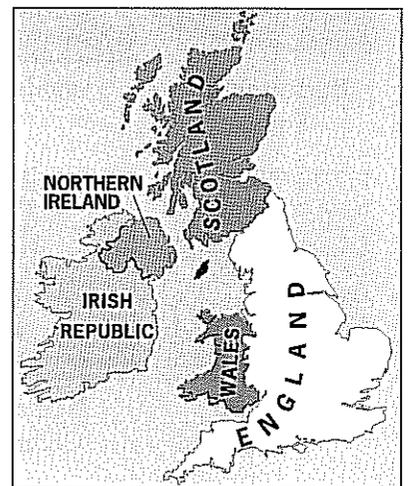
town



- town
- city
- capital city
- river
- lake
- ▲ top of a hill or mountain
- ▨ hill
- ▩ mountain



city



Our aunt, Jenny, lives in London. One weekend we went to stay with her and she took us sightseeing.

On Saturday we went to Buckingham Palace. We saw the soldiers but we didn't see the Queen. Then we went to Trafalgar Square and fed the pigeons. After lunch we went to the Natural History Museum. We stayed there all afternoon. There were lots of things to see. I liked the dinosaurs best. Then we went back to Jenny's house on the tube.

On Sunday morning we went to see the Houses of Parliament and Big Ben. We heard Big Ben strike eleven. Then we went on a boat on the River Thames. We saw lots of bridges. My favourite was Tower Bridge.

After lunch we went to the Tower of London. The buildings there are very old. The White Tower was built in 1078. We saw the Beefeaters and the Crown Jewels. At the end of the afternoon we were very tired. We went back to Jenny's house in a taxi.

It was a lovely weekend.



Buckingham Palace



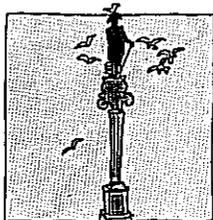
soldier



busby



Trafalgar Square



Nelson's Column

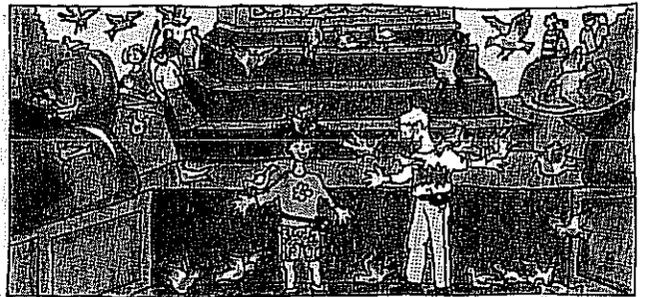


statue

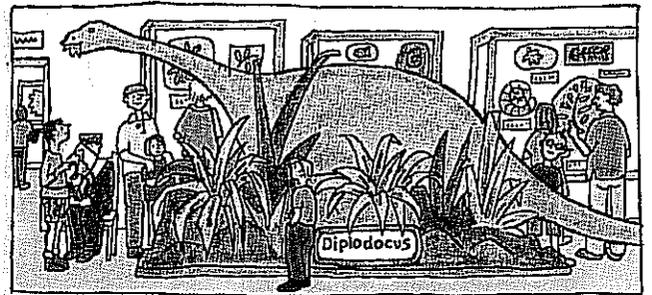
Saturday



This is Mike outside Buckingham Palace. It's the Queen's house in London. The soldier is wearing a hat called a 'busby'. It looks very hot.



This is Trafalgar Square. There's a statue of Nelson on 'Nelson's Column', some statues of lions, some fountains, and lots of pigeons!

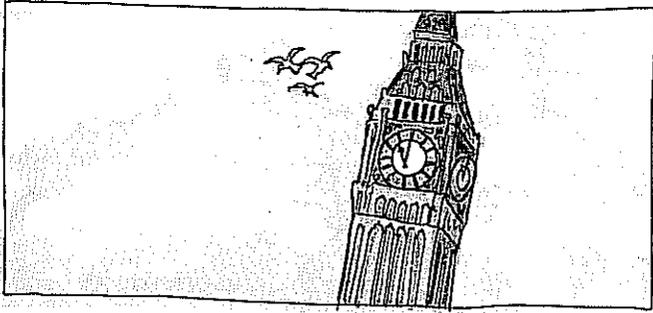


This is me and a dinosaur at the Natural History Museum.



