



## Book 33: Mat in the Hat

### Review Words

fish, hat, he, then - decodable

### Plot Summary

Sis and Mat are watching as Mit builds a kite and decorates it with a picture of a fish. As Mat tries to fly it, a sudden wind carries him high up into the air. His friends cannot reach the little rat who is holding onto the kite string as he sails across the skies. Ann comes to the rescue and catches Mat in her hat.

### Story Questions (Comprehension)

1. page 2: What is Mit making?
2. page 3: What did Mit paint on his kite?
3. pages 5-8: What happened to Mat and the kite?
4. pages 12-13: Who finally rescues Mat? How?
5. page 14: Who has a ride in Ann's hat?

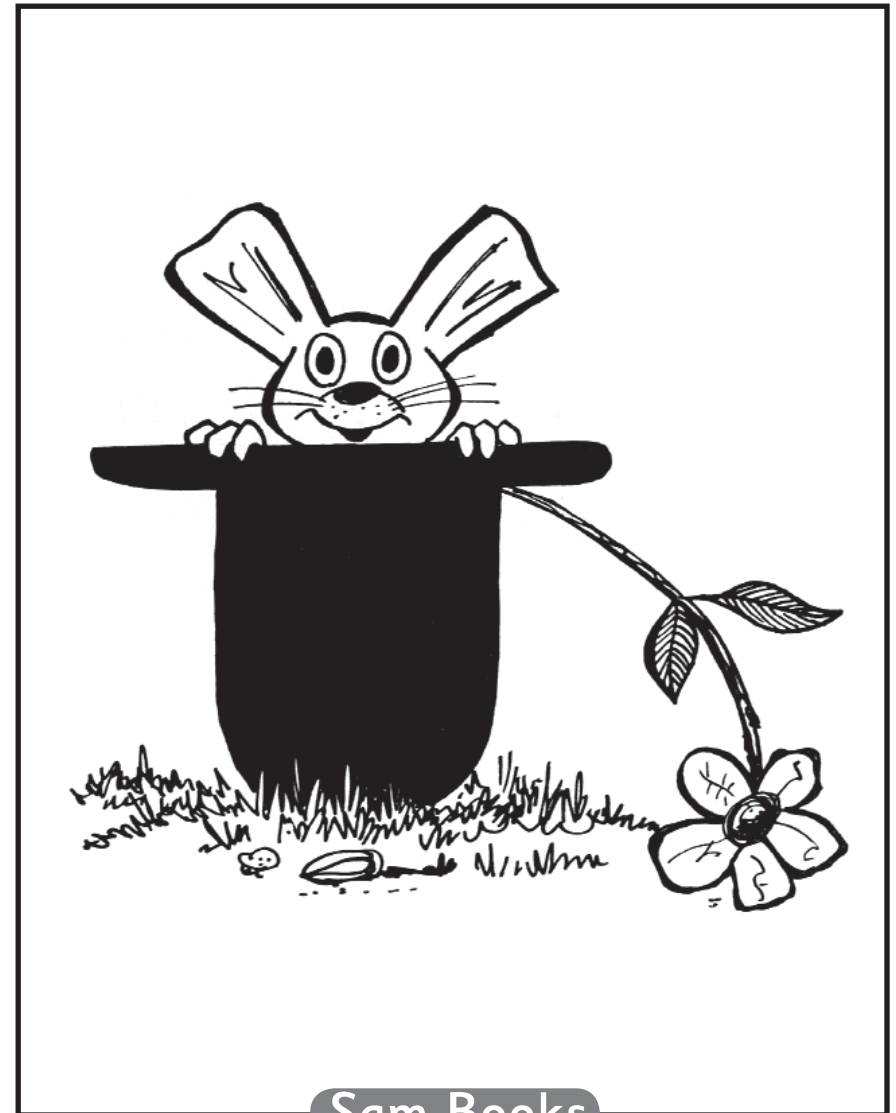
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Mat and Sis see Mit.



