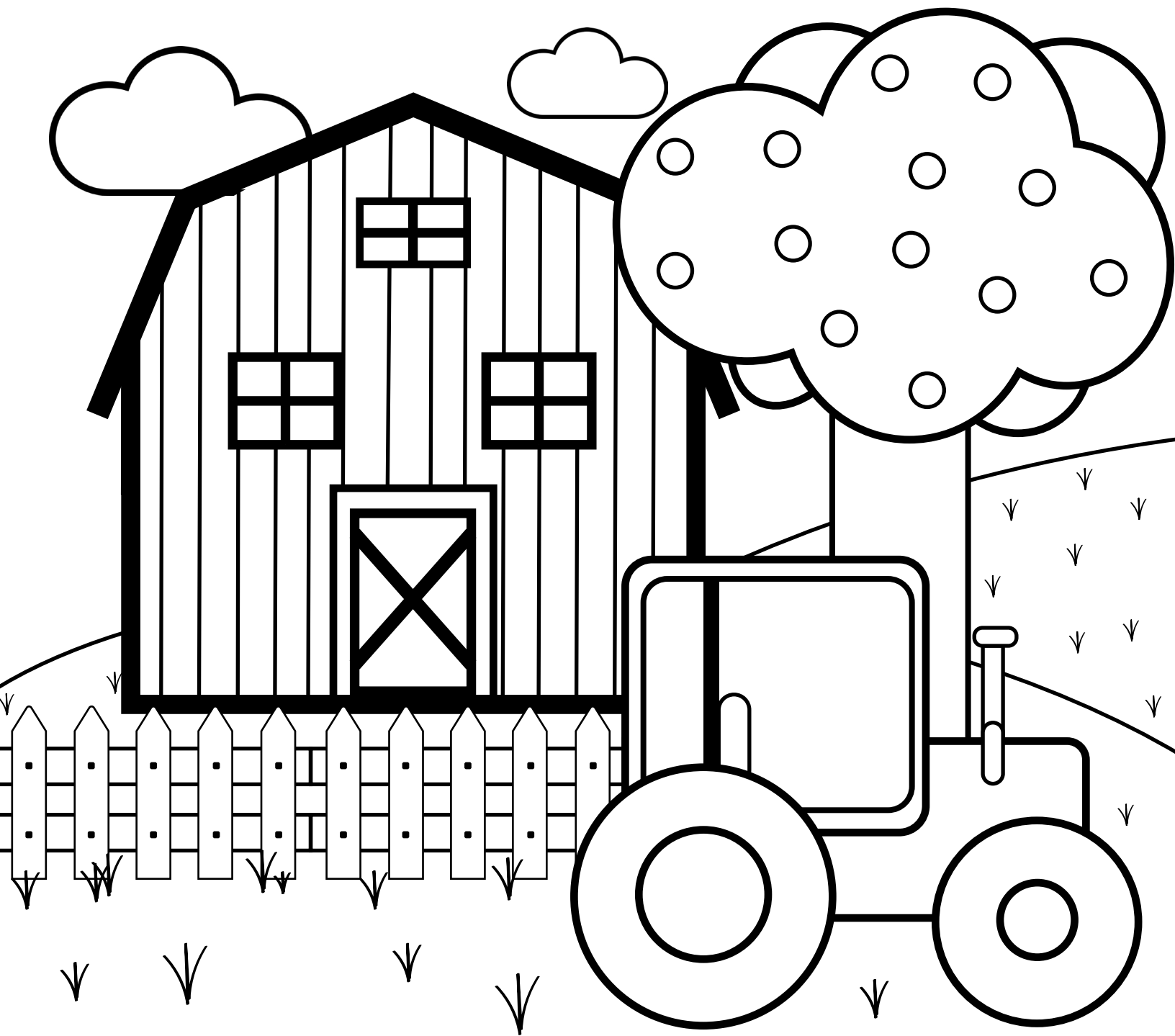


Agriculture
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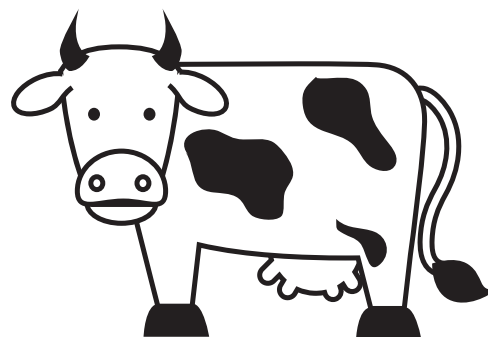
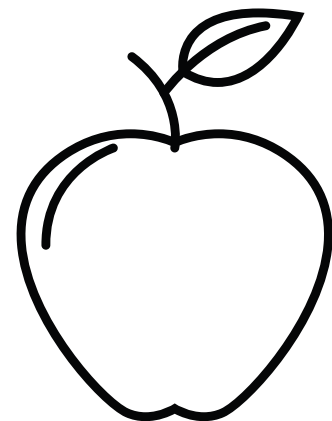
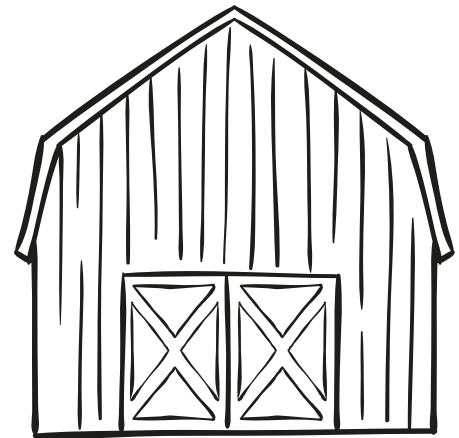
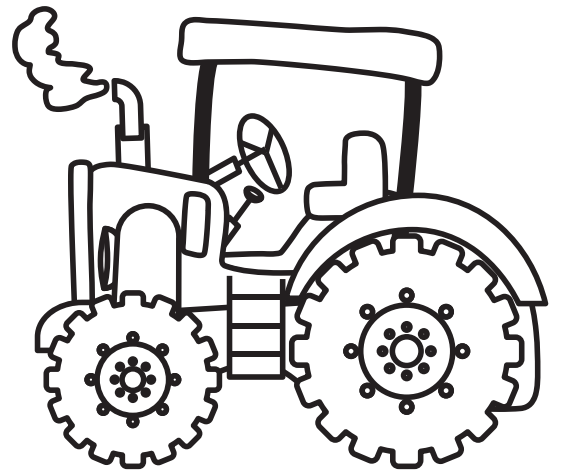


Ontario Agriculture At a Glance

- 12.3 million acres farmed
- Average farm size of 249 acres
- 49,600 farms

Types of Farms in Ontario

- 16,876 grain and oilseed farms
- 6,786 beef cattle farms
- 3,439 dairy cattle farms
- 3,112 horse farms
- 2,050 greenhouse/floriculture
- 1,856 vegetable & melon farms
- 1,816 poultry & egg farms
- 1,362 fruit & tree nut farms
- 1,229 hog farms
- 1,097 sheep & goat farms
- 5,902 other animal farms



Source: Statistics Canada, 2016 Census of Agriculture



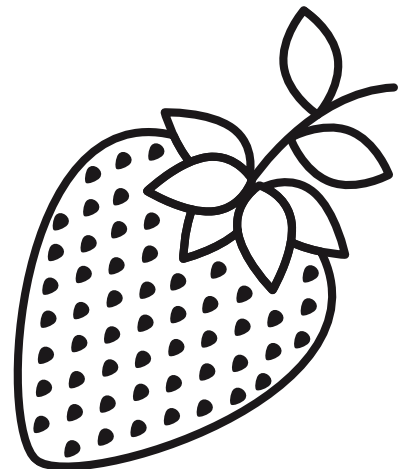
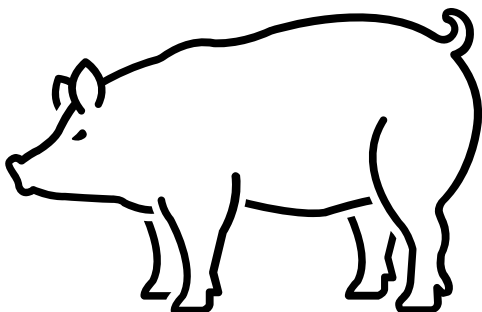
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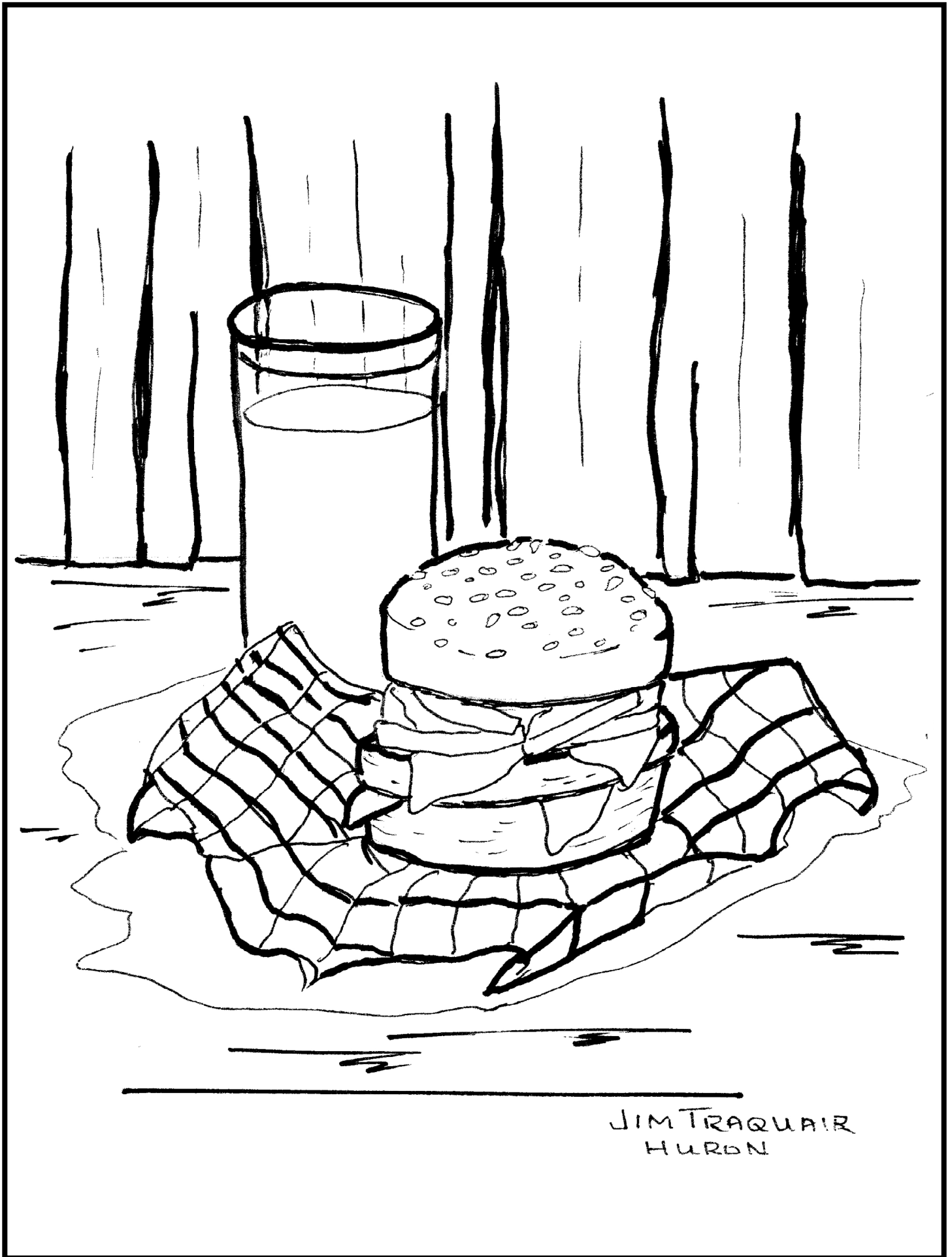
- 1.85 million acres farmed
- 7,593 farms