This is Mike and Jenny on the escalator in the underground station. Londoners call the underground the 'tube'.

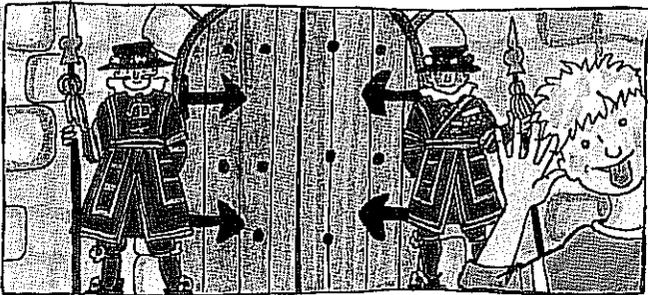
Sunday



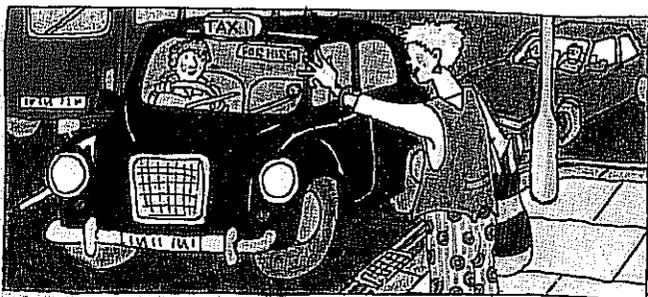
This is my photo of Big Ben. 'Big Ben' is really the name of the bell inside the clock.



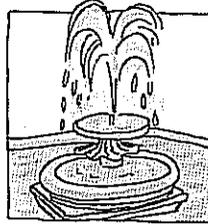
This is Mike and me on the boat by Tower Bridge.



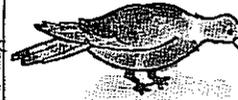
These are the soldiers at the Tower of London. They're called 'Beefeaters'. Mike's in the picture too - he's the one in a T-shirt!



This is Jenny and a London taxi.



fountain



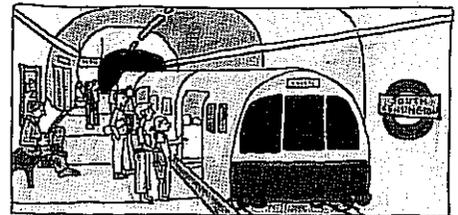
pigeon



museum



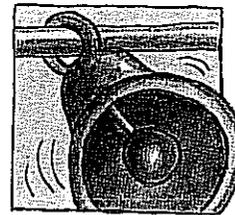
escalator



the tube / the underground



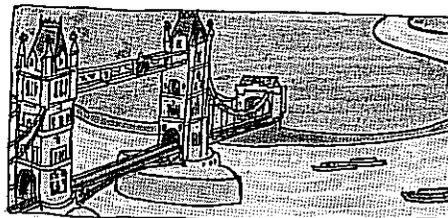
Big Ben



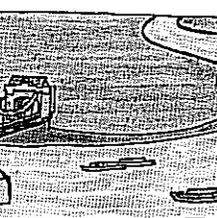
bell



Houses of Parliament



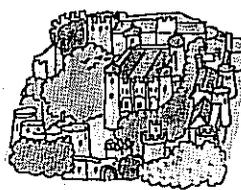
Tower Bridge



River Thames



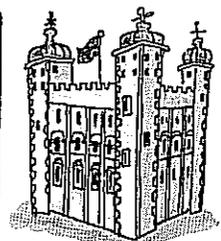
Beefeater



The Tower of London



The Crown Jewels

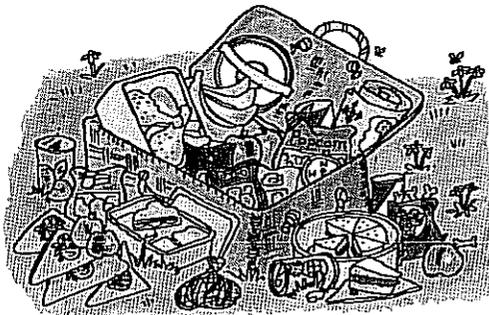


The White Tower



left

Jill, Mike, and their cousins are on a treasure hunt. Mike's got the first clue. But where is clue number two? And where is the treasure? (The 'treasure' is their picnic lunch!)

