



The Boat

Book 71: **The Boat** (Text Level Code 106)

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Reviewed Sound

- /ou/ long vowel - o

New Words

- boat, hole, rope, row

Level 18 Review Words

- fly, my, tie, plane

Plot Summary

Sam takes his friends to an island in his motor boat. While they are playing, the boat drifts away because Mat did not do a good job of tying it to a tree. Mit brings the boat back but finds it has been damaged. Mat calls for help and Nat comes to rescue them in a row boat.

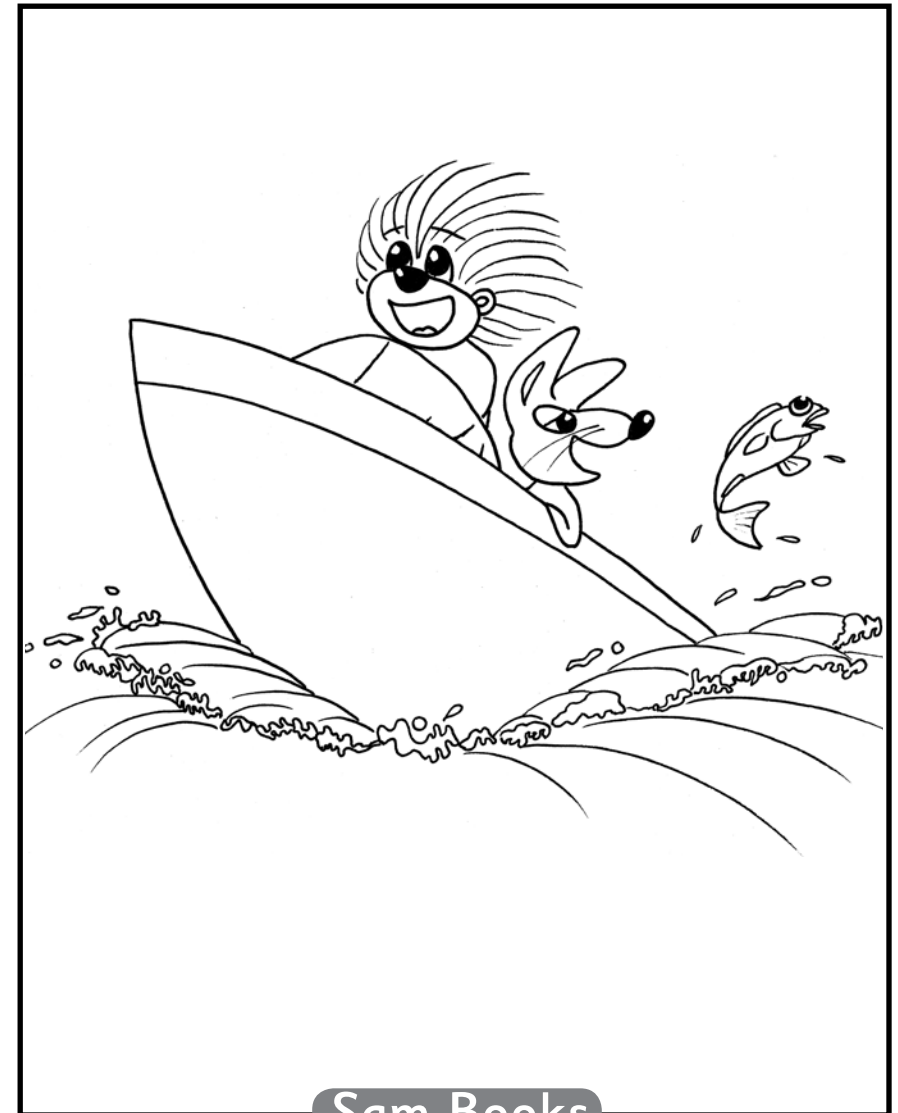
Story Questions (Comprehension)

1. page 3: Who lost his hat on the boat?
2. page 5: What did Mat use to tie the boat?
3. page 7: Who first saw the boat getting away?
4. page 10: Why was Sam sad?
5. page 14: How did Nat help Sam and his friends?

Each new word throughout the program is repeated at least five times in the book in which it first appears and five more times in the next ten books.