Types of Farms in SCOR Region

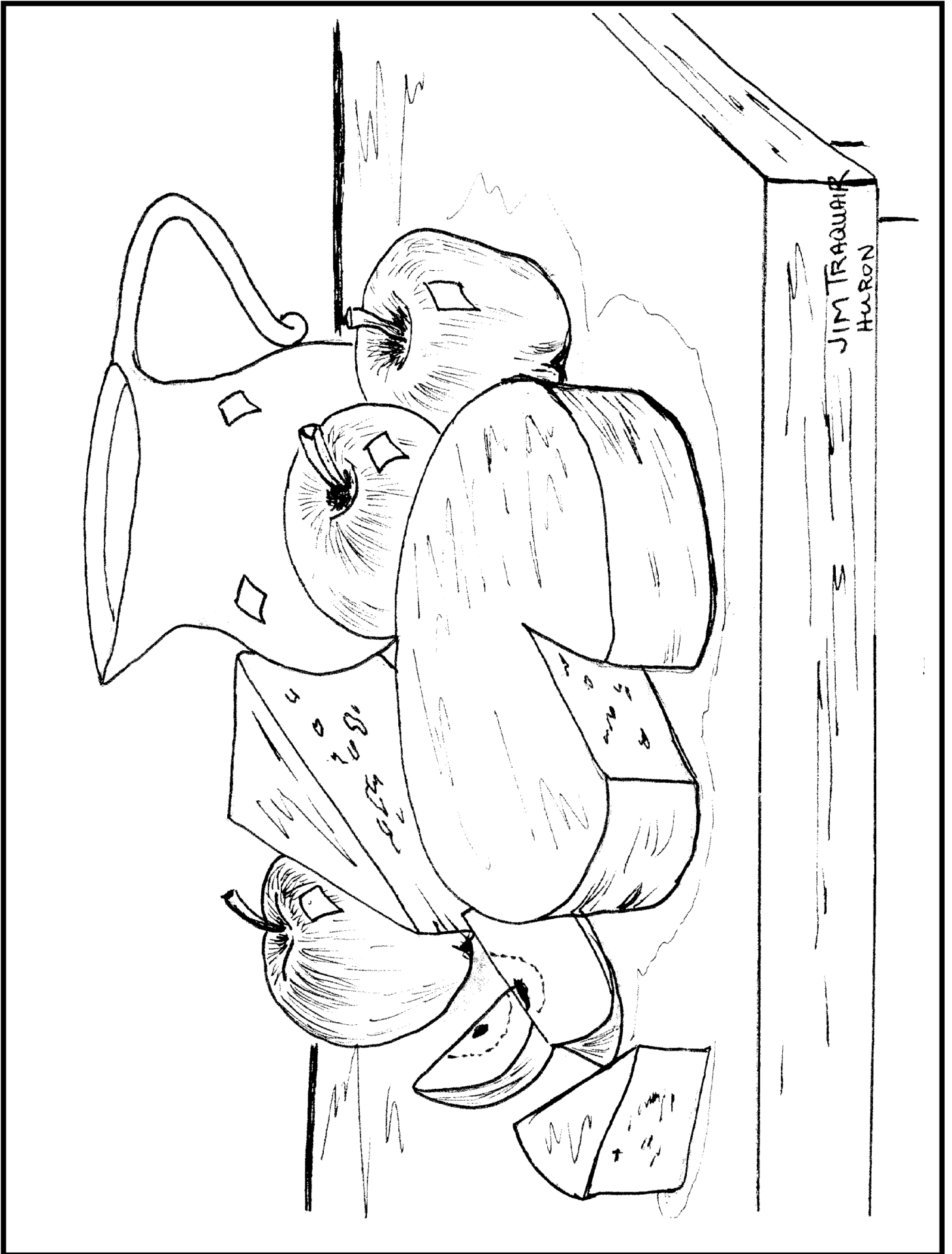
- 3,632 grain & oilseed farms
- 516 dairy cattle farms
- 512 beef cattle farms
- 407 horse farms
- 243 greenhouse/floriculture
- 379 vegetable & melon farms
- 340 poultry & egg farms
- 155 fruit & tree nut farms
- 283 hog farms
- 128 sheep & goat farms
- 674 other animal farms



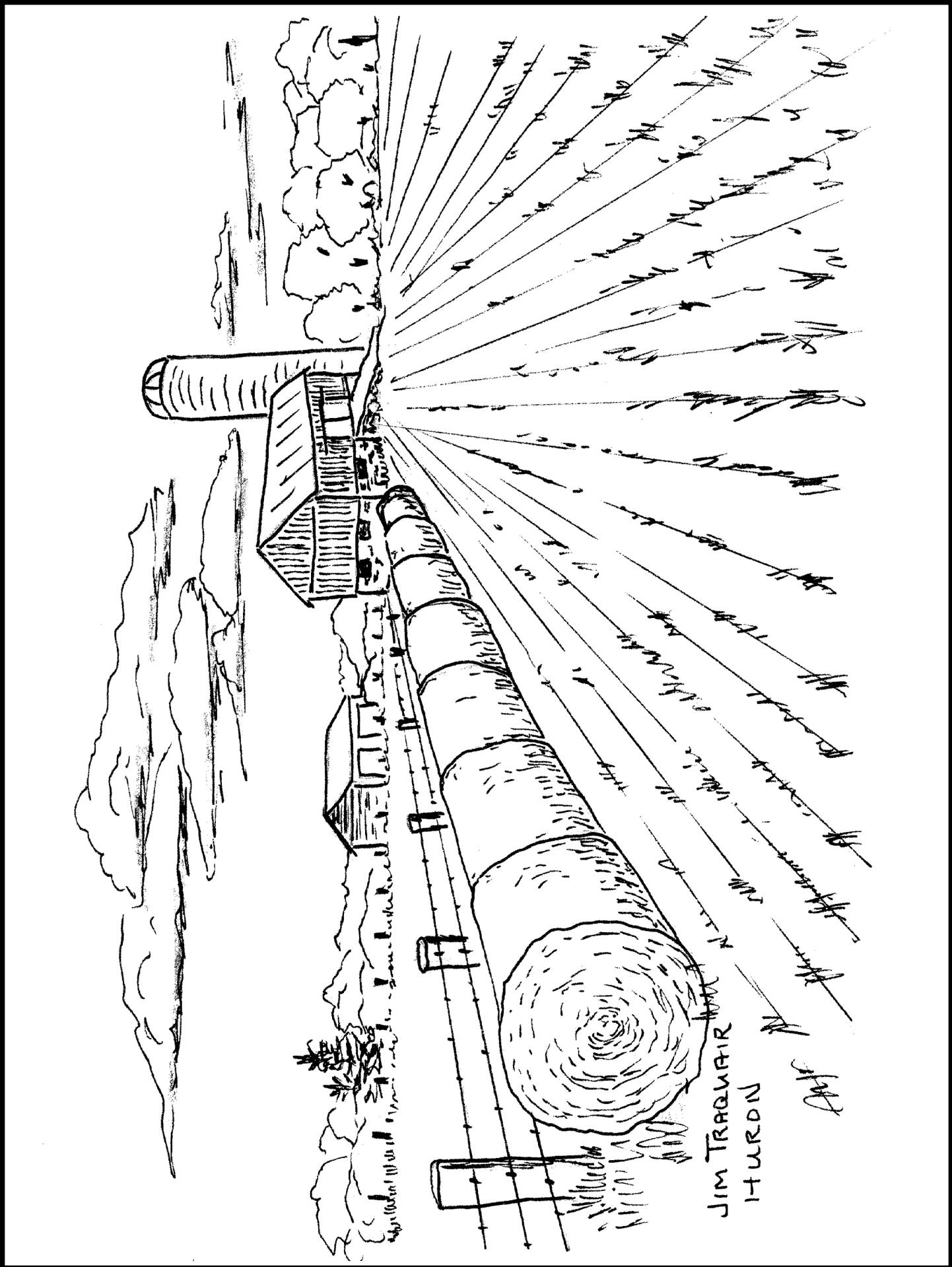
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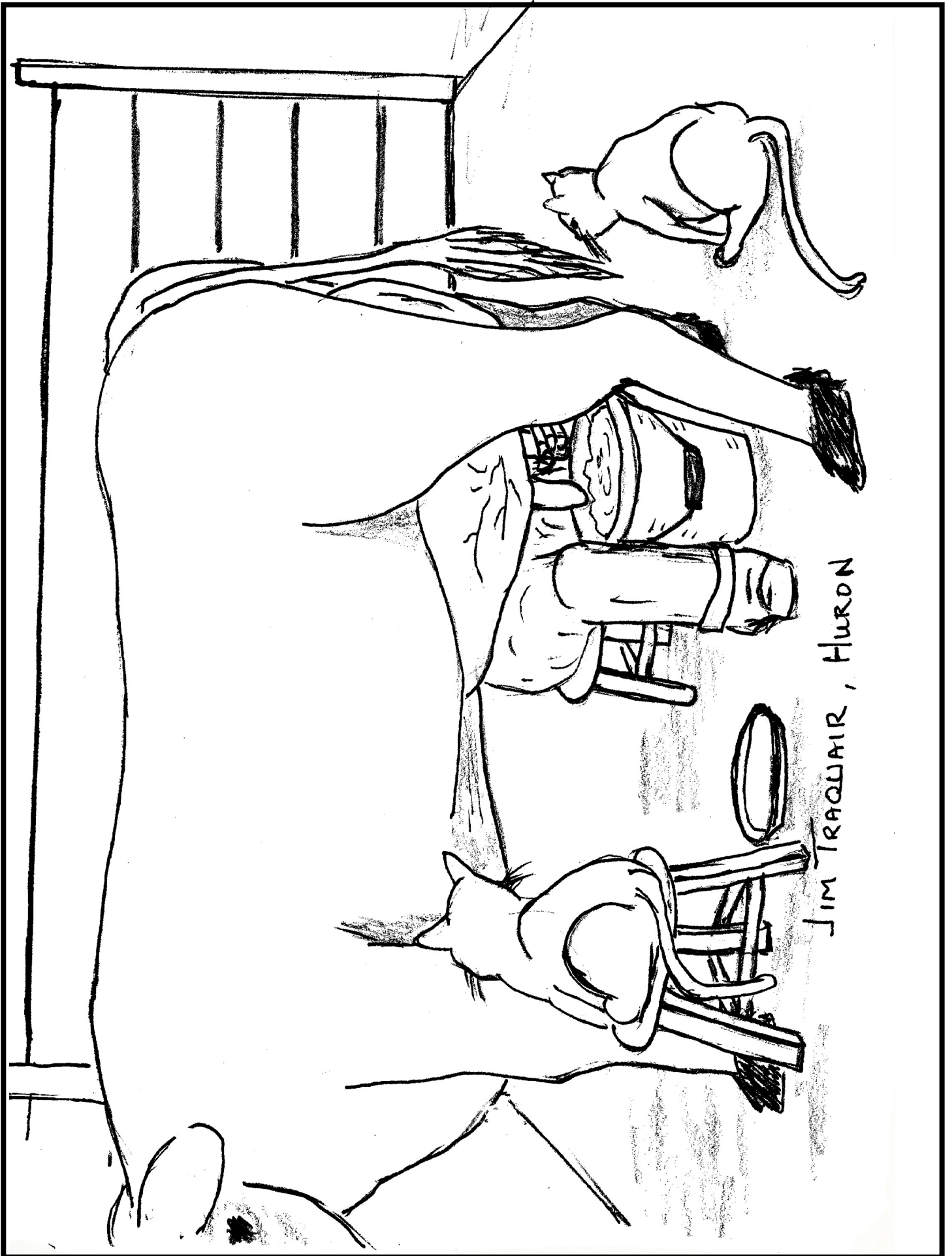