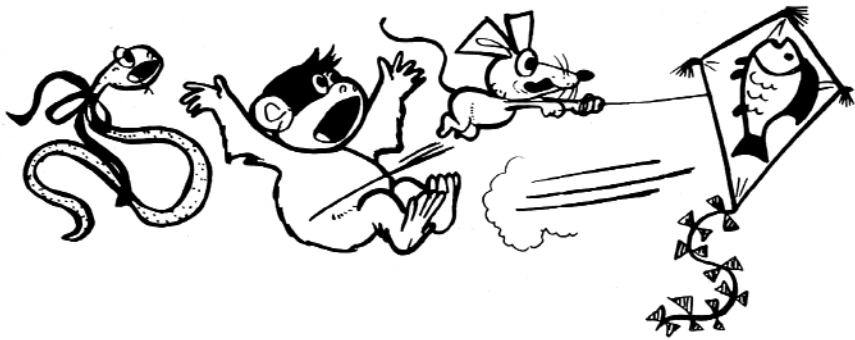
“What is that?  
Is that a fish?”



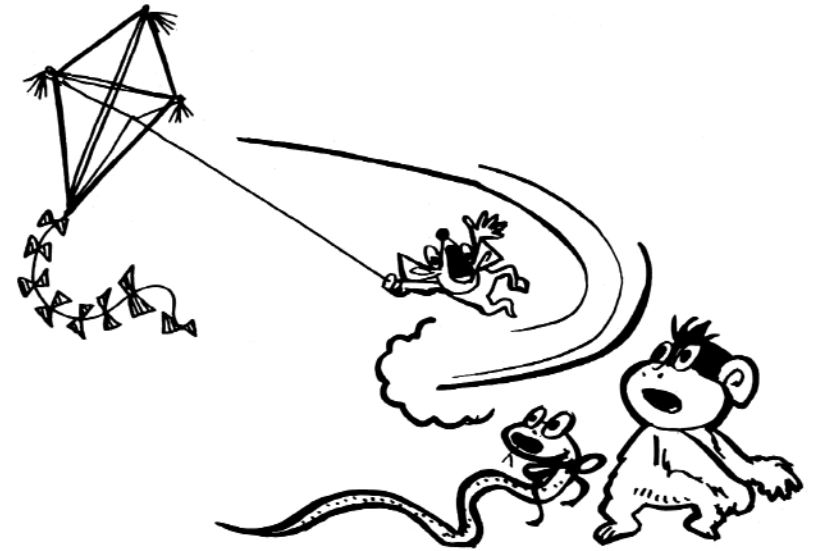
“Yes, that is a fish.  
Mit, let me see it.”



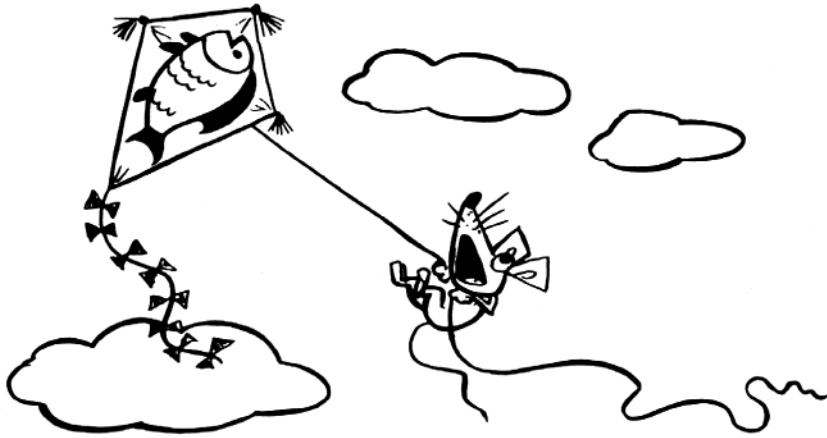
Then Mit let Mat see it.