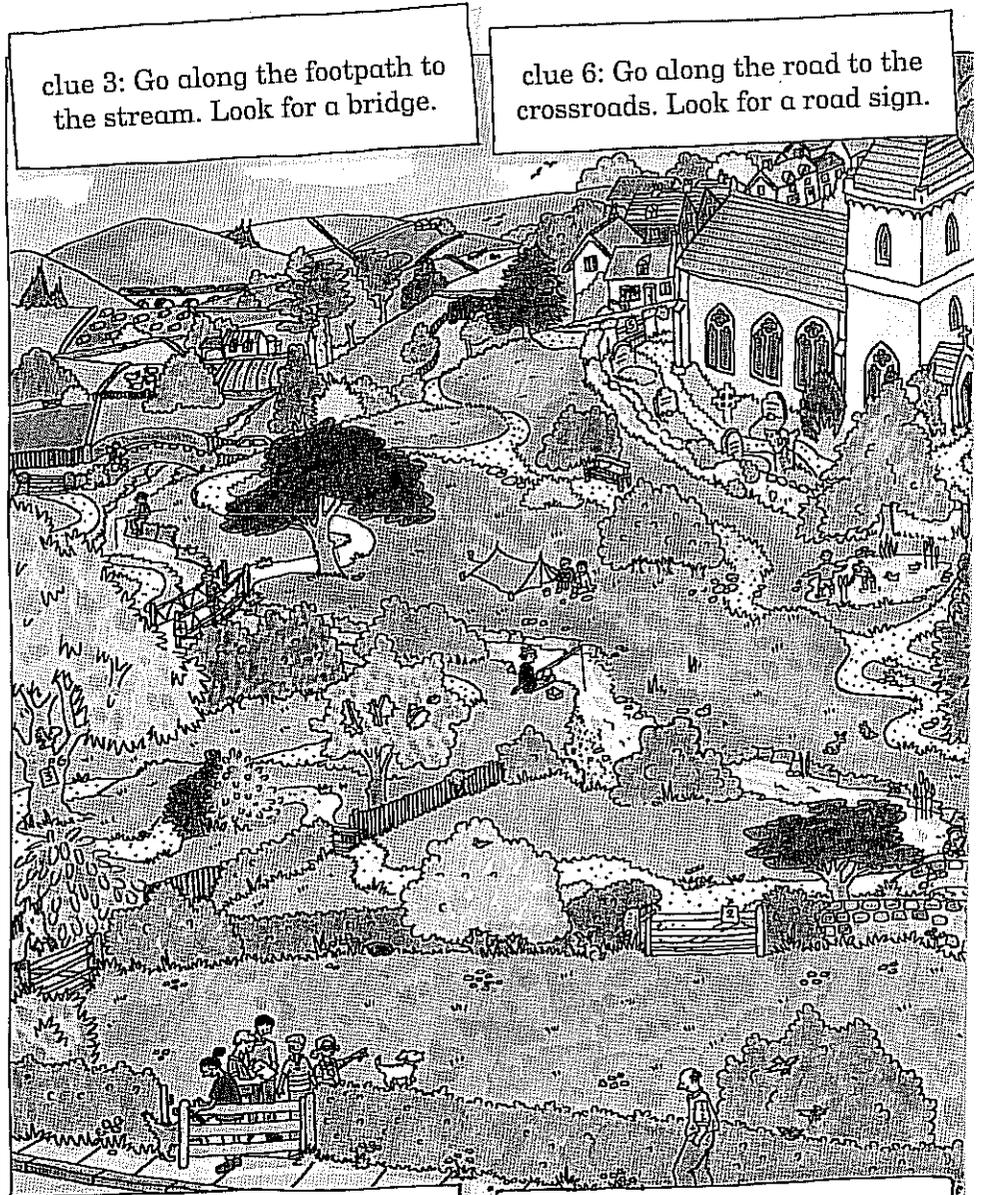


clue 1: Go across the field to the white gate.

clue 4: Go over the bridge and up the hill to the church gate.

clue 9: Turn left and go out of the wood. Look for a ladder.

clue 2: Go through the gate and turn left. Look for a big tree.



clue 3: Go along the footpath to the stream. Look for a bridge.

clue 6: Go along the road to the crossroads. Look for a road sign.



