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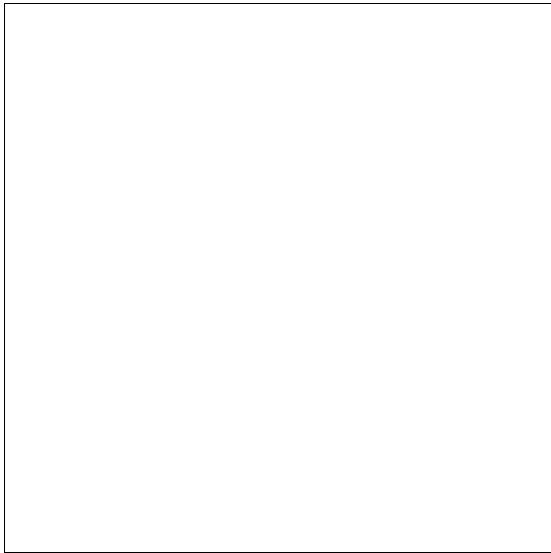
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Nkhuku ndi Bongololo anali abwenzi. Koma
anali kukonda kupikisana. Tsiku lina, anaganiza
kuchaya m'pila wa myendo kuti aone ngati
katswili ndi ndani.

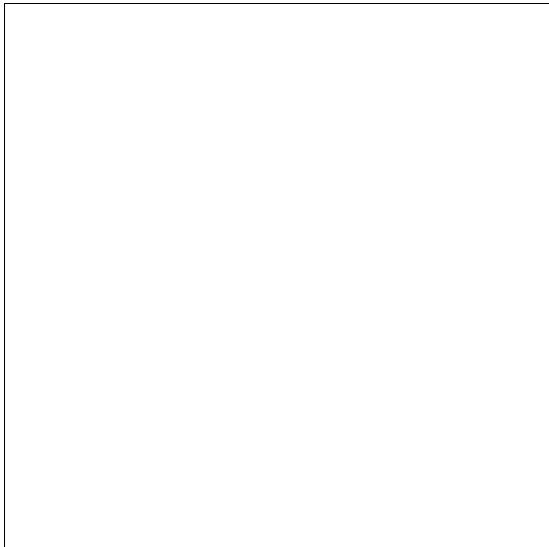
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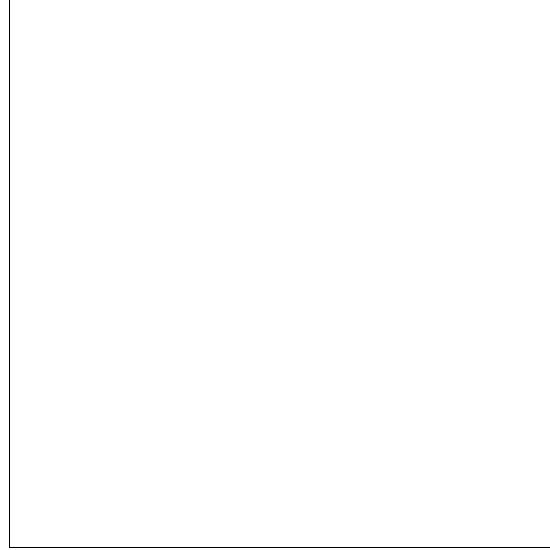
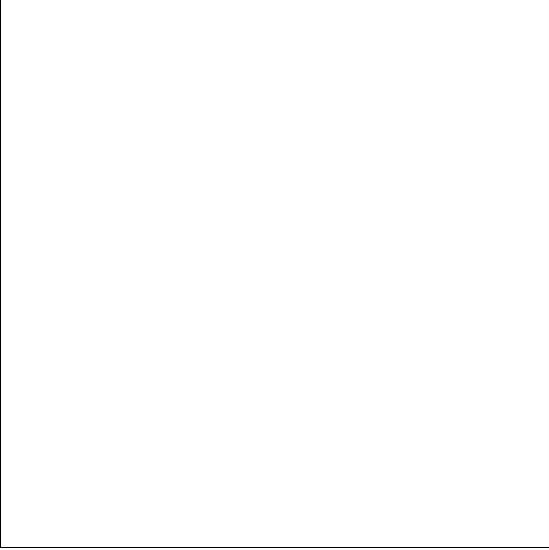
Chicken and Millipede were friends. But they
were always competing with each other. One
day they decided to play football to see who the
best player was.

