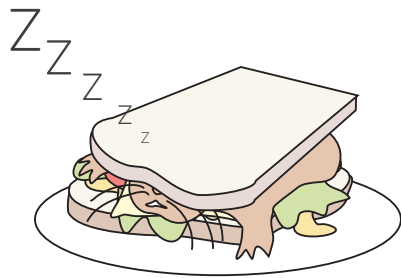


# Alphabetti™ Book 2-8

who hid  
ham?



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Alphabetti box:

s m n + h

(Practices the letter "h")

Words used in this book:

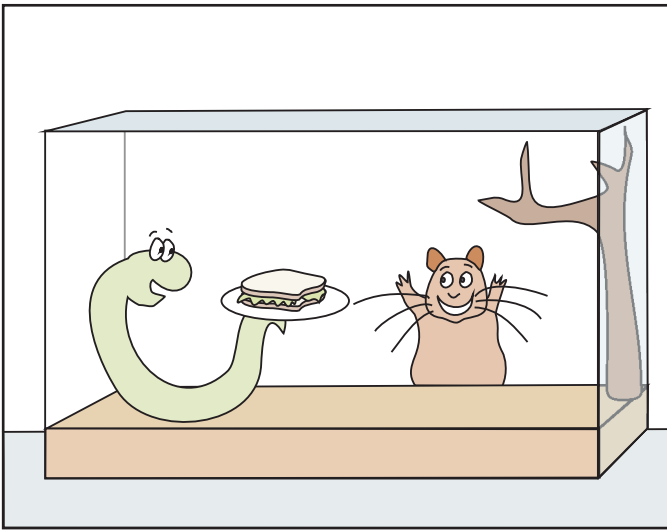
sid ham  
sis hid  
big him  
on in

Letters learned in the first series:

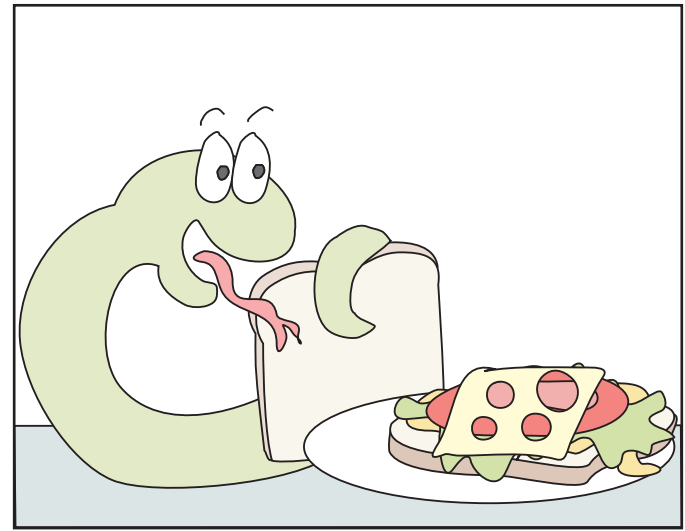
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Letters to be learned in this series:

s m n (h) c u e



One day, **sid** makes  
a special sandwich for  
**ham** the hamster.



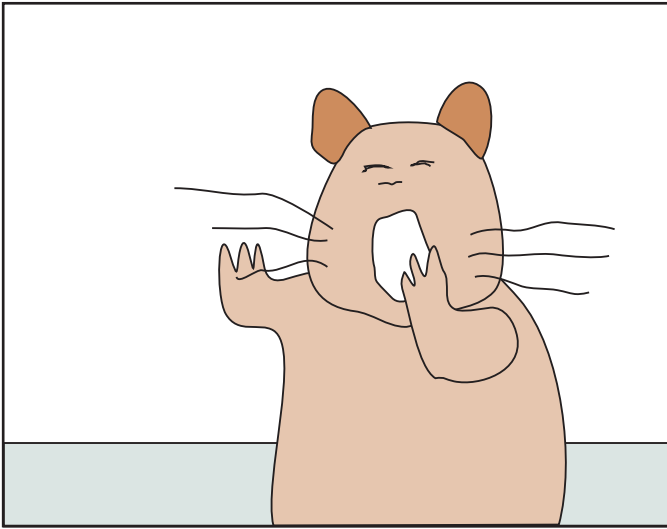
“See here,” says **sid**.