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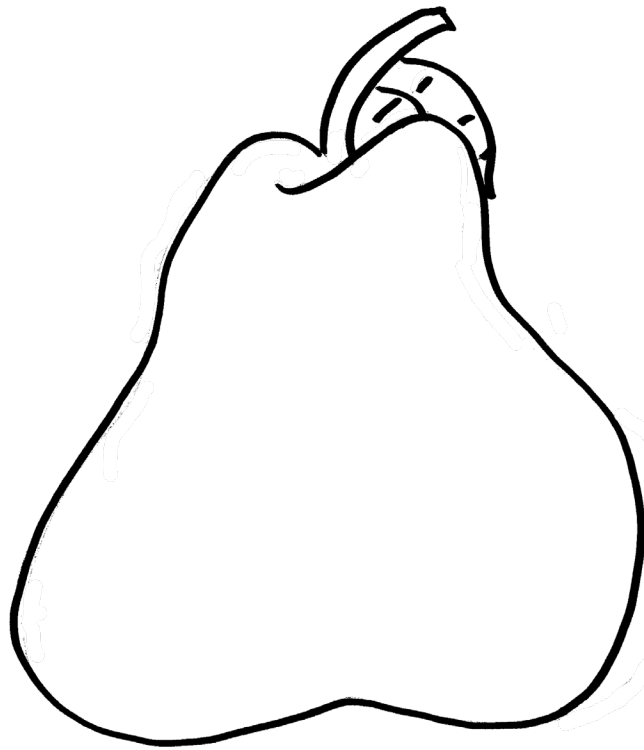
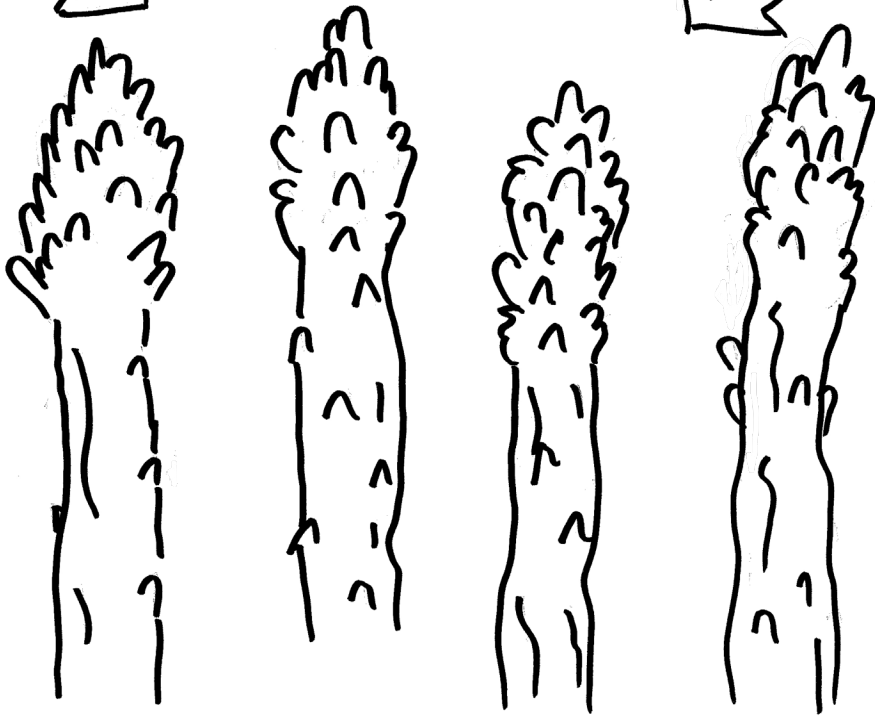




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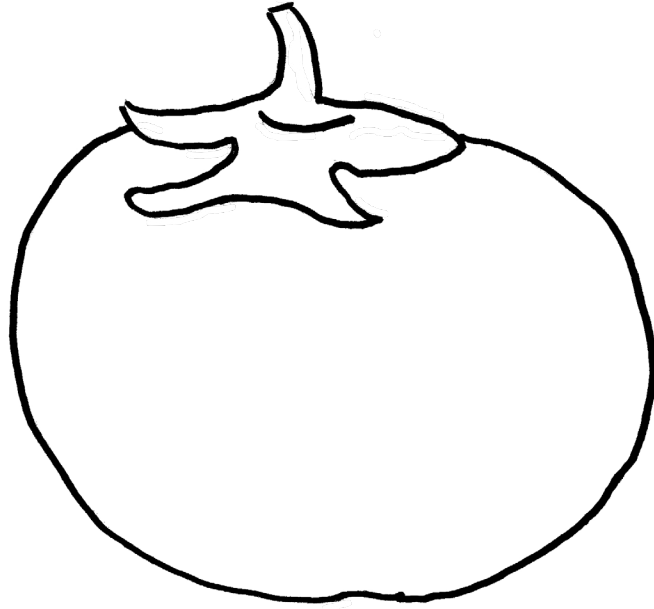


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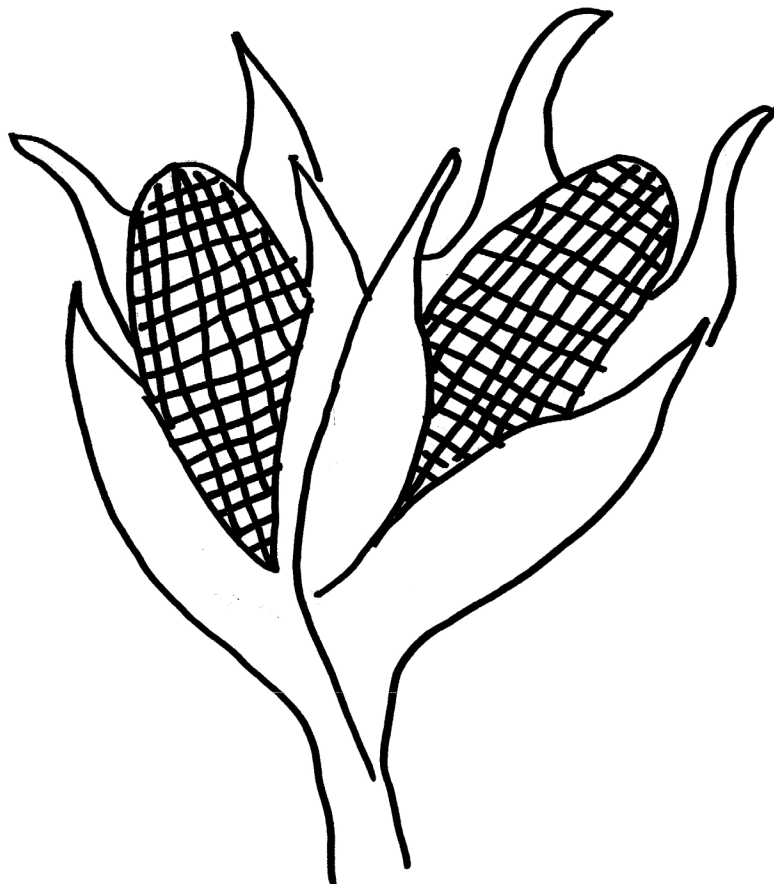
Agriculture Fact Matchup

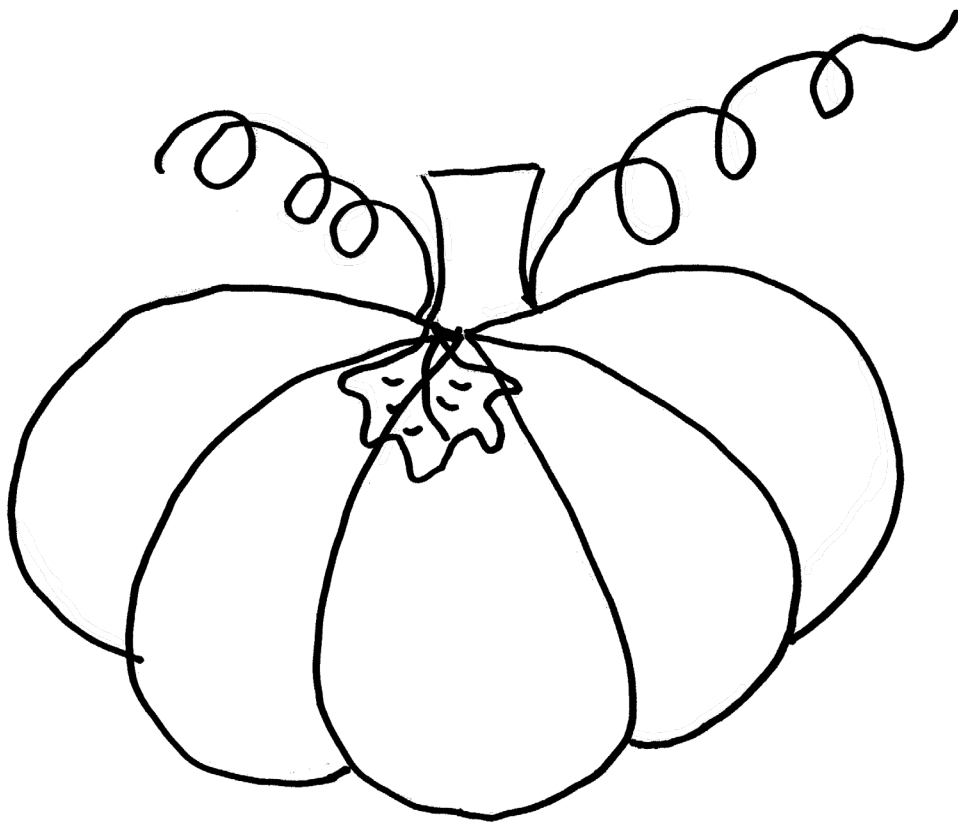
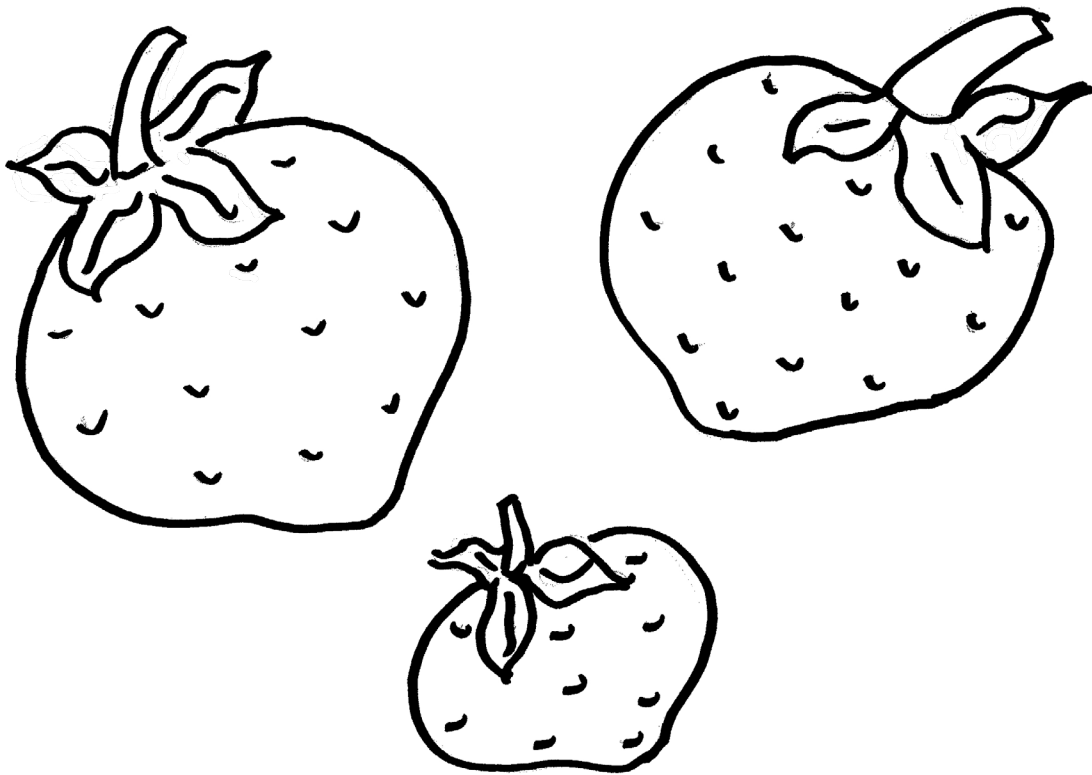
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|---|----------------------------|
| 1. How many farms are there in Ontario? | A. 8,500 litres |
| 2. How many commodities are grown and produced in Ontario? | B. Buffer |
| 3. What is the average size of an Ontario farm? | C. 320 eggs |
| 4. How many people does 1 Ontario farmer feed? | D. Greenhouse technologies |
| 5. Ontario produces more _____ than any other province. | E. Soy |
| 6. 1 in ___ jobs in Canada are linked to agriculture. | F. GPS mapping |
| 7. A _____ zone is a grassy area planted by farmers beside bodies of water. | G. 150 people |
| 8. Farmers take care of their livestock _____ days a year | H. Pigs |
| 9. Canada produces about ____% of the world's maple syrup | I. Vertical |
| 10. Thanks to _____ farmers can grow fresh vegetables in Canada all year long | J. 49,000 |
| 11. Farmers use ___ to be more efficient when planting crops | K. 80% |
| 12. No chickens, turkeys, or _____ are ever fed hormones in Canada | L. 249 acres |
| 13. The average hen lays _____ eggs a year | M. Soybeans |
| 14. _____ farming allows cities to grow herbs & vegetables on roof tops | N. Sweet and field |
| 15. There are two types of corn: _____ corn and _____ corn | O. 165,000 tractors. |
| 16. 1 dairy cow produces _____ litres of milk a year | P. Over 200 commodities |
| 17. _____ is used in crayons | Q. 365 |
| 18. Number of Tractors in Ontario | R. 8 |