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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Anayenda kubwalo la m'pila ndipo anayamba
maseswera awo. Nkhuку infumira, koma
Bongolo anafumira kopambana. Nkhuку
inachaila kutali koma bongolo anachaila kutali
mopambana. Nkhuку inayamba kuakalipa.





Anagaza kuti achaye mapenoti. Bongololo anayabila kukhala wogwila m'pila. Nkhuku inamwesa cigoli cimodzi. Tsopano inali nthawi yankhuku kuti igwile m'pila.

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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.

Kucokela apo, Bongololo ndi Nkhuku anakhala adani.

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From that time, chickens and millipedes were enemies.

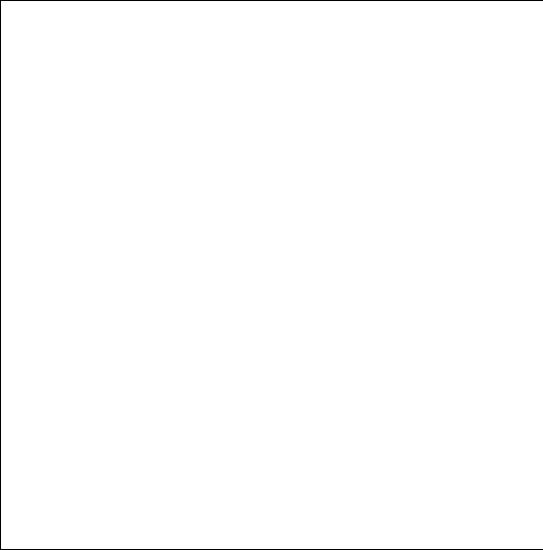
hide.

Millipede that was in her stomach. Mother Millipede crawled up a tree to hide.

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Nkhuку inakhosomola kufikira itakhosomolea
Bongolo amene anali muhimba mwake.
Panja Bongolo amai aké anakalawa ndi kukwela
Bongolo ndi amai aké anakalawa ndi kukwela
mtengo kubisala.

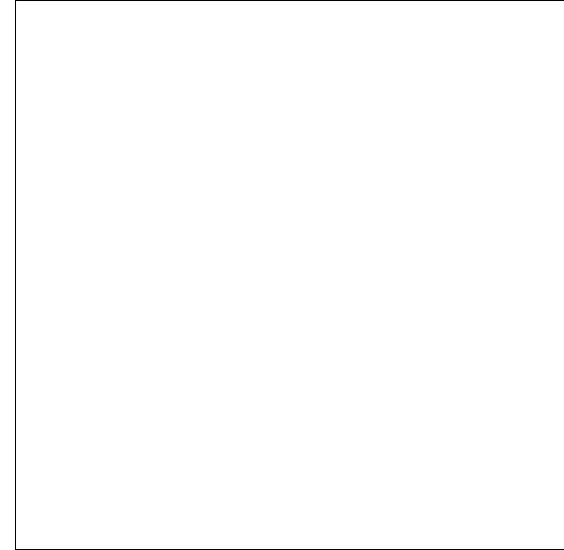
Bongolo anachaya ndipo anamwetsa.
Bongolo ananyuya ndi mutu. Bongolo anamwetsa
anamwesanso ndi mutu. Bongolo anamwetsa
zigoli zisanu.



Nkhuka inakalipa kuti inagonja. Inagonja kothelathu. Bongololo anayamba kuseka cifukwa ca madandaulo amuzake pambuyo pakugonja.