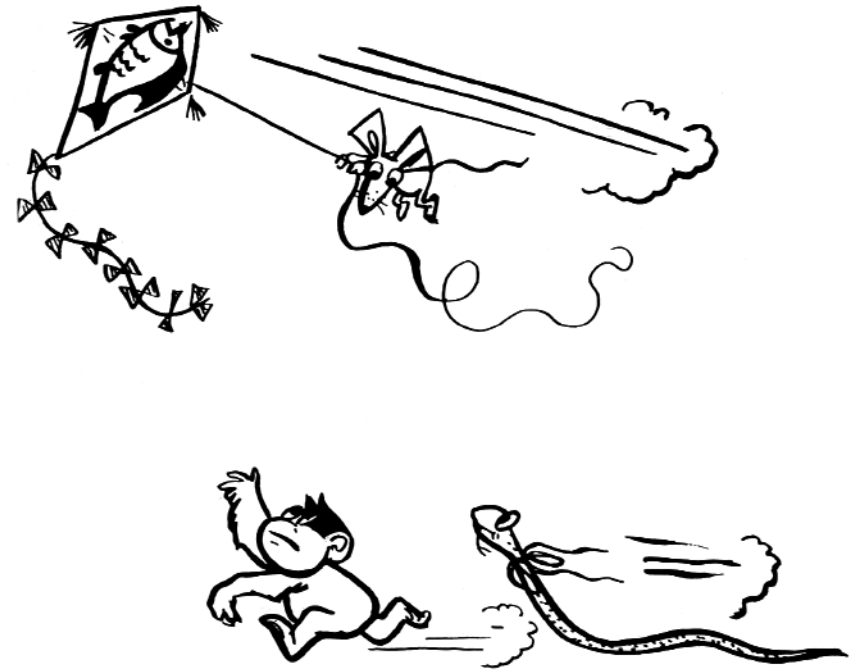
“Mat! Mat!  
Mat is with the fish!”



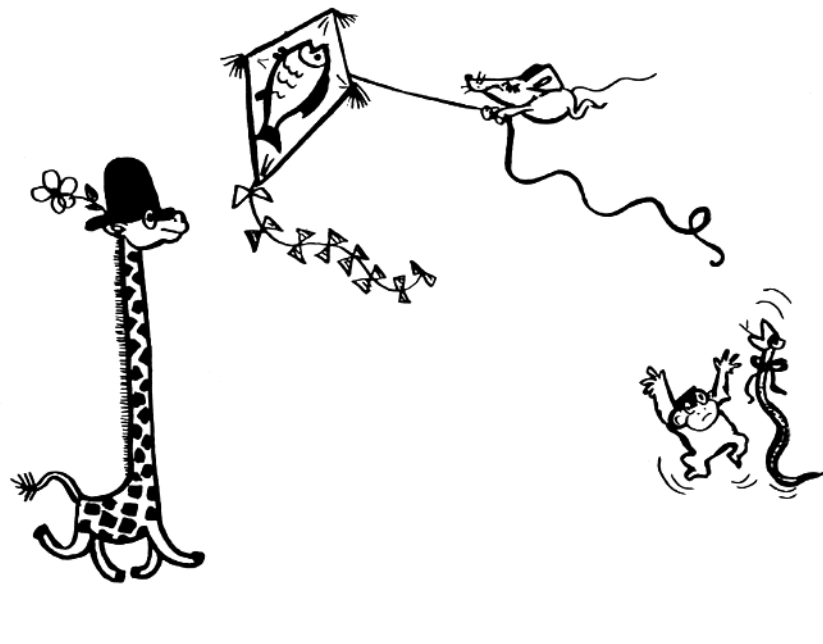
“Mat is in a mess.  
He needs us!”