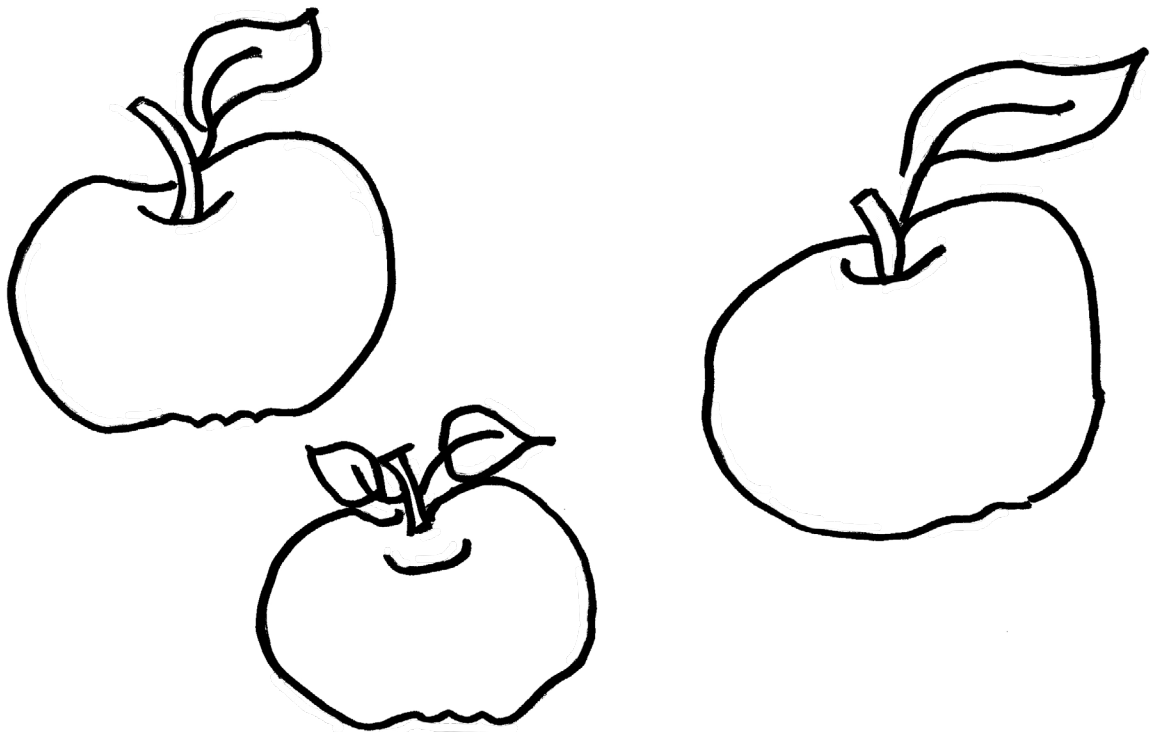
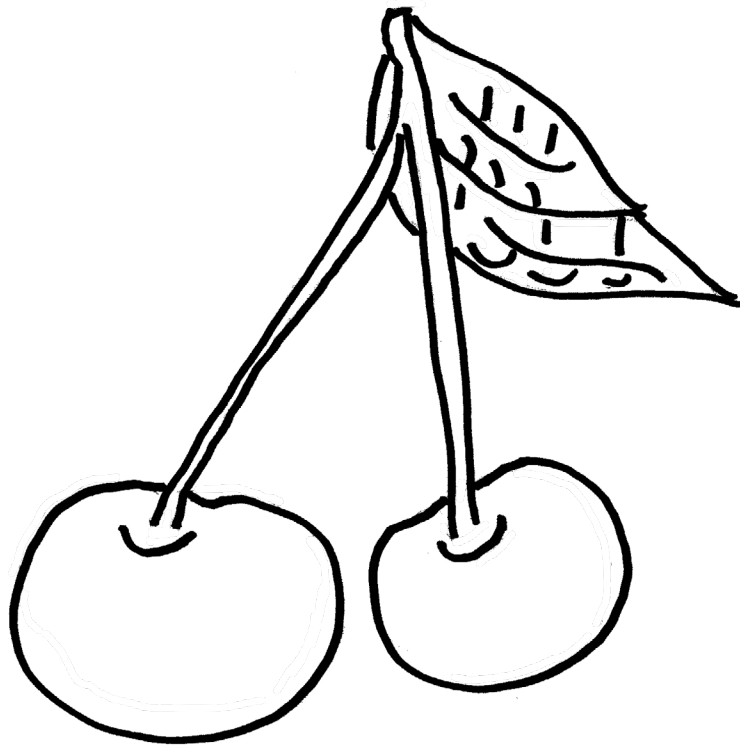
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Tomato