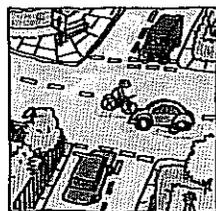
stream



footpath

clue 8: Go into the wood. Look for a seat.

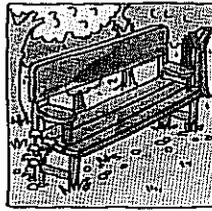
clue 10: Go up the ladder and look for ... the treasure!



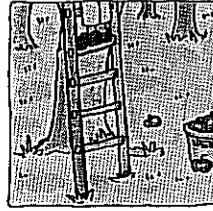
crossroads



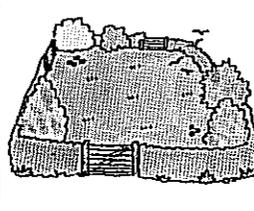
road sign



seat



ladder



field



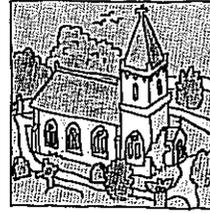
wood



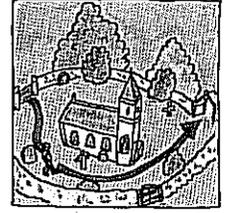
right

clue 5: Go round the church and turn right onto the road. Look for a postbox.

clue 7: Turn off the road. Go down the hill towards the wood. Look for some flowers.



church



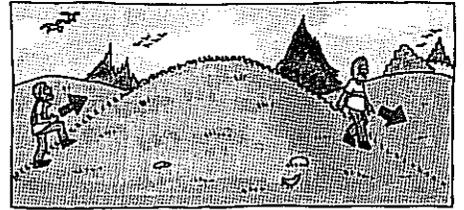
round the church



across the field

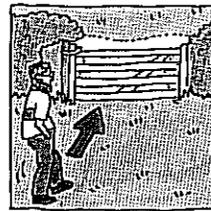


over the bridge



up the hill

down the hill



to the gate



through the gate



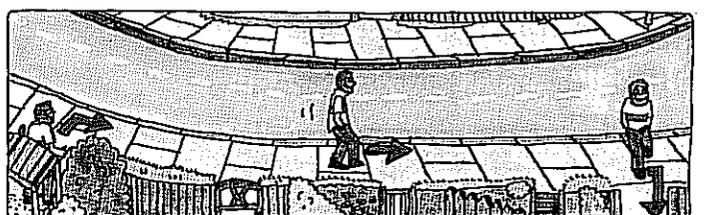
towards the wood



into the wood



out of the wood



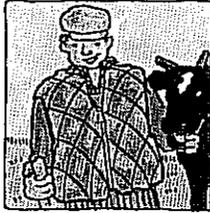
turn onto the road

go along the road

turn off the road



farm



farmer



barn



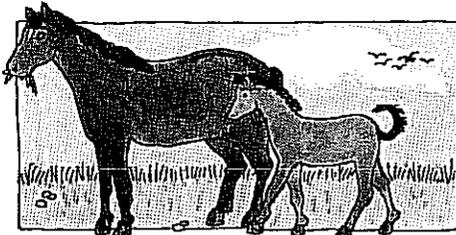
hay



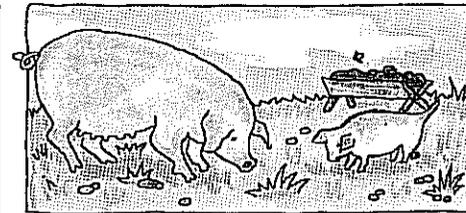
tractor



donkey

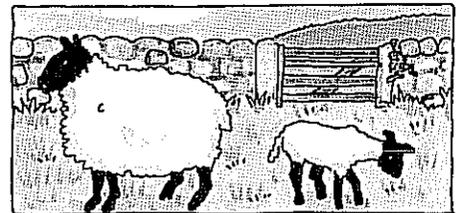


horse



pig

piglet



sheep

lamb

Jill's class and their teacher, Mr Benn, are visiting a farm.