“The sandwich has cheese

**on** tomato **on** lettuce

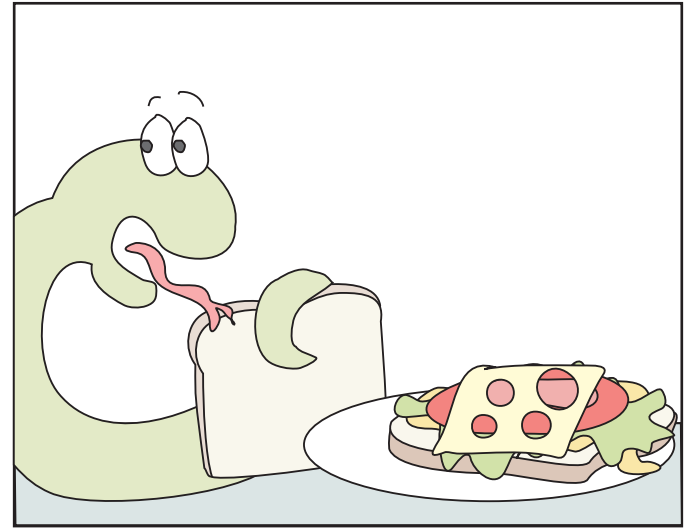
**on** mustard **on**

mayonnaise...”

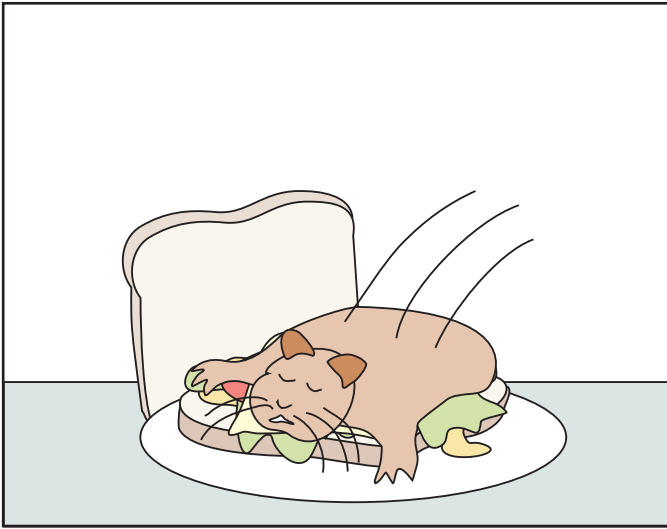


ham yawns a big

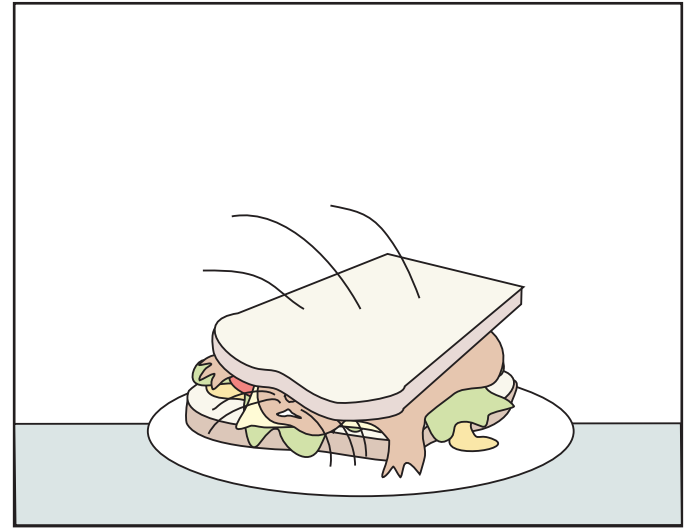
yawn. Not because he  
doesn't like the sandwich,  
but because he is feeling  
very, very sleepy.