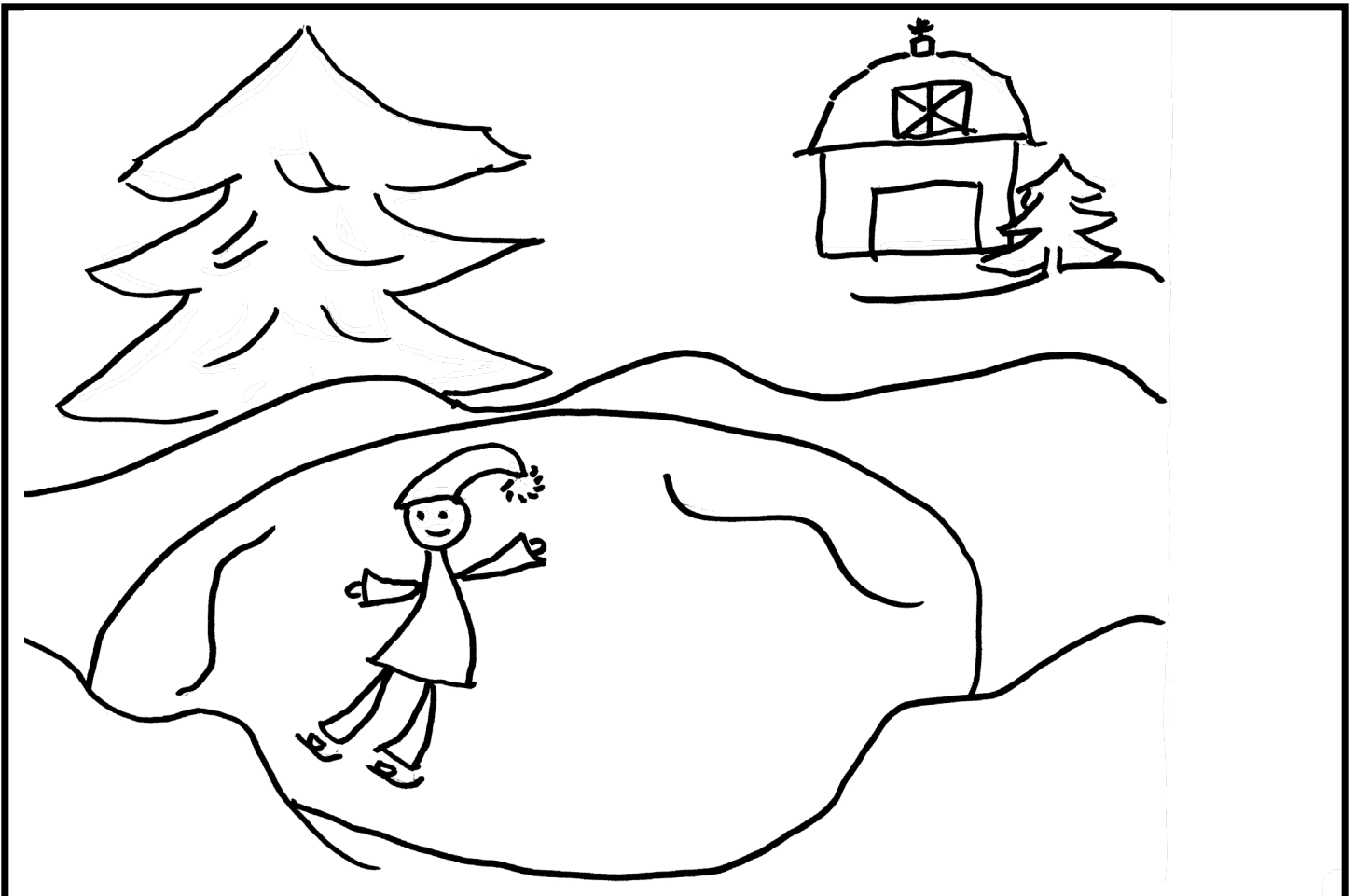


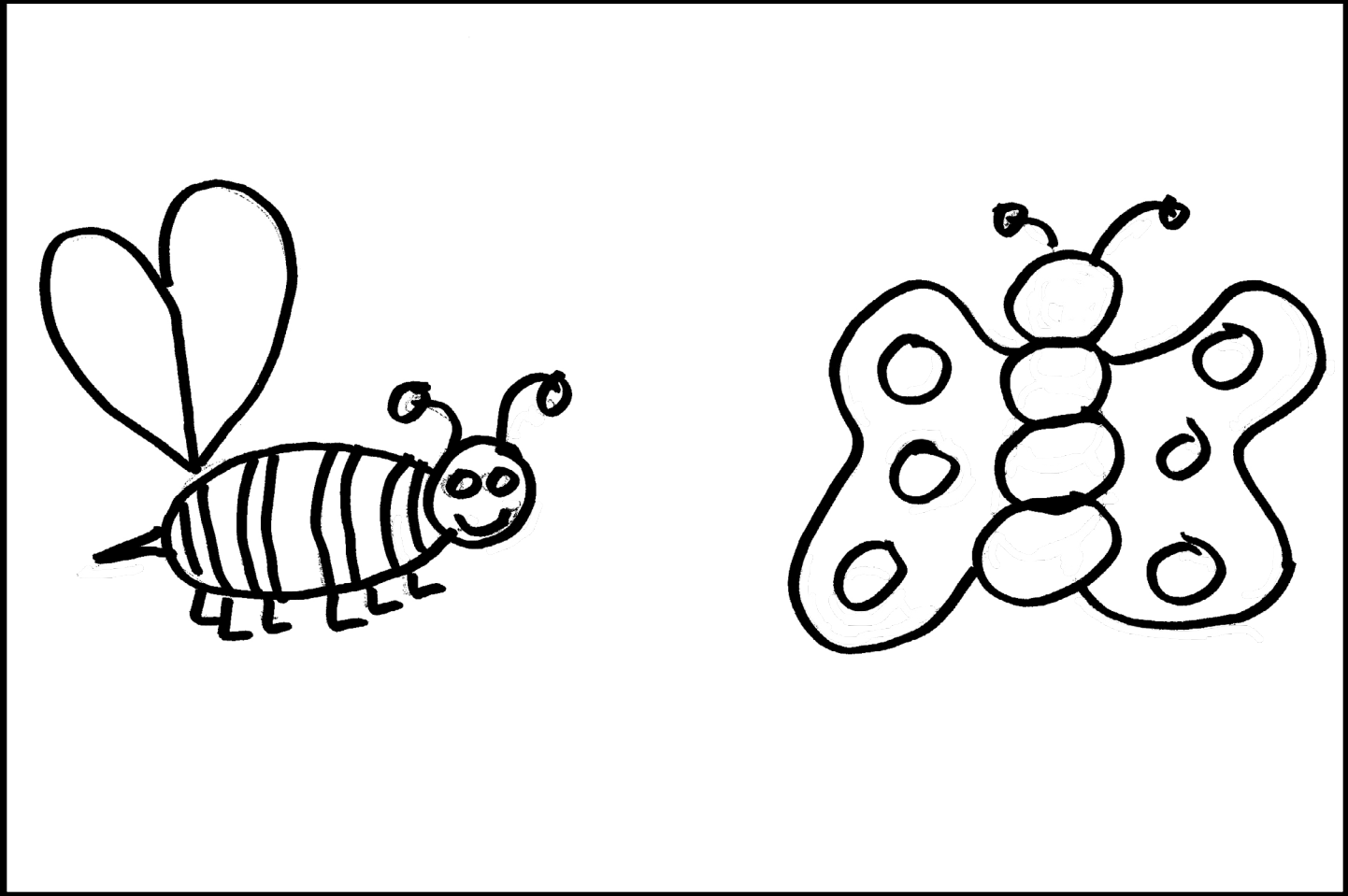
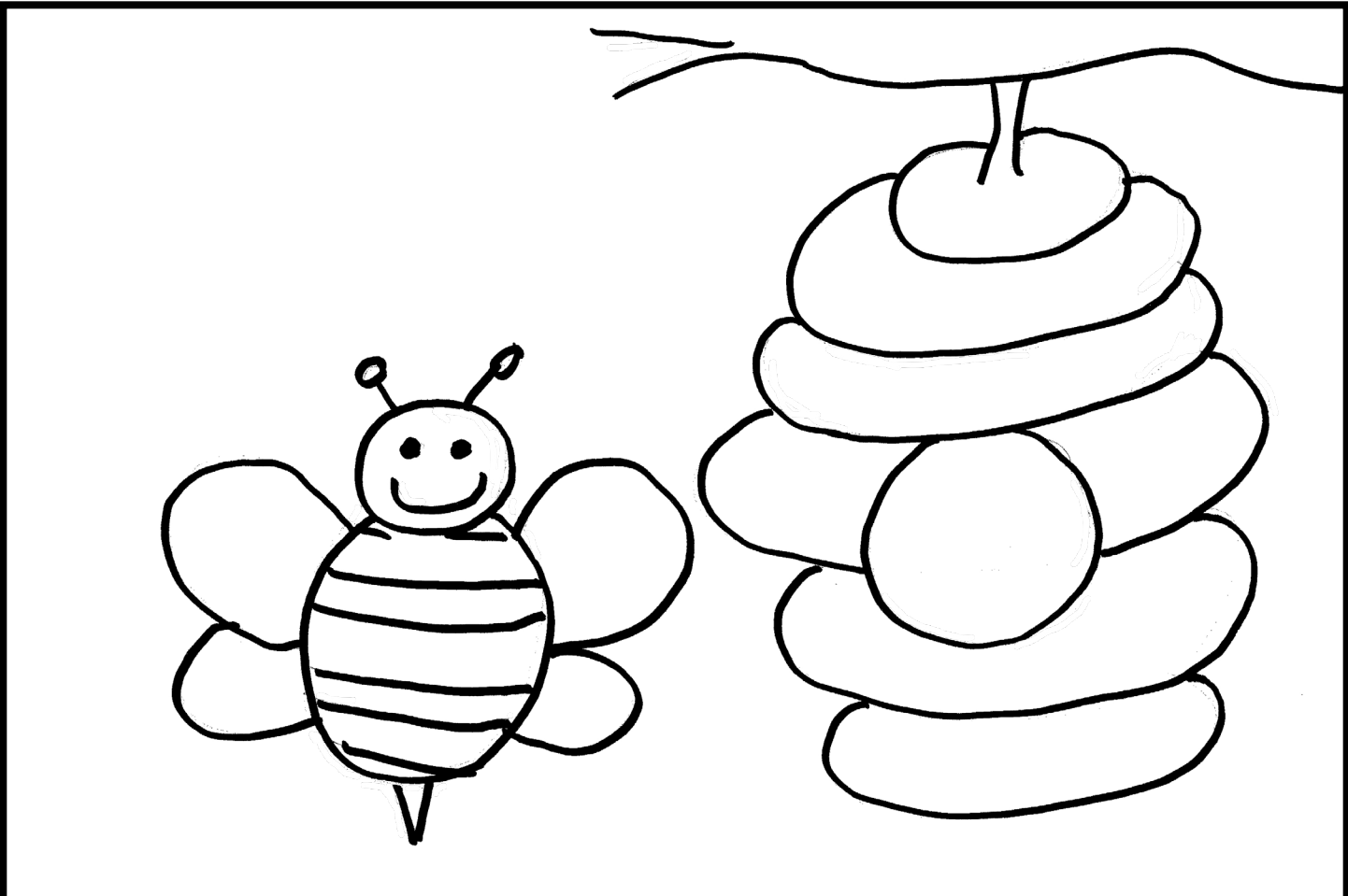
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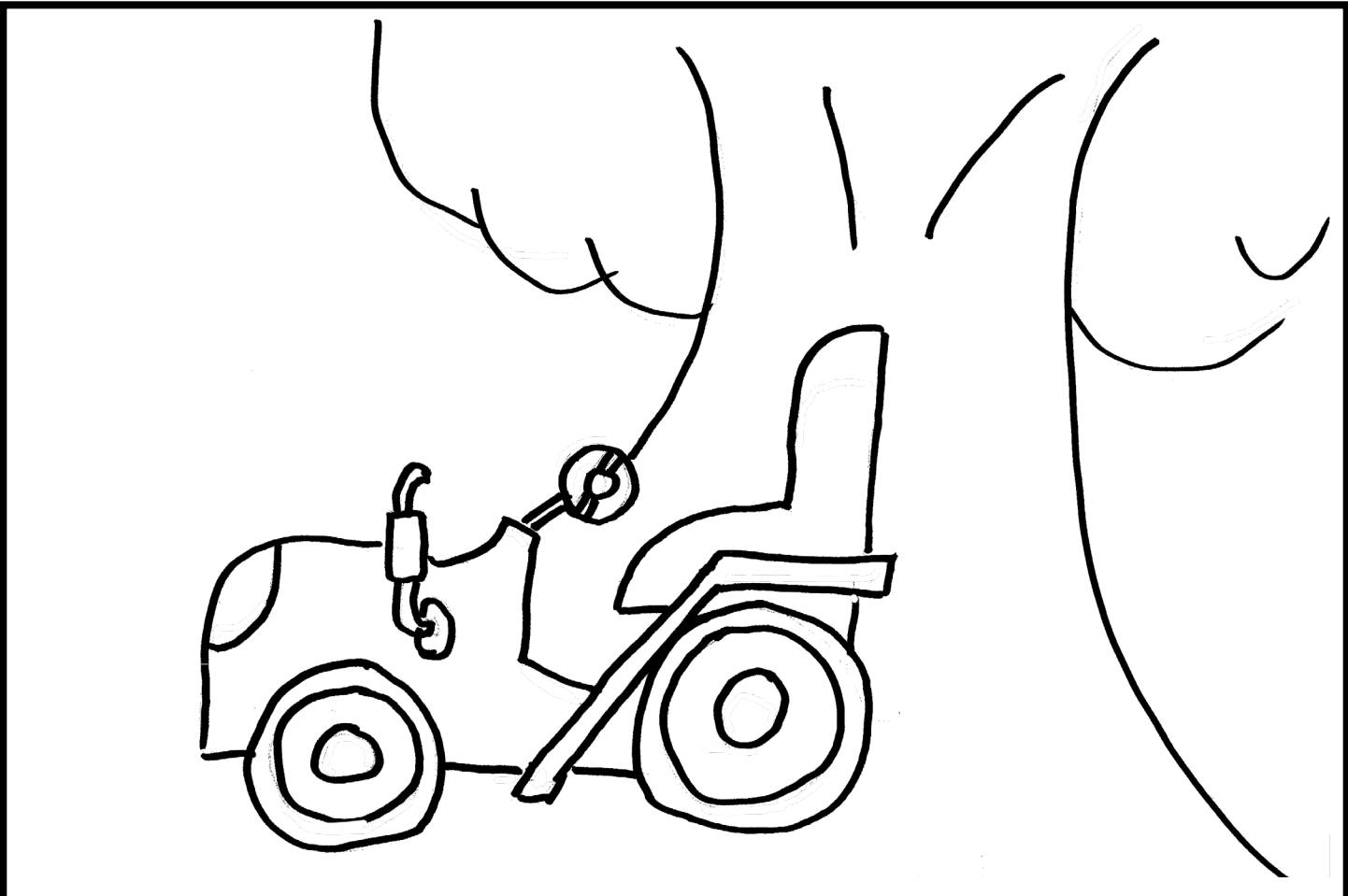
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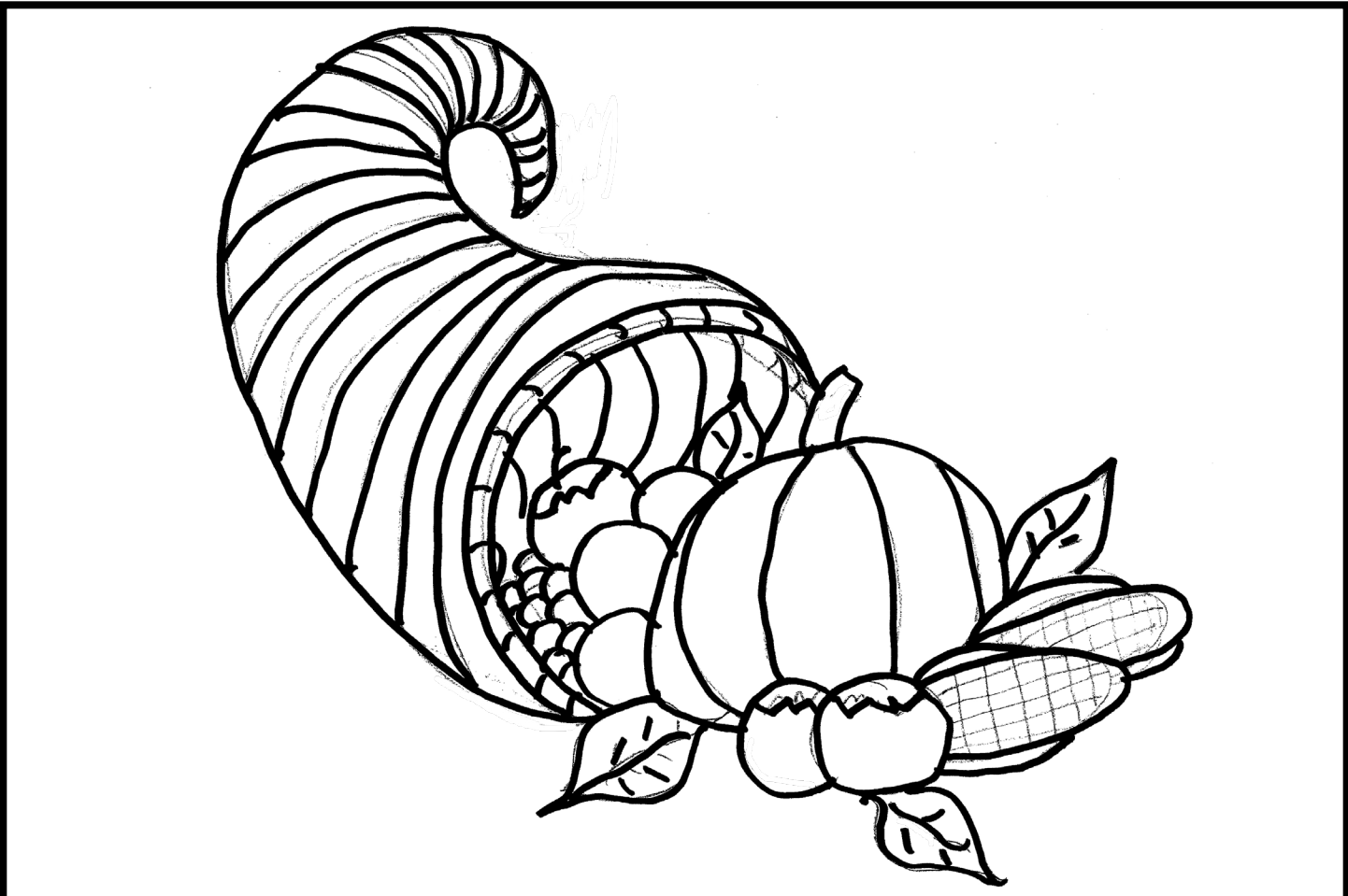