Jill likes the horses best. The brown horse has a foal. It's called 'Moonlight'. Emma is feeding the chickens. The geese and the ducks are hungry too. Max is looking at the cows. There are two calves. They are ten days old. Charles likes the pigs. He thinks they're funny!

The farmer is driving his tractor. He's taking hay to the barn. 'Here are some apples,' he says. 'Give them to the goats and the donkey. But don't give them to the bull. He's not friendly!'

Jill sees the farmer's sheepdog, Bess. 'Where are the sheep?' she asks.

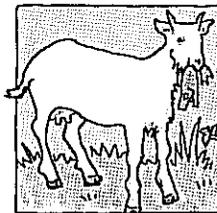
'In the field behind the hedge,' says the farmer. 'The lambs are playing by the bushes.'

'Where's Mr Benn?' says Emma.

'He's by the pond,' says Jill.

Mr Benn is sitting under a tree. It's a hot day. Mr Benn's jacket is on a branch.

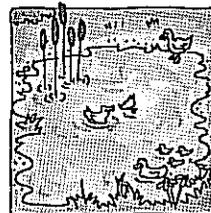
'Mr Benn! Mr Benn!' say the children. 'Come and look at the horses, ... the goats, ... the tractor, ... the pigs!' But Mr Benn doesn't answer. He's asleep.



