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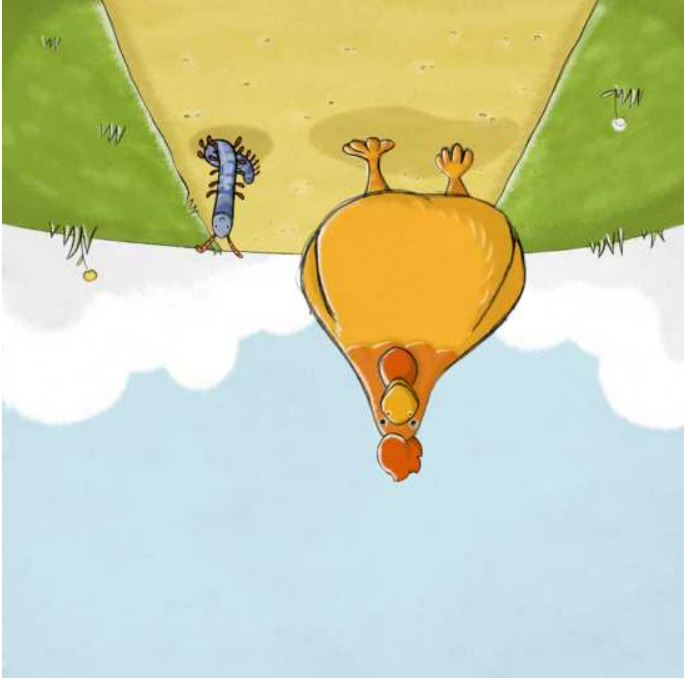
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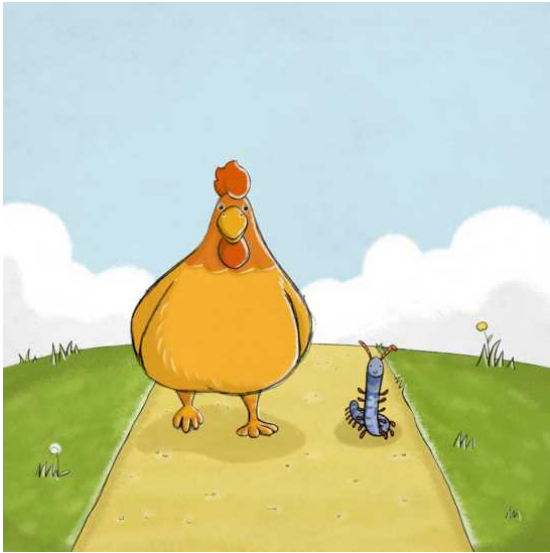
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Høne og Tusenbein var vener. Men dei likte alltid å konkurrera. Ein dag spelte dei fotball for å sjå kven som var den beste spelaren.

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Chicken and Millipede were friends. But they were always competing with each other. One day they decided to play football to see who the best player was.

They went to the football field and started their game. Chicken was fast, but Millipede was faster. Chicken kicked far, but Millipede kicked further. Chicken started to feel grumpy.

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Dei drog til fotballbanen og starta kampen. Høne var rask, men Tusenbein var raskare. Høne sparke langt, men Tusenbein sparke lengre. Høne vart surare og surare.





Dei bestemte seg for å ha ein straffekonkurranse. Først var Tusenbein keeper. Høne skåra berre eitt mål. Så var det Høne sin tur til å forsvara målet.

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They decided to play a penalty shoot-out. First Millipede was goal keeper. Chicken scored only one goal. Then it was the chicken's turn to defend the goal.



Sidan den gongen har høner og tusenbein vore fiendar.

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From that time, chickens and millipedes were enemies.



Tusenbein sparaka ballen og skåra. Tusenbein  
dribla ballen og skåra. Tusenbein heada ballen  
og skåra. Fem mål skåra Tusenbein.

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Millipede kicked the ball and scored. Millipede  
dribbled the ball and scored. Millipede headed  
the ball and scored. Millipede scored five goals.