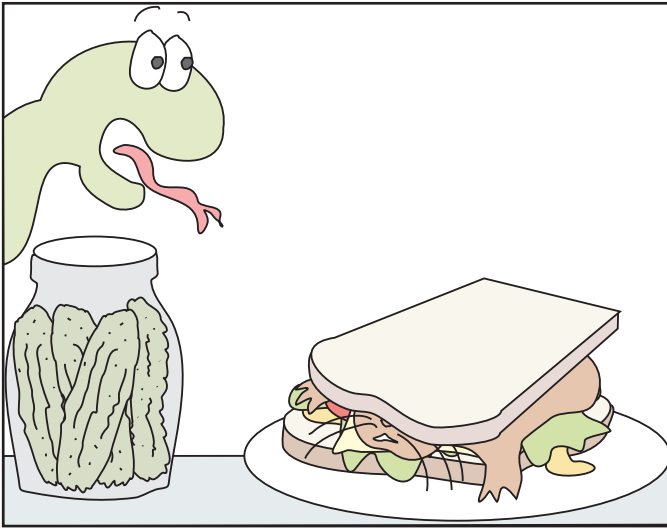
"Oops! I forgot the  
pickles!" sid runs back  
to get the pickles.



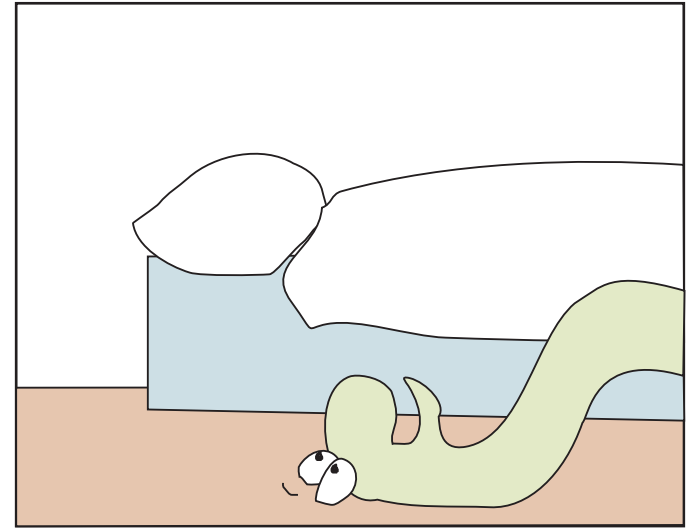
Plop! **ham** falls asleep  
**on** the sandwich.



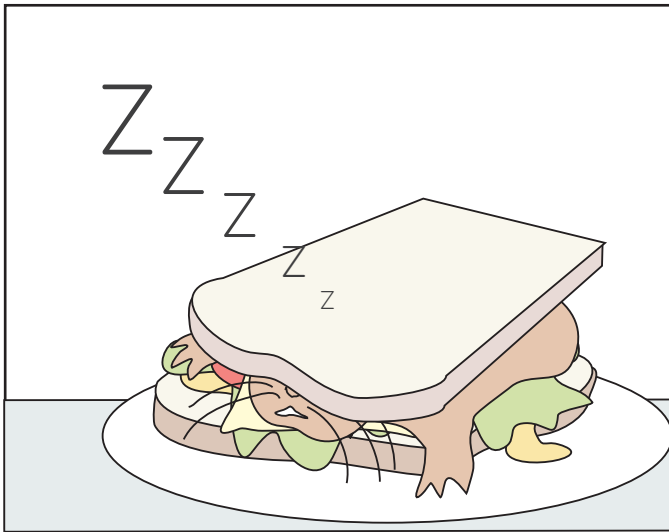
Plop! The top piece of  
bread falls down **on**  
**ham**.