goat



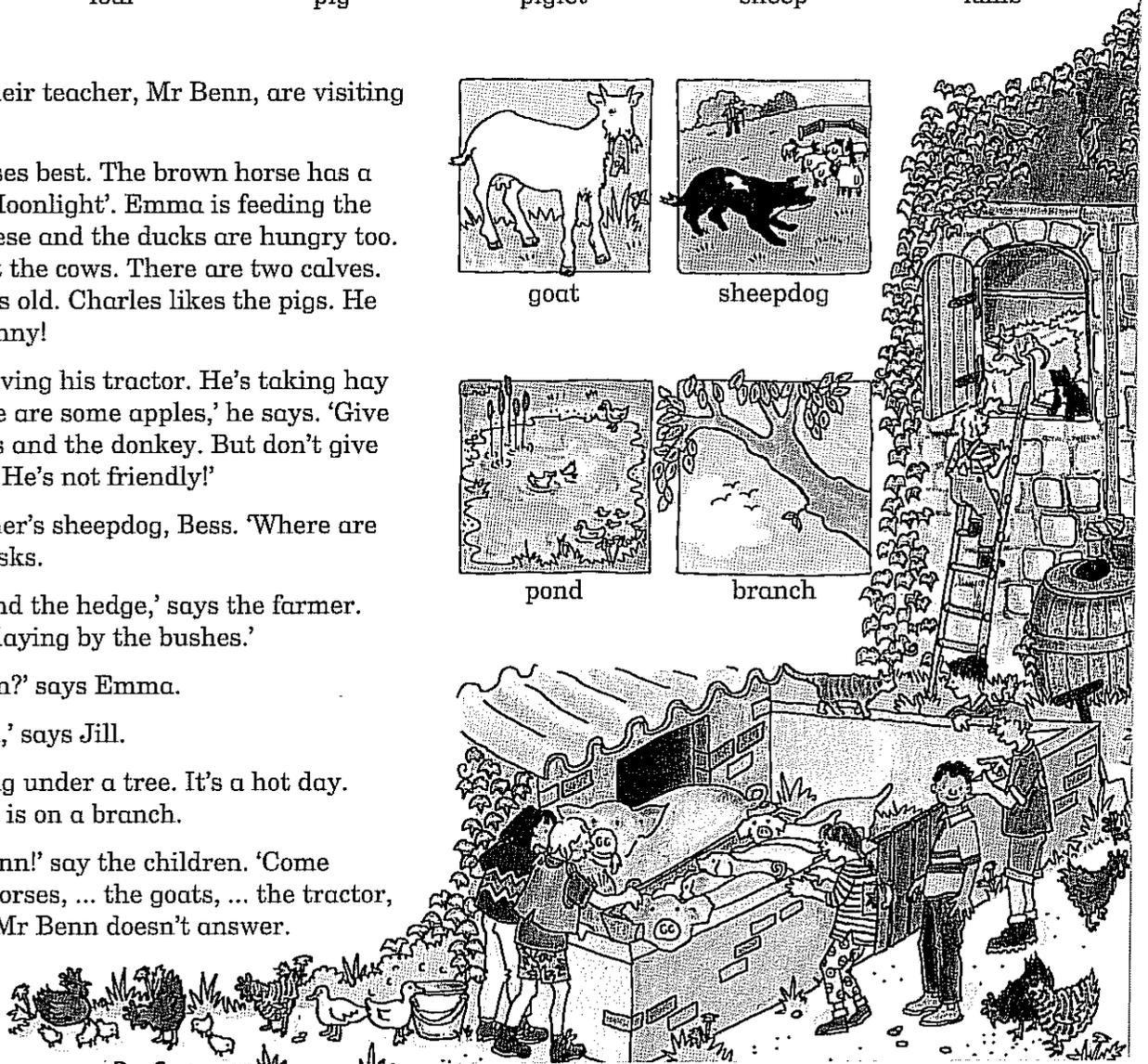
sheepdog

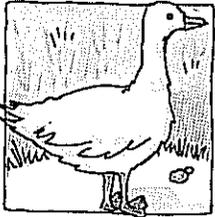


pond

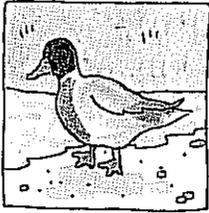


branch

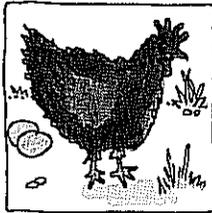




goose



duck



chicken

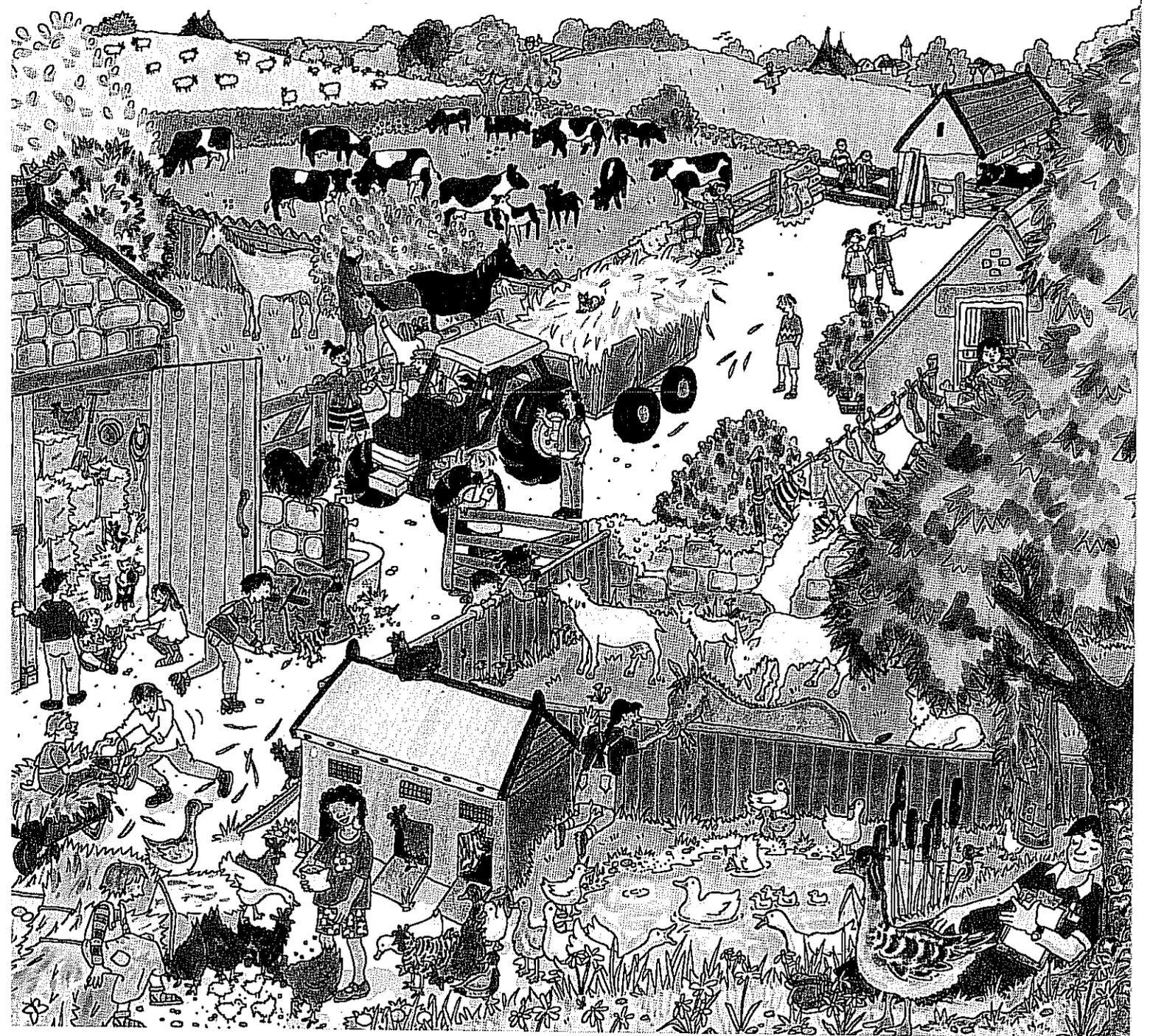


cow

calf

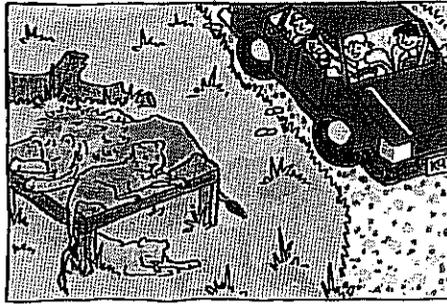


bull

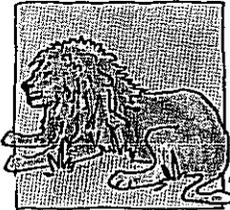


This is 'The Land of Animals Safari Park'. It's in England but the animals come from other countries.

Jill and Mike and their parents are driving through it.



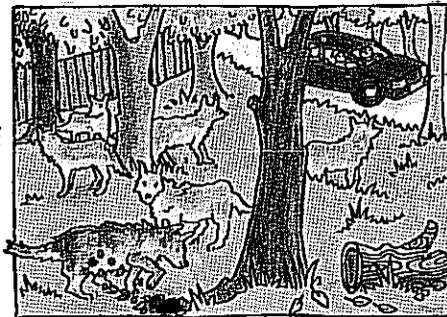
In 'Lion Land' a lion with a big mane is sleeping. Other lions are licking their paws.



lion



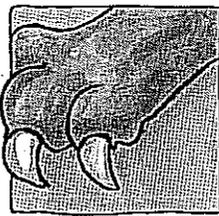
mane



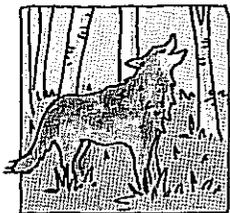
The wolves in 'Wolf Wood' look like dogs with grey fur. One wolf is digging. 'Muddy likes digging too,' says Jill.