Høne hosta til ho kasta opp tusenbeinet som var  
i magen. Mor Tusenbein og barnet hennar  
klatra opp i eit tre for å gøyma seg.

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Chicken coughed until she coughed out the  
millipede that was in her stomach. Mother  
Millipede and her child crawled up a tree to  
hide.



Høne vart sint fordi ho tapte. Ho var ein veldig dårleg tapar. Tusenbein byrja å le av venen som laga så mykje oppstyr.

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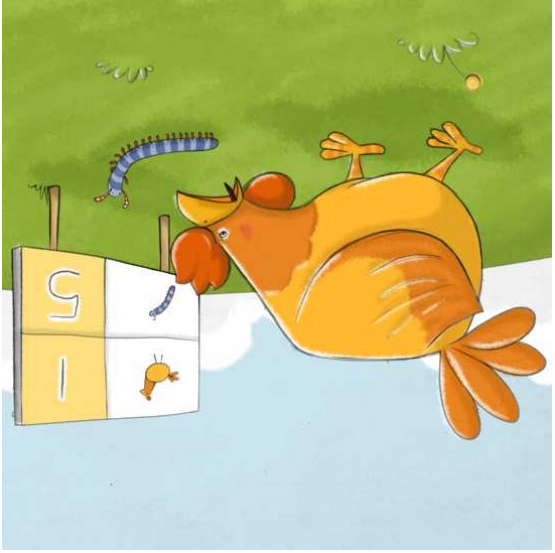
Chicken was furious that she lost. She was a very bad loser. Millipede started laughing because his friend was making such a fuss.



Høne kasta opp. Og svelgde og spytta. Så naus og hosta ho. Og kasta opp. Tusenbeinet var ufyseleg.

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Chicken burped. Then she swallowed and spat. Then she sneezed and coughed. And coughed. The millipede was disgusting!



Høne var så sint at ho opna nebbet og slukte Tusenbein.

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Chicken was so angry that she opened her beak wide and swallowed the millipede.



Mor Tusenbein roppte: «Bruk det triksset du kan, barnet mitt!» Tusenbein kan laga ei dårleg lukt og ein sann føel smak. Høne kjende at ho vart dårleg.

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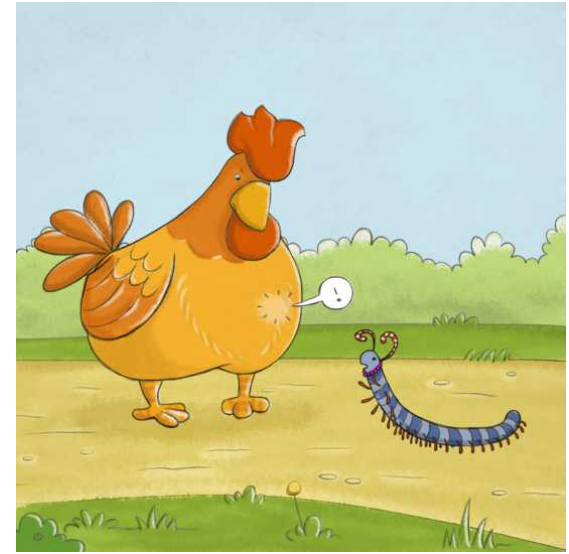
Mother Millipede shouted, "Use your special power my child!" Millipedes can make a bad smell and a terrible taste. Chicken began to feel ill.



Då Høne gjekk heimover, møtte ho Mor Tusenbein. «Har du sett barnet mitt?» spurde Mor Tusenbein. Høne sa ikkje noko. Mor Tusenbein vart uroleg.

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As Chicken was walking home, she met Mother Millipede. Mother Millipede asked, "Have you seen my child?" Chicken didn't say anything. Mother Millipede was worried.



Så hørde Mor Tusenbein ei svak stemme: «Mamma, hjelp meg!» Mor Tusenbein såg seg rundt og lytta spent. Lyden kom frå inni høna.

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Then Mother Millipede heard a tiny voice. "Help me mom!" cried the voice. Mother Millipede looked around and listened carefully. The voice came from inside the chicken.