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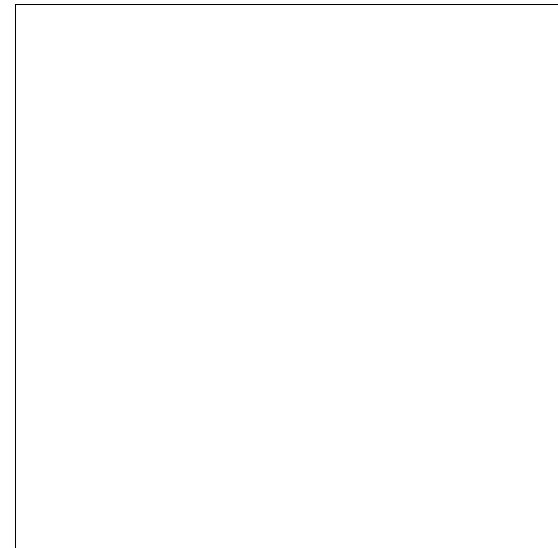
Chicken was furious that she lost. She was a very bad loser. Millipede started laughing because his friend was making such a fuss.



Nkhuku imageya. Ndipo inamela ndi kutaya mata. Ndipo inakhosomola. Bongololo anali kunyansisa.

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



Nkhuку inakalipa kwambiri ndikusengula
kamwa namela bongolio.

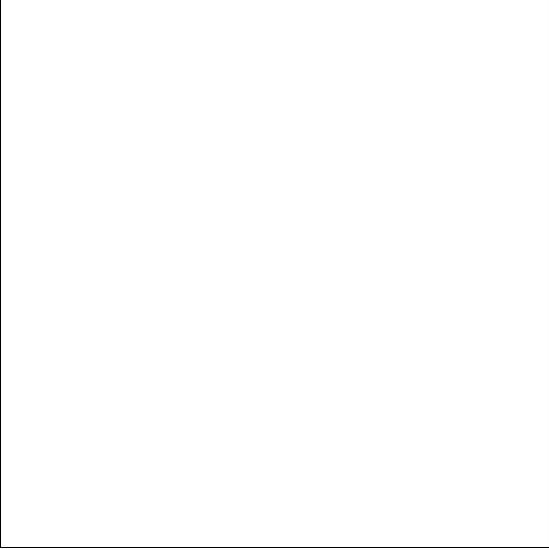
Chicken was so angry that she opened her beak
wide and swallowed the millipede.

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Amake Bongolio anakعوا ناتي, "Sewenzesä
mphamu zako zapadeļa mwanawangga!"
Bongolio atha kununkha ndi kusamveka
bwino. Nkhuку inayamba kumvela kudwala.

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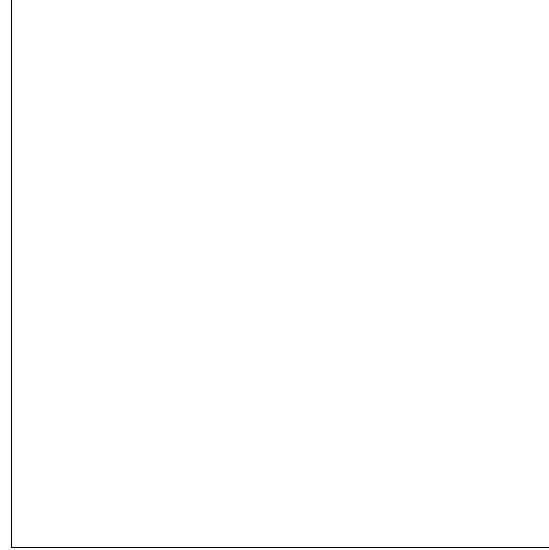
Mother Millipede shouted, "Use your special
power my child!" Millipedes can make a bad
smell and a terrible taste. Chicken began to feel
ill.



Pamene nkuku inali kuyenda kunyumba, inakumana ndi amake abongololo. Amake Bongololo anafunsa nati, "Kodi wamuonako mwana wanga?" Nkhuku siyinalankhule ciliconse. Amake Bongololo anada nkawa.

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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.



Amake Bongololo anamva kaliu kakang'ono. "Ndithandizeni amai!", liu linalila. Amake Bongololo anayangana uku ndi uku, ndi kumvetsetsa ndi cidwi. Mau anacokera mumimba mwa nkuku.

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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.