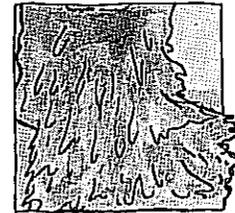
paw



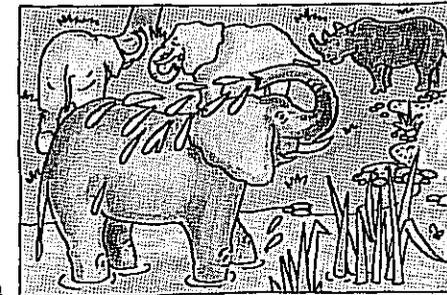
claw



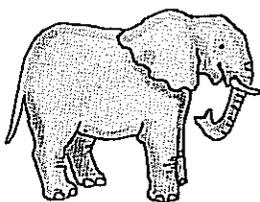
wolf



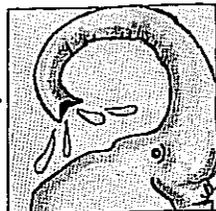
fur



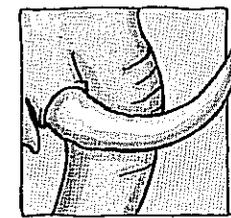
In 'Elephant Land' an elephant is using his trunk to have a shower! There's a rhinoceros by the water too.



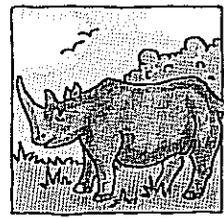
elephant



trunk



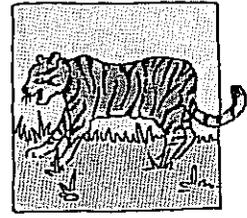
tusk



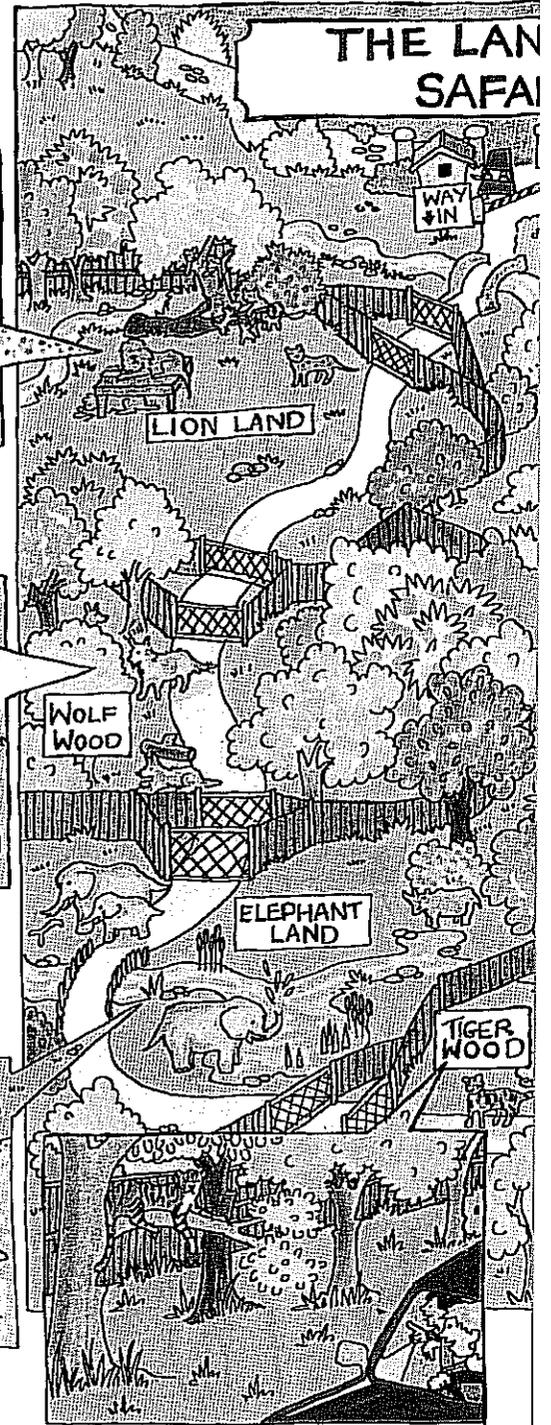
rhinoceros



horn



tiger



'Where are the tigers?' says Jill. 'Oh, there's one in the tree!'