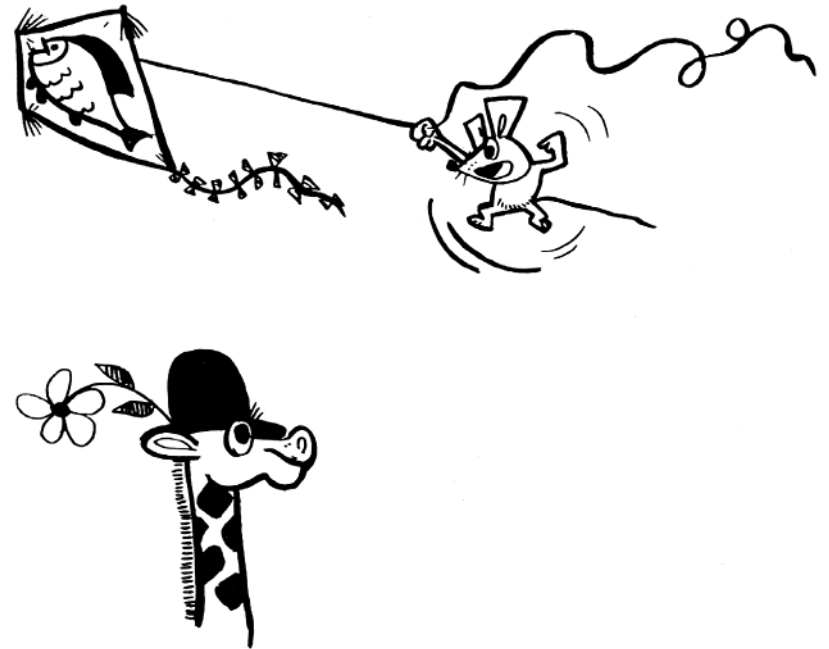
“See the fish and me.”



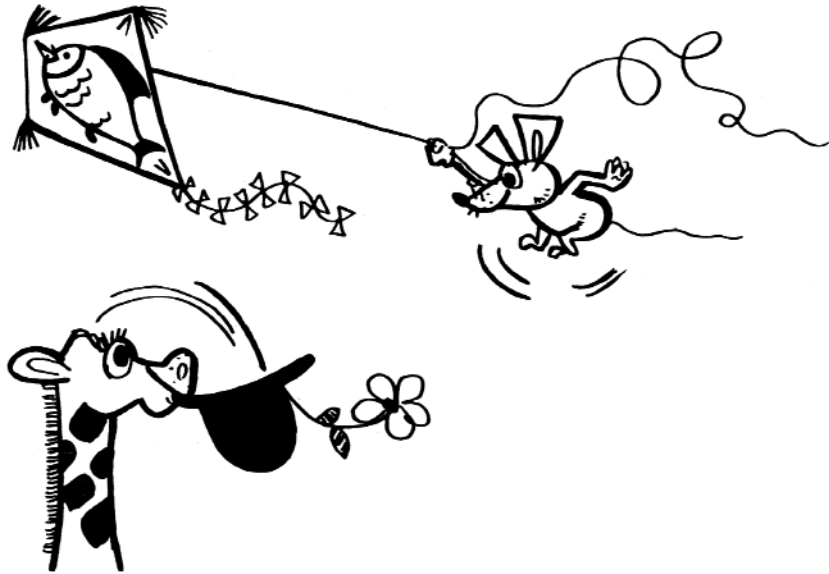
Mit ran.  
Then Sis ran.



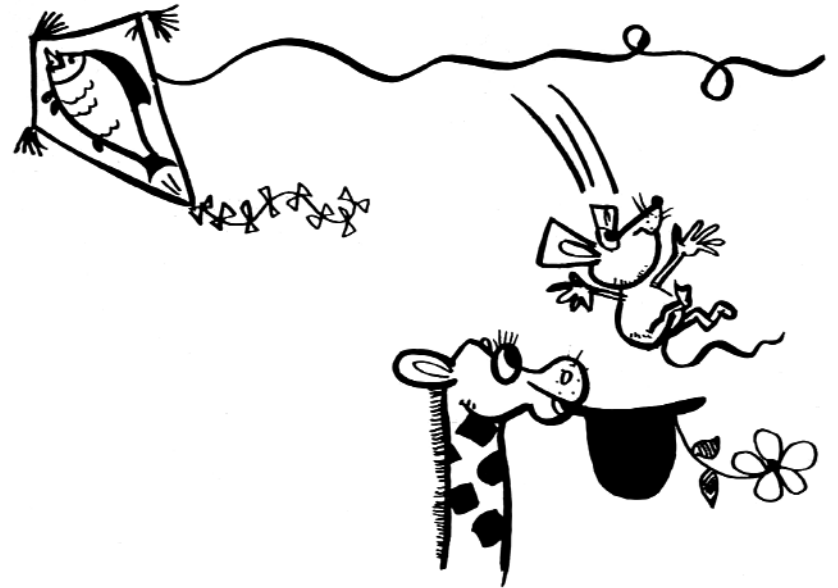
Then Ann ran.