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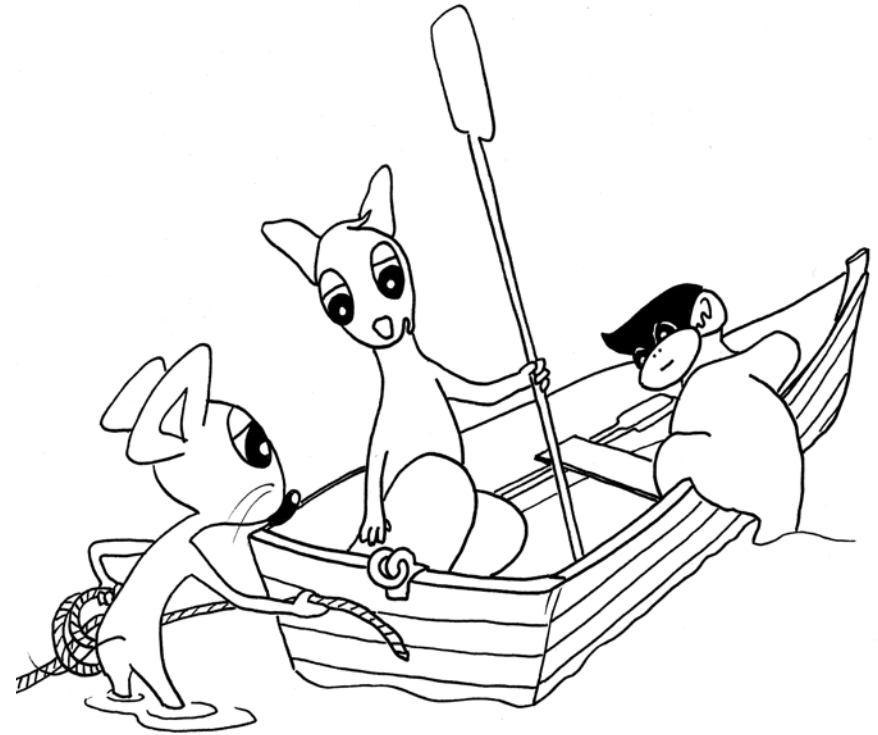


They cannot go back very fast.
They all sing a song as they row:
“Row, row, row the boat.
Row, row, row the boat.”