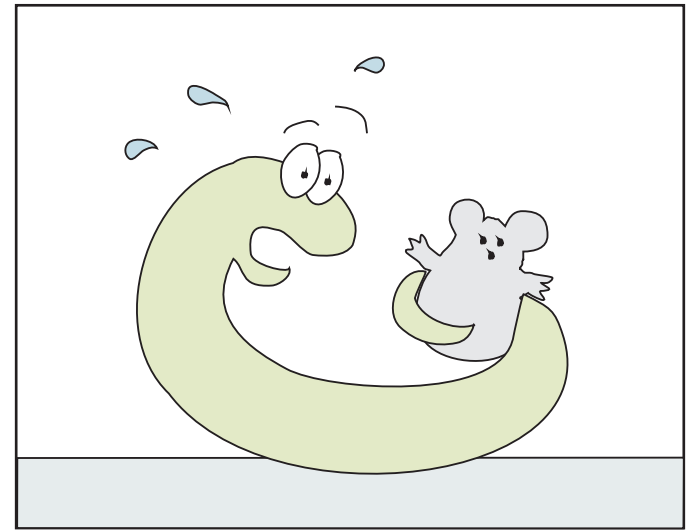
sid comes back with a jar of pickles but can't see ham. "Hey!" says sid. "Who hid ham?"



sid looks under the bed and behind the door. "Who hid ham?" asks sid. "Where is he? Somebody hid him."



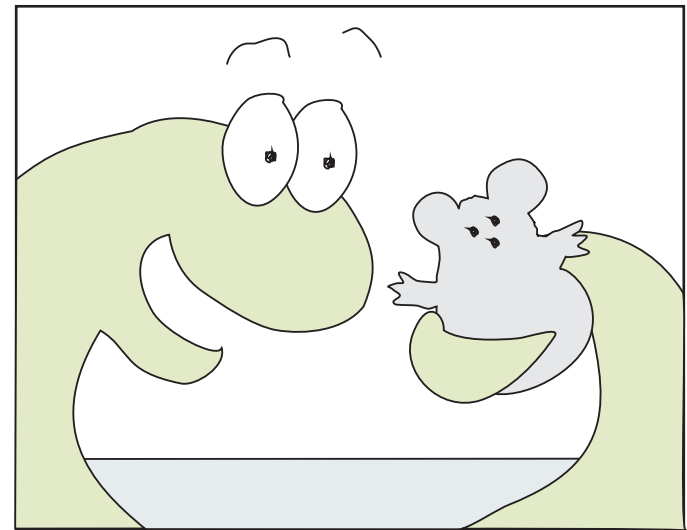
**ham** doesn't say  
anything; he is fast  
asleep **in** the sandwich.



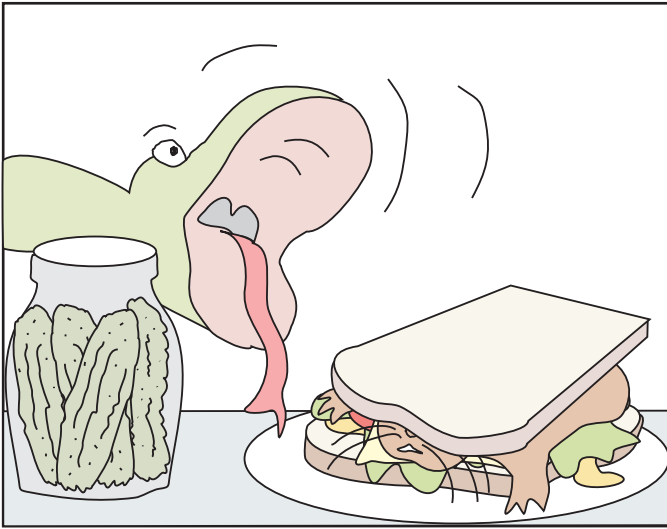
**sid** asks **sis**, "Have  
you seen **ham**? I think  
somebody stole **him** or  
**hid him** somewhere."