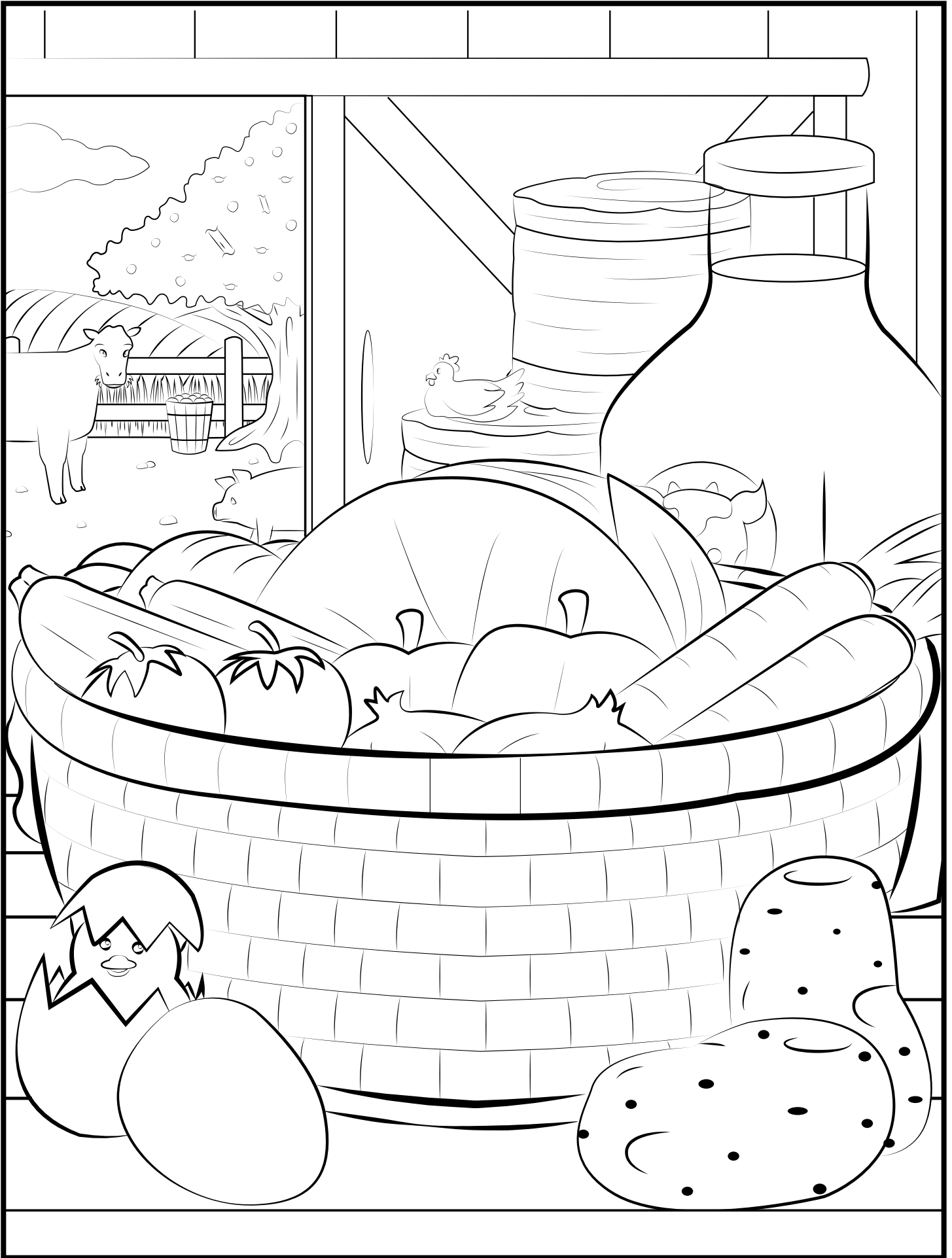
Six by Sixteen Bingo

Made a Six by Sixteen recipe	Sweetened with Ontario honey	Used a blender	Cooked with Ontario chicken	Tried a new recipe
Cooked with Ontario lamb	Set the table	Played AgScape's agri-trekking game	Supported a local farmer	Used Canadian dairy products in a recipe
Used a whisk	Cooked with Ontario pork		Cracked open an egg	Chopped vegetables or fruit
Cooked with Ontario mushrooms	Watched a Farm Food 360	Set the oven temperature & timer	Cooked with Ontario turkey	Baked with Ontario fruit
Made a sauce	Cooked with Ontario beans	Washed the dishes	Used a measuring cup	Cooked with Ontario beef

Make food literacy fun- get your kids cooking in the kitchen with the help of the bingo card above. Don't stop until everyone's said B-I-N-G-O.

Visit <http://www.sixbysixteen.me/> for recipes and resources.

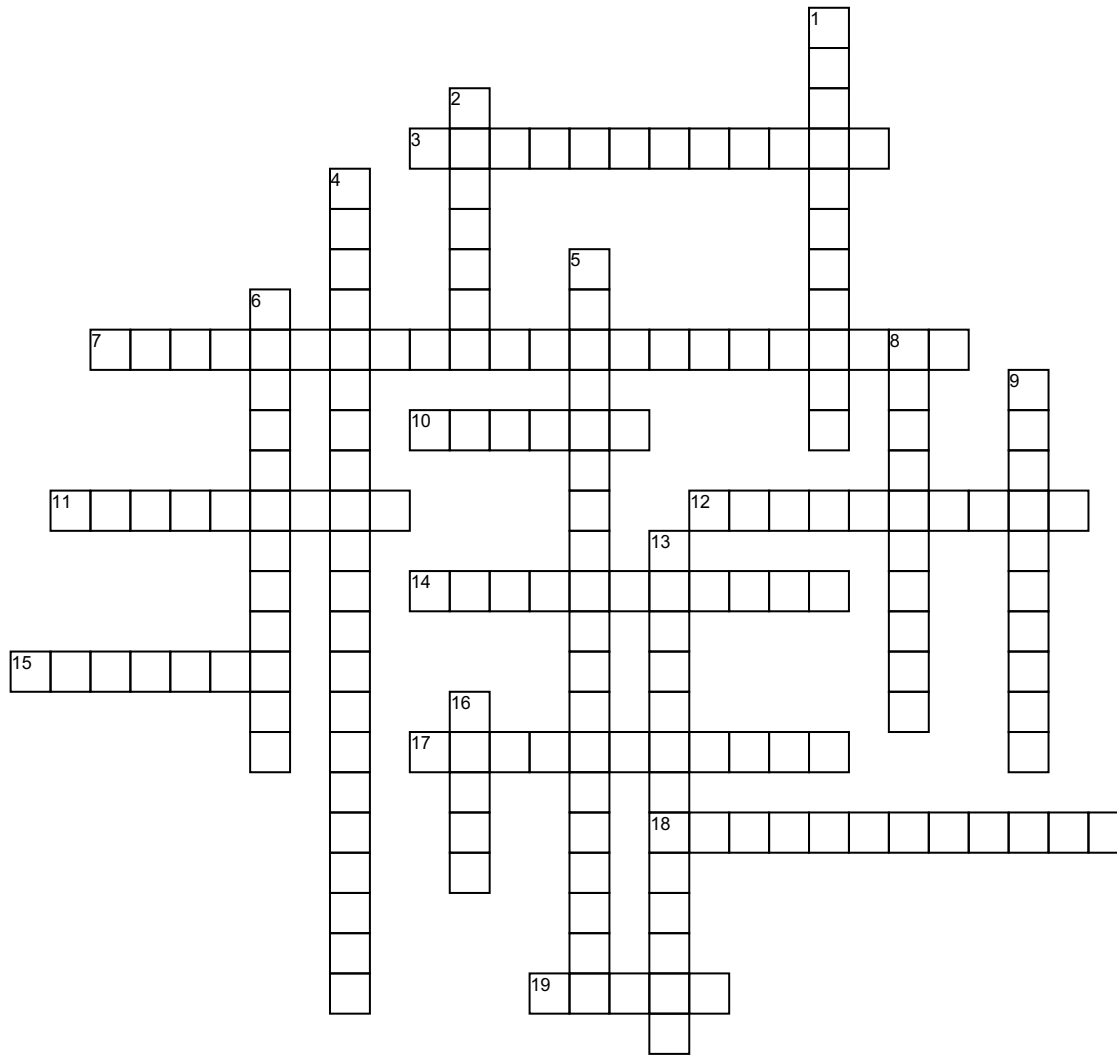






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Food Literacy Crossword



Across

3. What is the name of OFA's food literacy initiative?
7. How are Ontario mushrooms grown inside all year round?
10. What is a cucumber called that has been fermented in brine or vinegar?
11. What is the first thing you should do before prepping food?
12. How many commodities do Ontario farmers produce?
14. Which map helps you find local farmers that sell products to the public?
15. What device do you use to mix ingredients?
17. Where do root vegetables like carrots, potatoes and beets grow?
18. Which kitchen tool do you use to measure ingredients?
19. What is the name of the sweet and sticky liquid produced by bees?

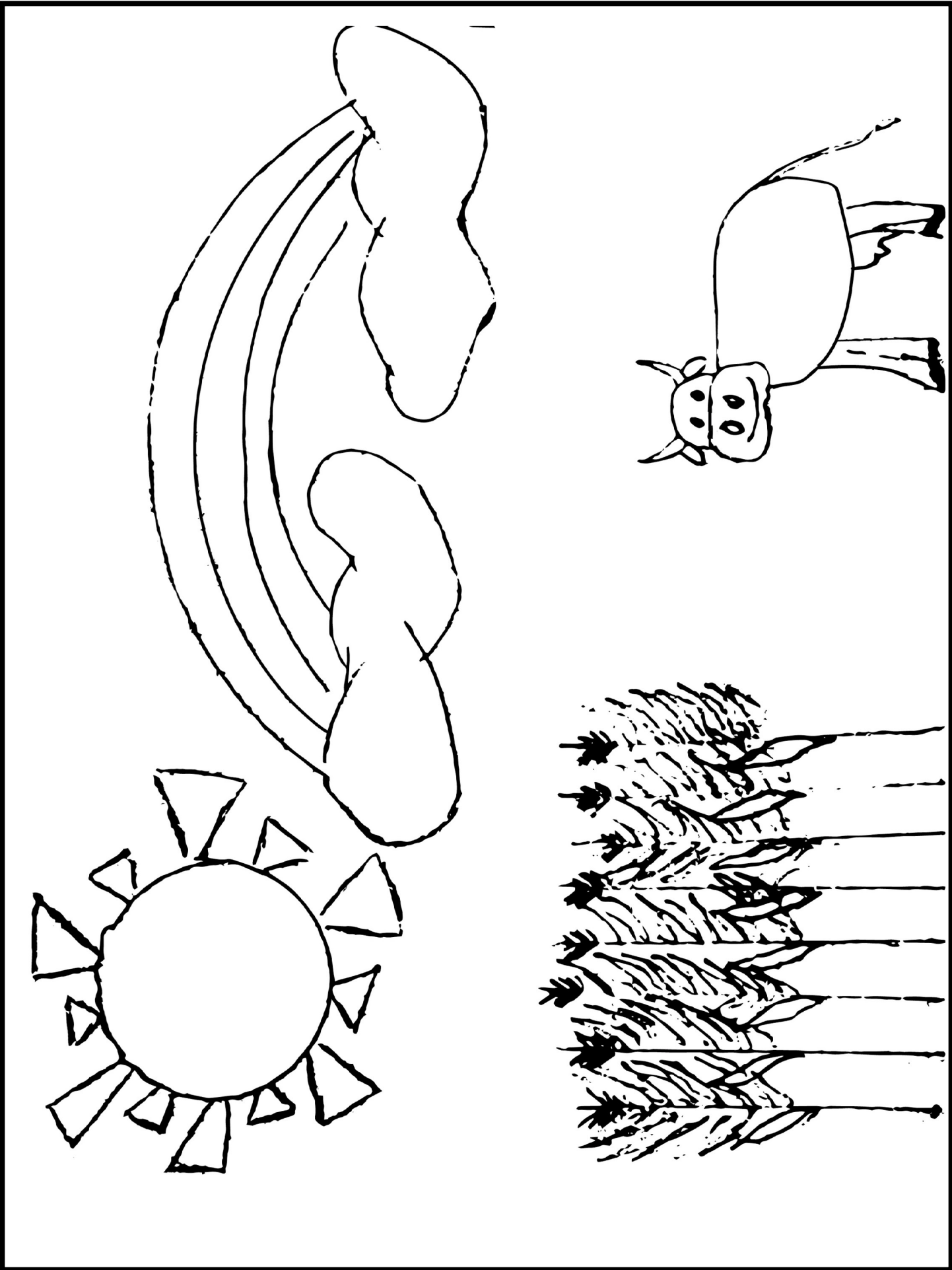
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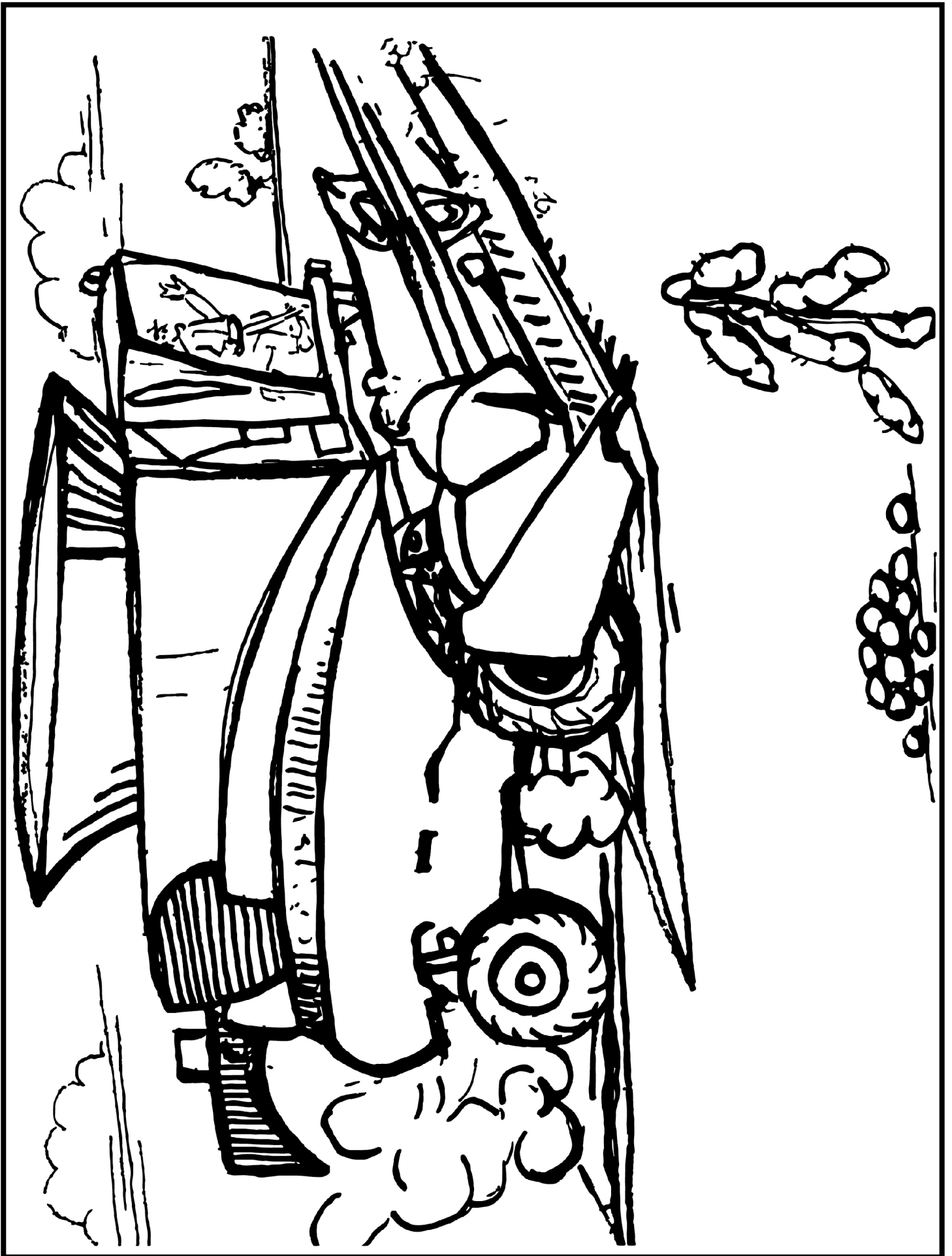
1. How do you identify dairy products made with 100% Canadian milk?
2. How many apple varieties are grown in Ontario?
4. How many eggs does the average Ontario laying hen produce in a year?
5. What logo identifies Ontario grown produce at the grocery store?
6. What is it called when you buy directly from the farm?
8. What is the process of soaking meat in a liquid to add flavor called?
9. Where can tomatoes, bell peppers, cucumbers and other heat loving produce be grown all year round?
13. What market can you buy fresh local food from?
16. Which kitchen tool do you use to cut vegetables and fruit?