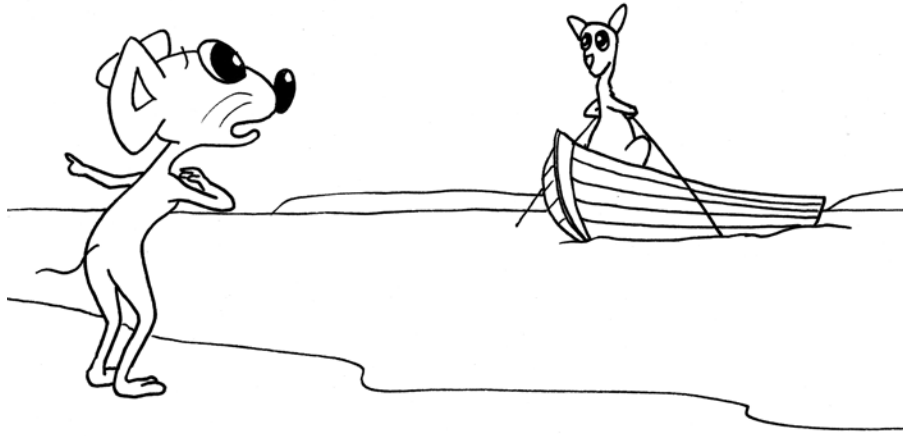
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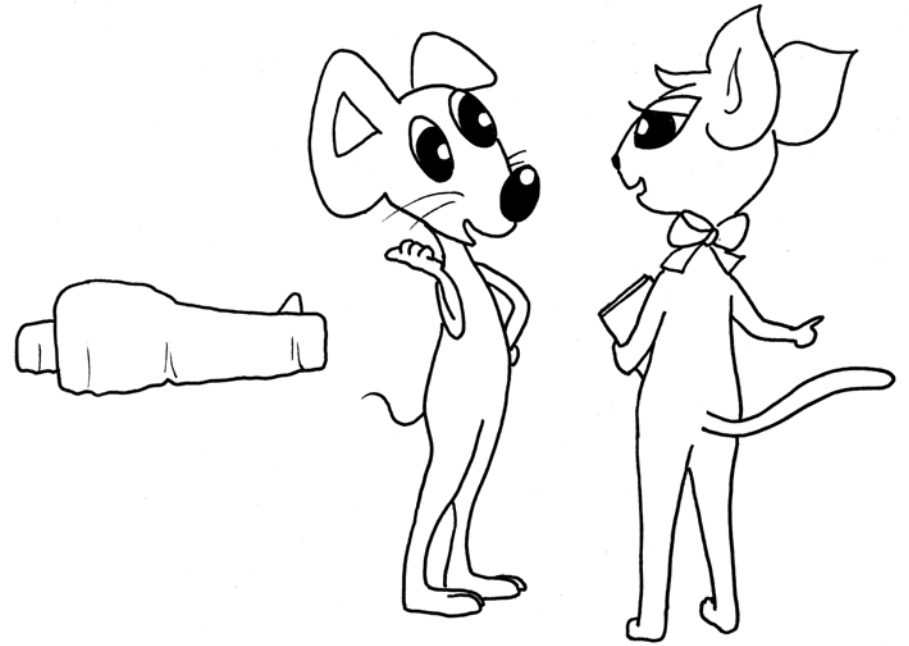
Level	Book	Title	New Words	New Sounds	TLC*
FOURTEEN	53	The Fish Pond	pond, swim, help, Pip, hop	/p/	54
	54	The Swim	hot		52
	55	The Big Dog	big, dog, go, get, bigger, pig	/g/	63
	56	Pip the Frog	kiss, ask, mask, frog	/k/	64
FIFTEEN	57	The Cub Camp	cub, camp, can, cat, back	/k/	72
	58	Jog and Jump	jam, jog, jump, up, fast, cup	/j/	94
	59	The Fig Van	van, very, figs, five, sacks	/v/	84
	60	Zip the Zebra	zebra, zip/zipper	/z/	89
SIXTEEN	61	Max the Fox	box, fox, Max	/k/ /s/	80
	62	Kit the Queen	Kit, queen, all, as	/k/ /w/	88
	63	Red Spots	chin, cheek, check, red, spots	/ch/	77
	64	The Sing Song	king, ring, sing, song, lost	/ng/	90
SEVENTEEN	65	The Thin Path	path, thin tree	/th/	100
	66	The Sack Jump	then, they	/th/	88
	67	Play with Clay	today, play, clay, make	/ai/	94
	68	The Egg	laid, lay, under, egg, snake	/ai/	104
EIGHTEEN	69	Fly the Kite	fly, sky, kite, my	/igh/	89
	70	The Plane	plane, high, tie	/igh/	90
	71	The Boat	boat, rope, hole, row	/ou/	106
	72	The Statue	statue, you, use, like, legs	/yoo/	91
NINETEEN	73	Farm Eggs	far, farm, arm, are	/ar/	111
	74	The Big Band	for, form, horn, band, drum	/or/	92
	75	The Bird	bird, dirt, nest, head	/er/	111
	76	The Clay Snake	chair, there	/air/	80
TWENTY	77	The Zoo Book	book, look, do, zoo, where	/oo/	84
	78	The Wall	wall, tall, small, too, park	/aw/	94
	79	The Owls	owl(s), now, how, ground, Dot, teach	/ou/	99
	80	The Toy Shop	coin, toy, bank, shop	/oi/	94