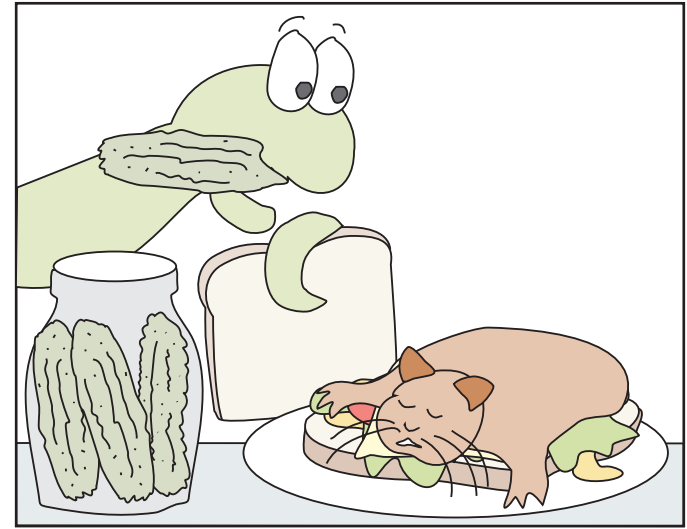
**sis** can't speak, so **sid**  
answers for her. "If  
someone **hid ham**,  
then who will eat the  
**ham** sandwich?"



"You're right!" says **sid**  
to **sis**. "If someone **hid**  
**ham**, then I will have  
to eat the **ham**  
sandwich."

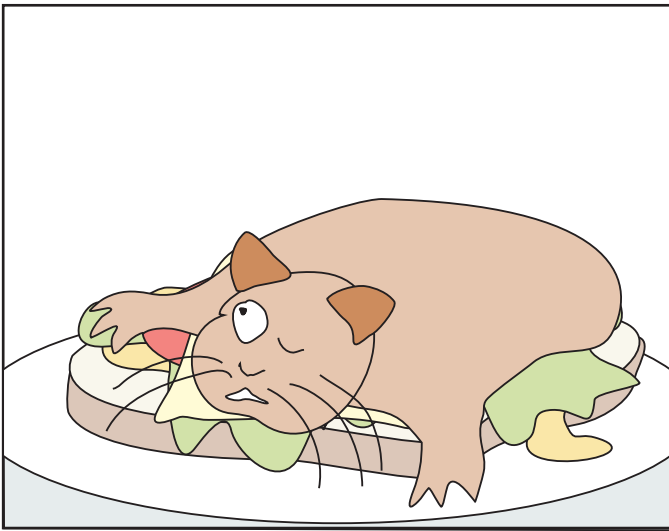


**sid** runs over to the  
**ham** sandwich, opens  
his **big** mouth and...  
remembers the pickles.

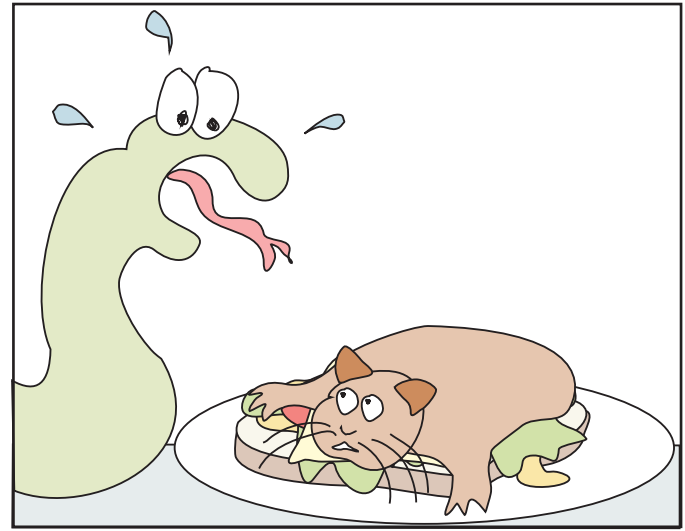


**sid** gets a pickle to put  
**on** the sandwich, lifts  
the top slice of bread  
and sees **ham** lying  
**on** the sandwich.