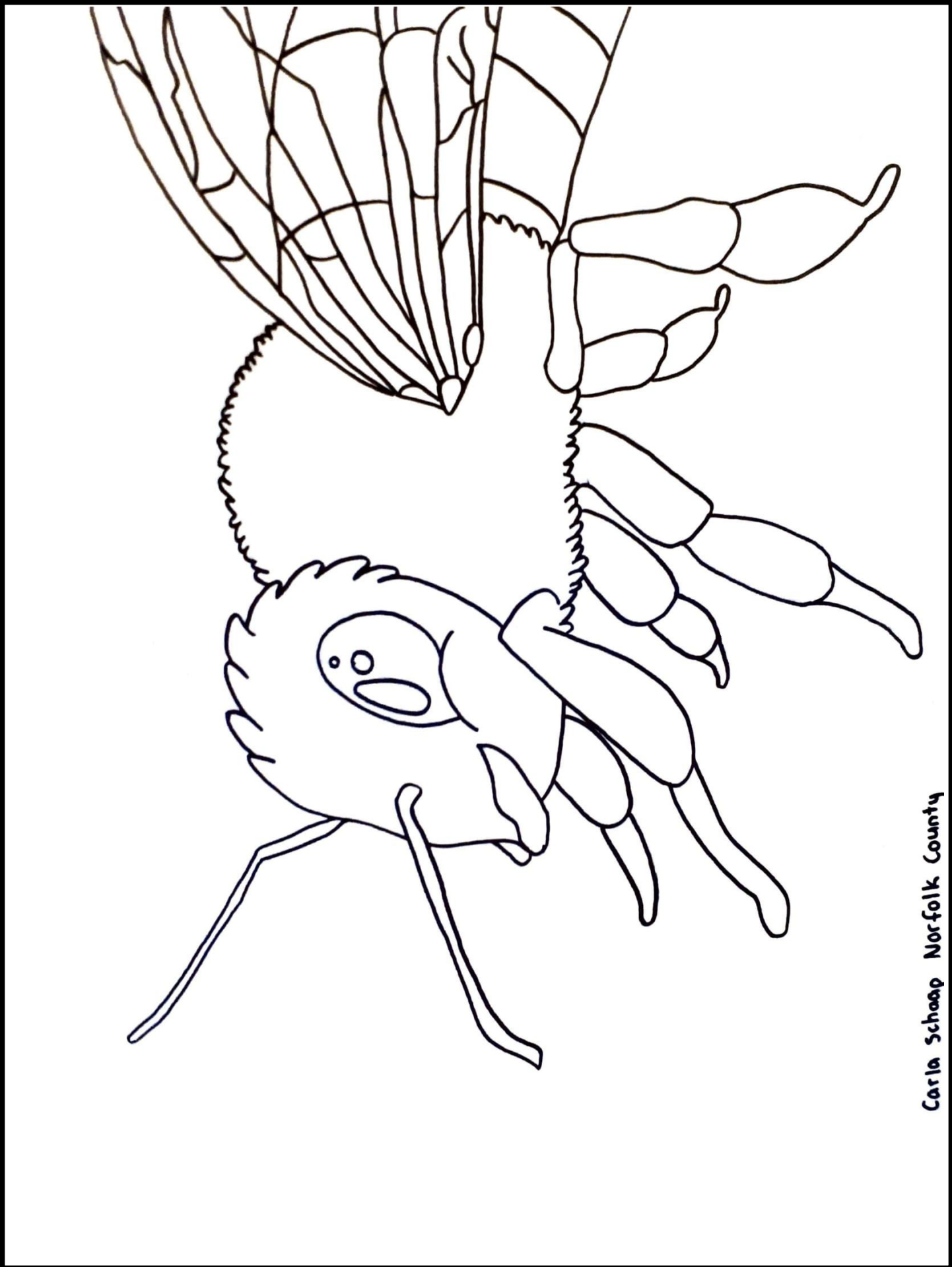
14. Buy local map
15. Spatula
16. Knife
17. Underground
18. Measuring cup
19. Honey

7. Climate controlled rooms
8. Marinating
9. Greenhouse
10. Pickle
11. Wash hands
12. Two hundred
13. Farmers' Market

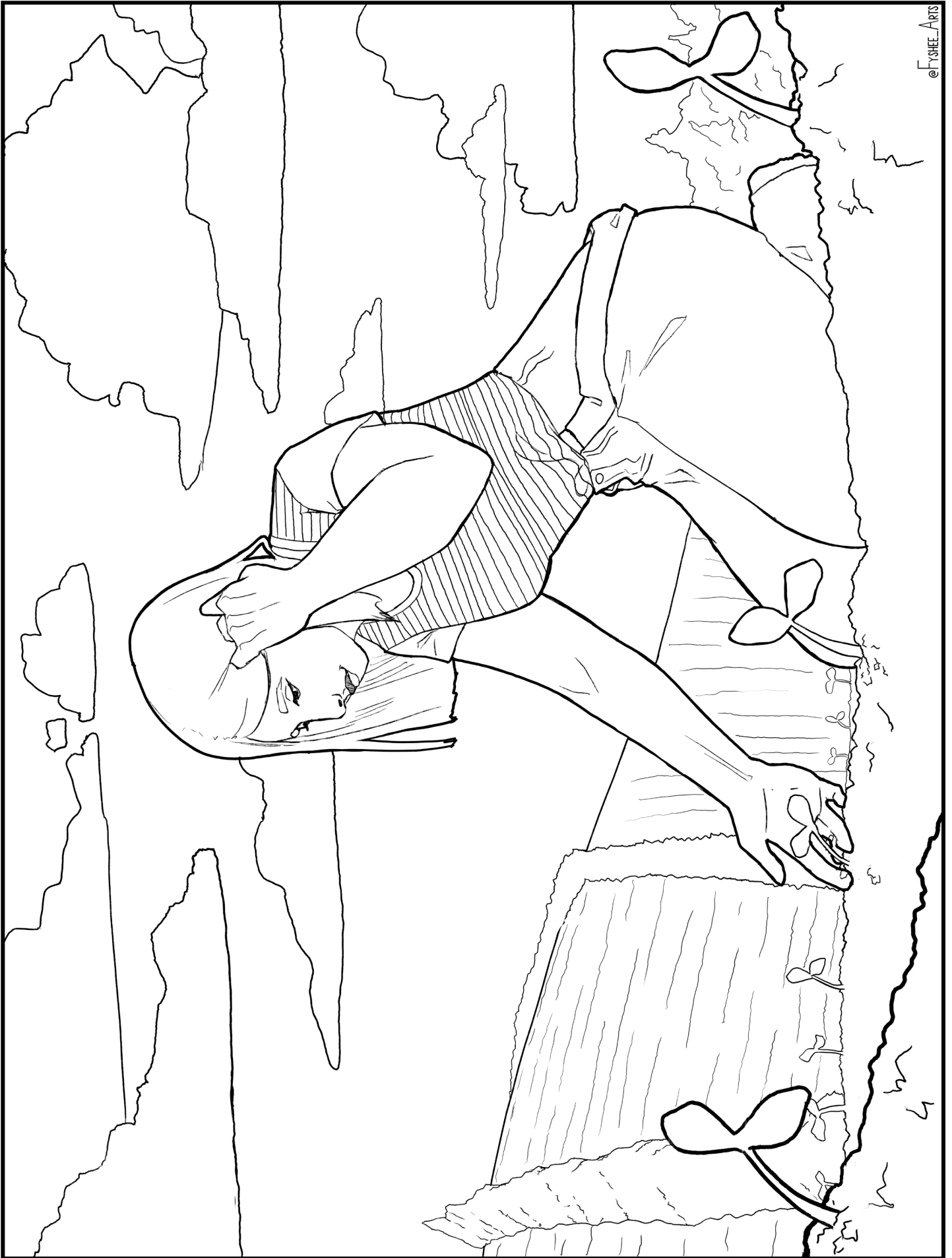
- Answer Key:
1. Blue cow logo
2. Fifteen
3. Six by Sixteen
4. Three hundred and twenty
5. Foodland Ontario logo
6. Farmgate sale