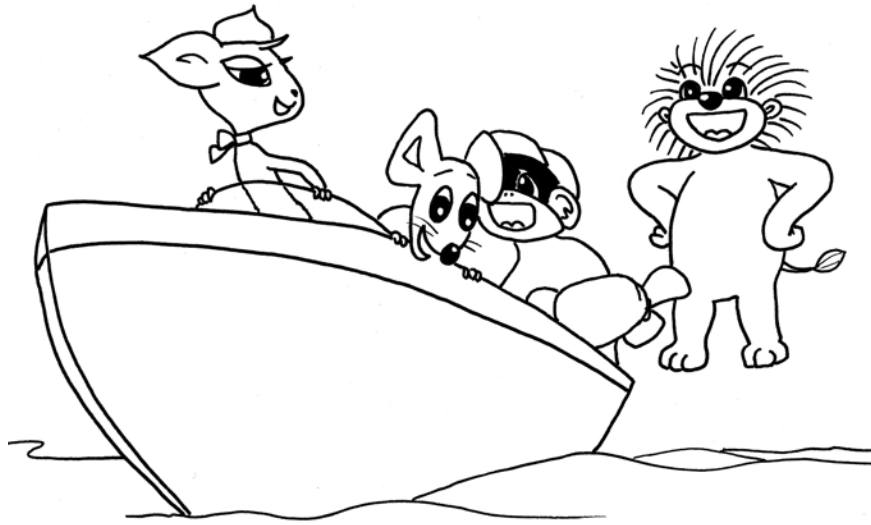
“Mat, tie the rope to this ring.”



“Nat, the boat was hit!
There is a hole in it.”



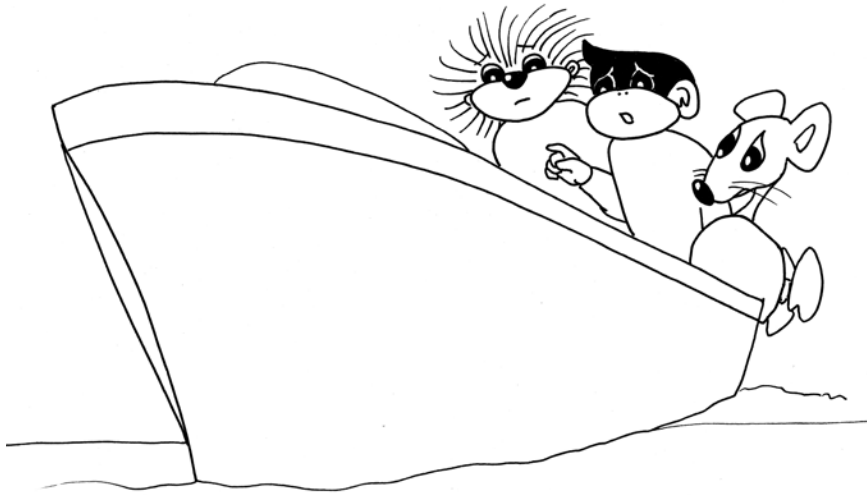
“What is that under the sheet?”
Says Mat.
“That is Sam’s plane,” says Kit.



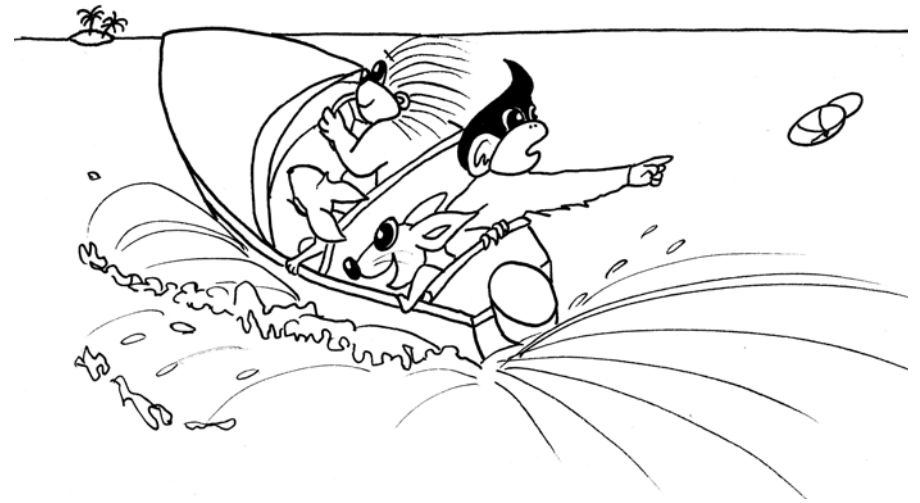
“Today we will not fly in the plane.
Today we will play in my boat,” says
Sam.