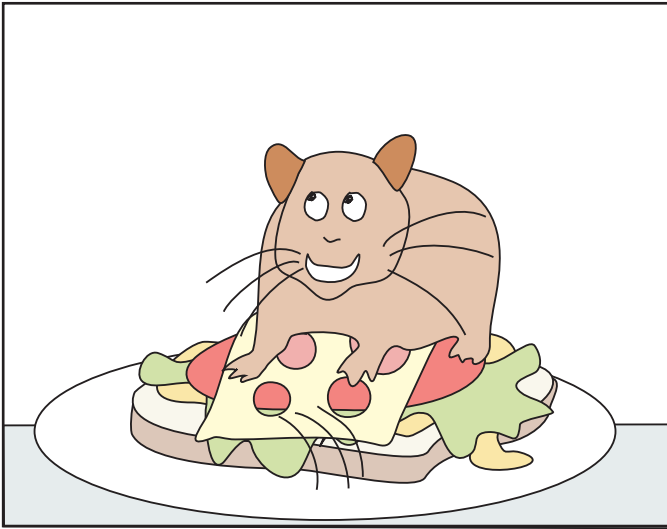




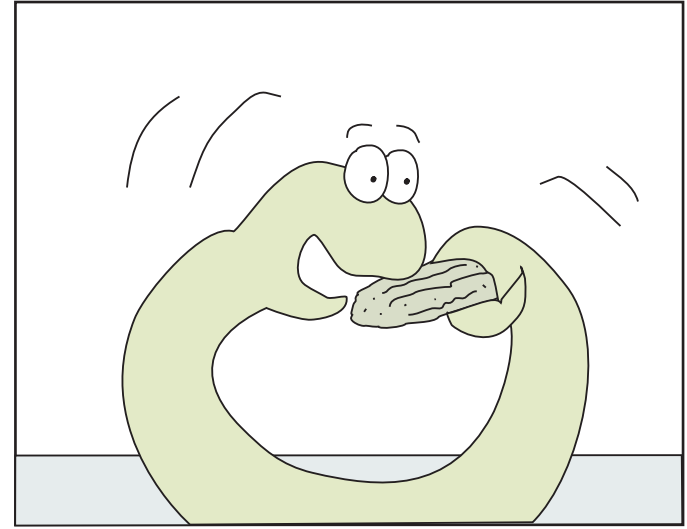
ham opens a sleepy  
eye. "Is the ham  
sandwich ready to eat?"



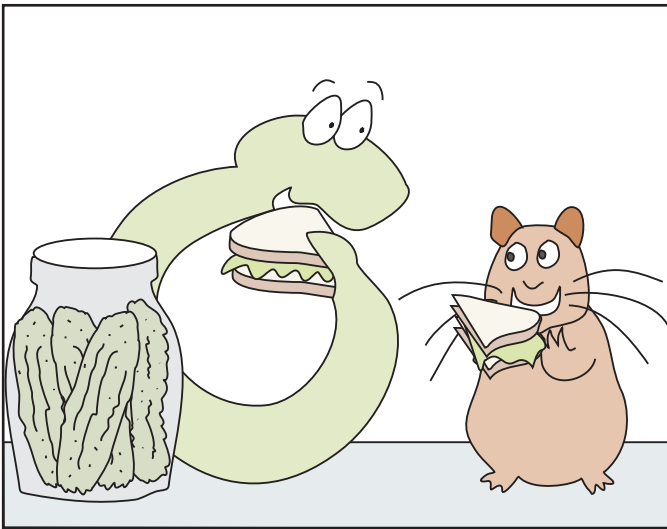
"Ready to eat?" howls  
sid. "You were ready  
to eat. Somebody hid  
you in the ham  
sandwich!"



ham smiles a sleepy  
smile. "Nobody hid me  
in the sandwich. I fell  
asleep."



"Oh," says sid, popping  
a pickle in his mouth.  
"Well, I'm hungry. Want  
to eat?"



sid and ham eat

the sandwich and all the

pickles in the jar.

THE END