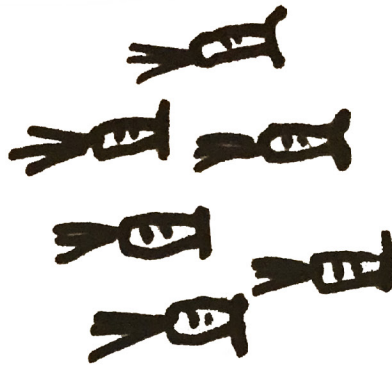
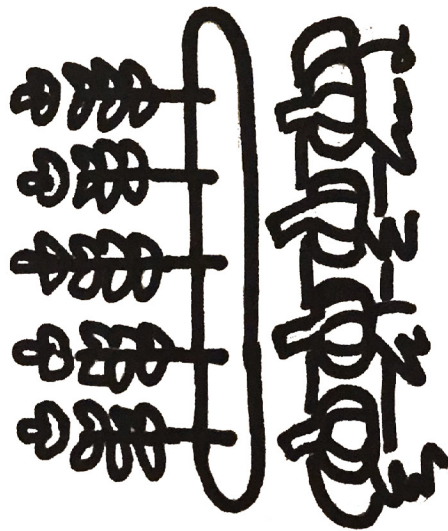


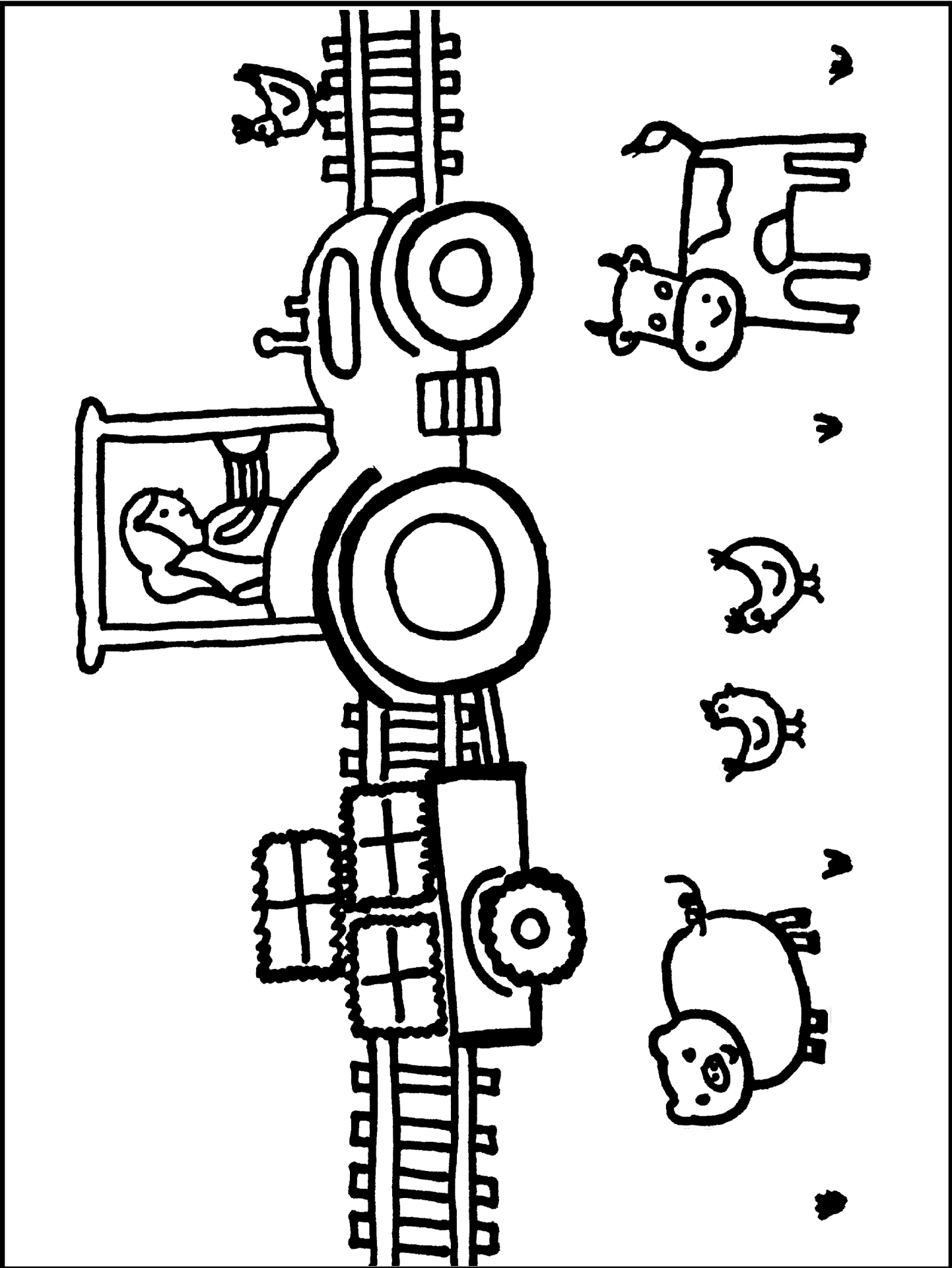


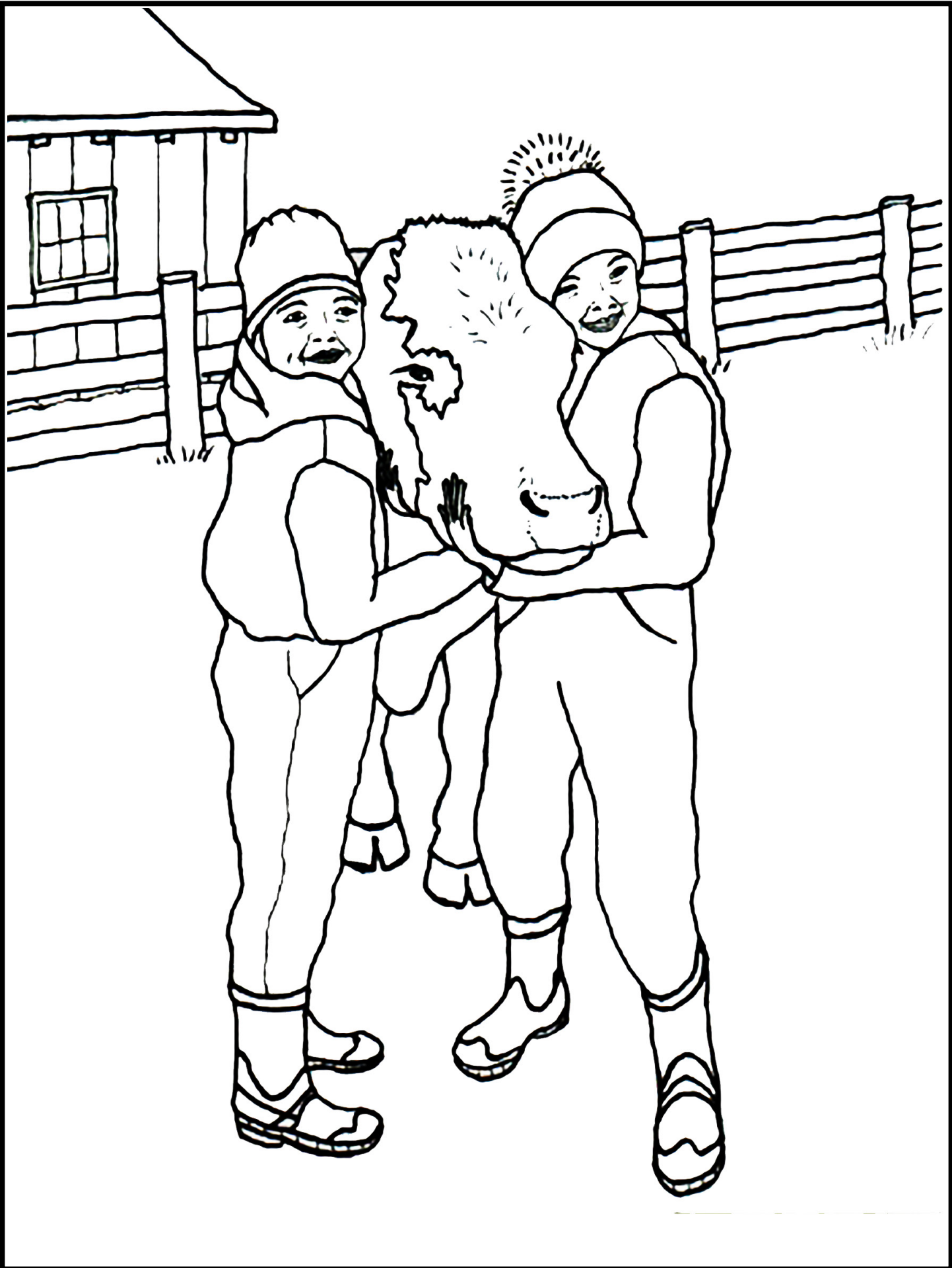
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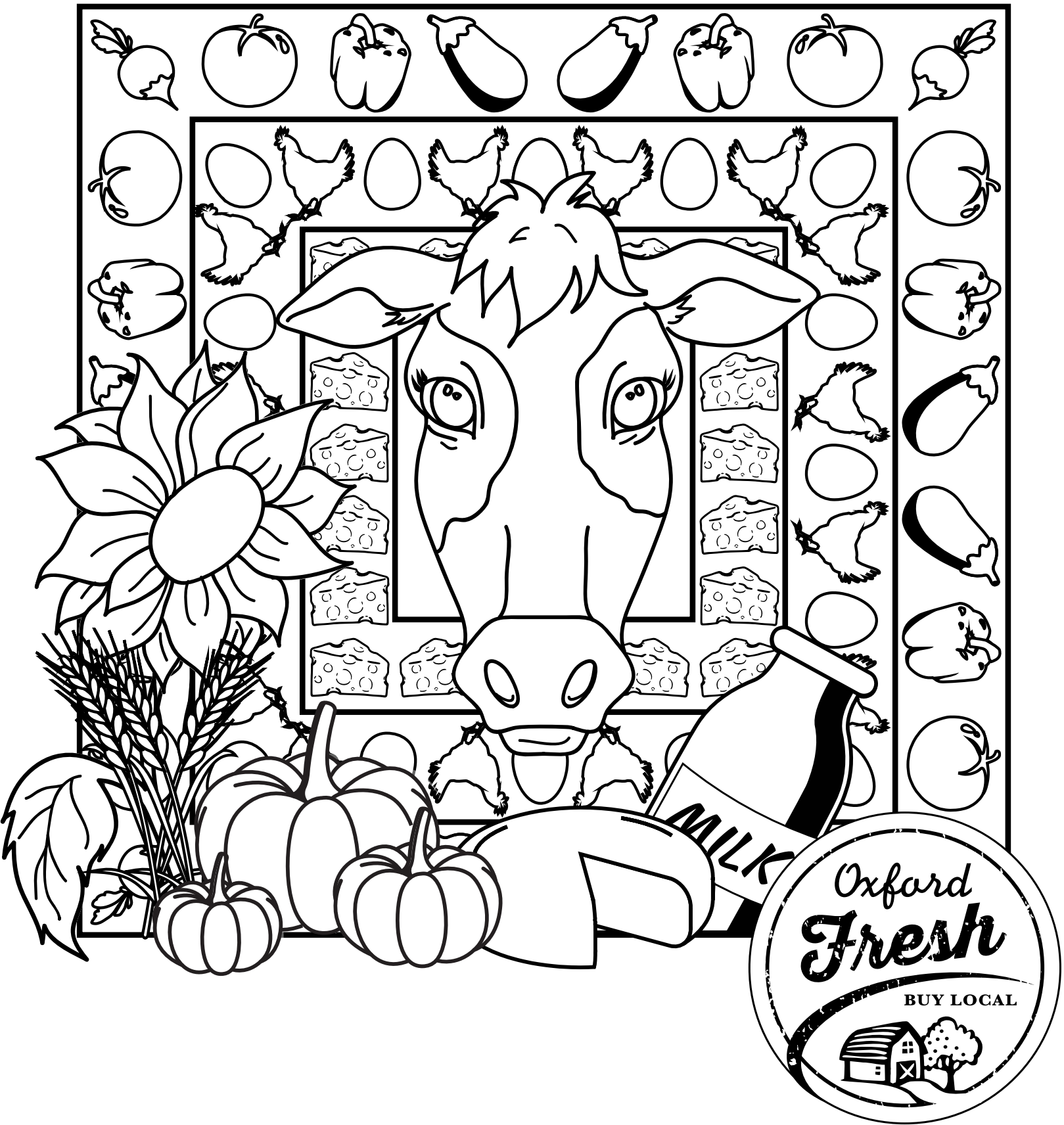


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