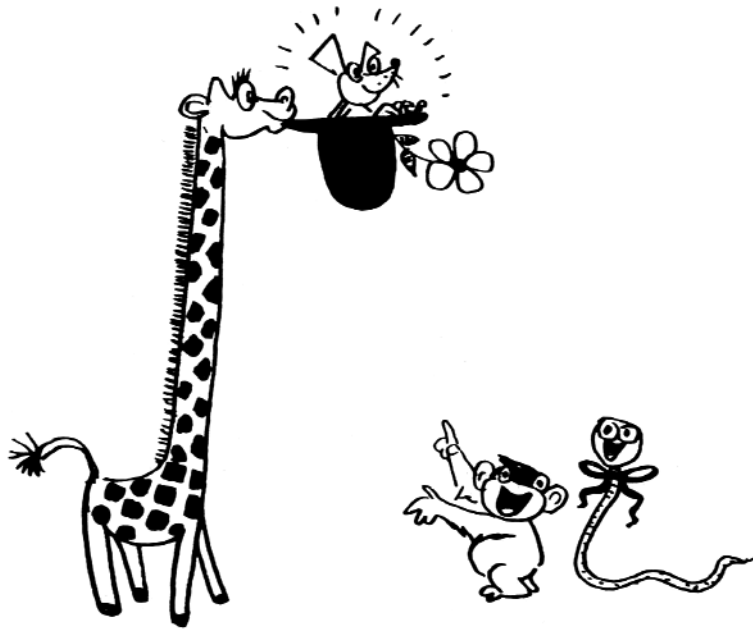
Mat sees Ann.  
He sees the hat.  
Mat needs that hat.



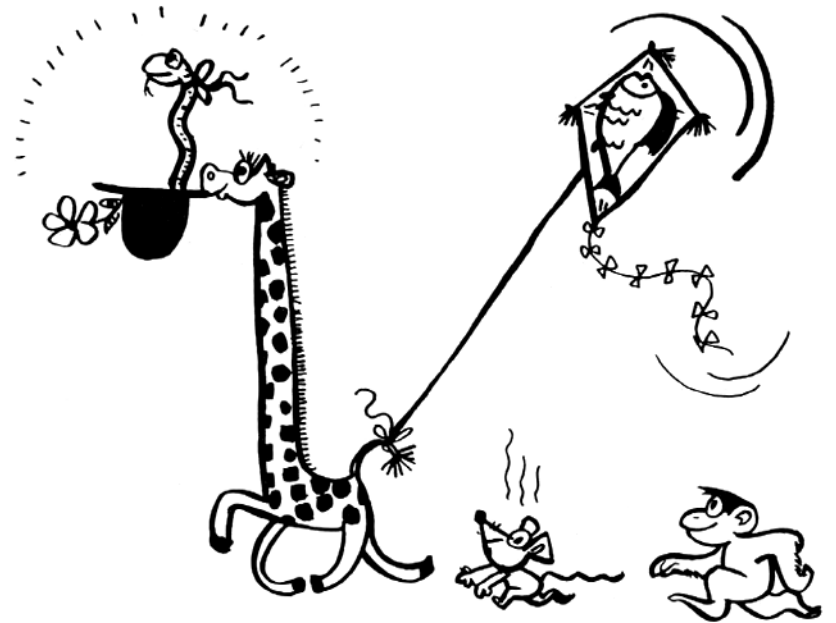
Will Mat fit in the hat?



Then he fell.



“He sits in the hat.  
See Mat in the hat.”



Then Sis sat in the hat.  
Mit and Mat ran with Ann  
and Sis.