“I will fill the hole with clay. Nat can
help us get back in his row boat.”



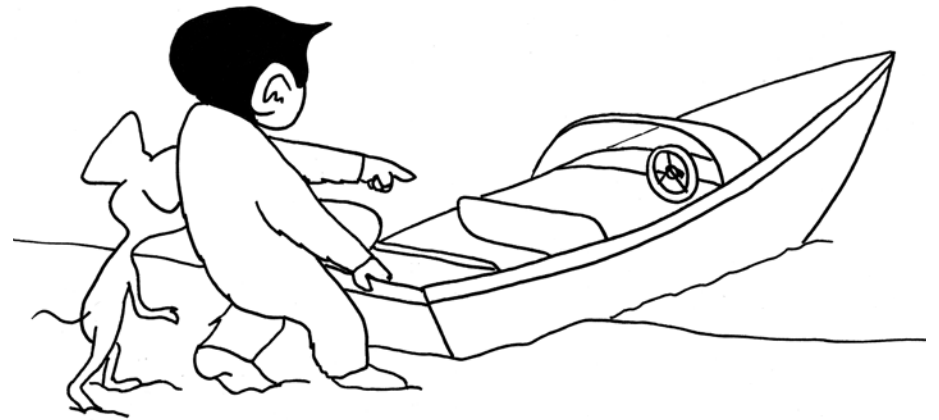
“Sam, check the boat. There is a hole in it. Mat did not tie the rope well.”
Sam is sad to see the hole in his boat.



“Sam’s boat can go very fast,”
says Mat.
“Sam can you go back? I lost my hat,”
says Mit.



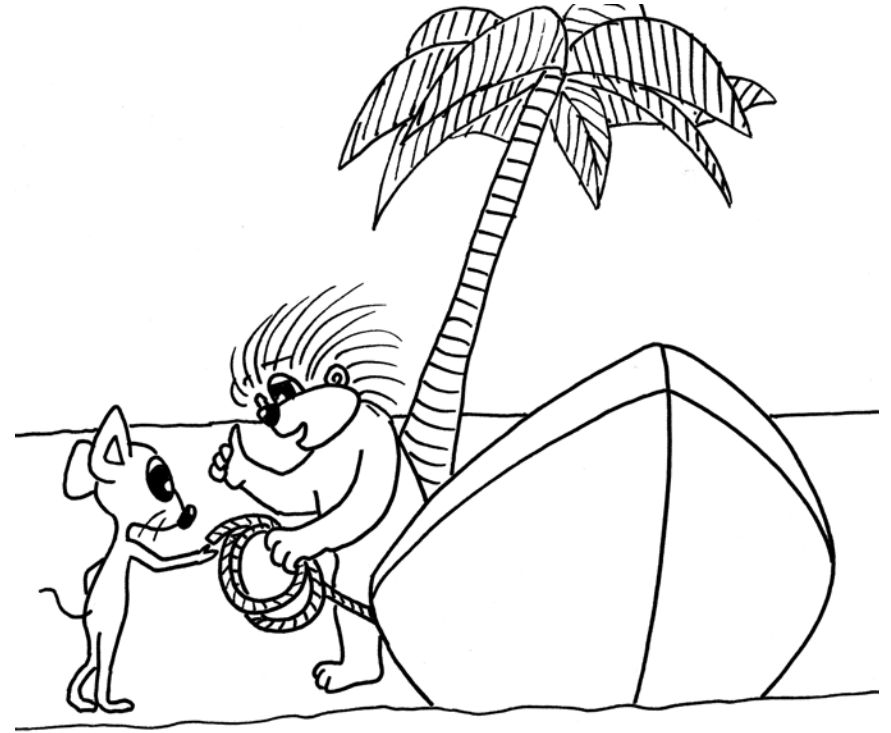
“Mit cannot be in the sun.
His cheek is red. His chin is red.”



“The boat was hit. There is a hole in it.
See the hole?” Says Mit.



“I will swim to the rope
and get the boat back.”



“Tie the boat to the tree with this rope.
Then we will swim.”



Sam, Mit and Mat swim.
Kit sits under the tree.



“No, the boat!
Mat did not tie the rope well.
The boat will be lost!”