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ū (flu)

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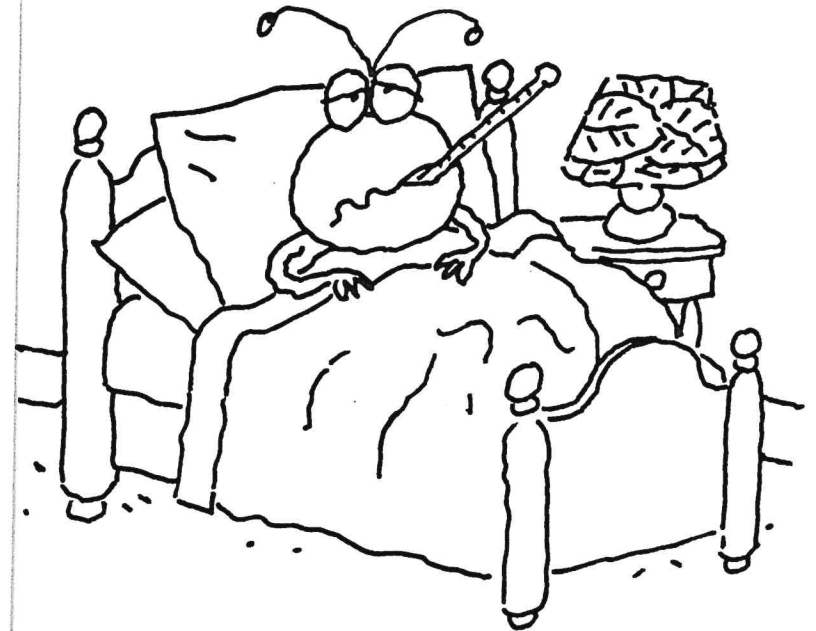
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The Flu Bug



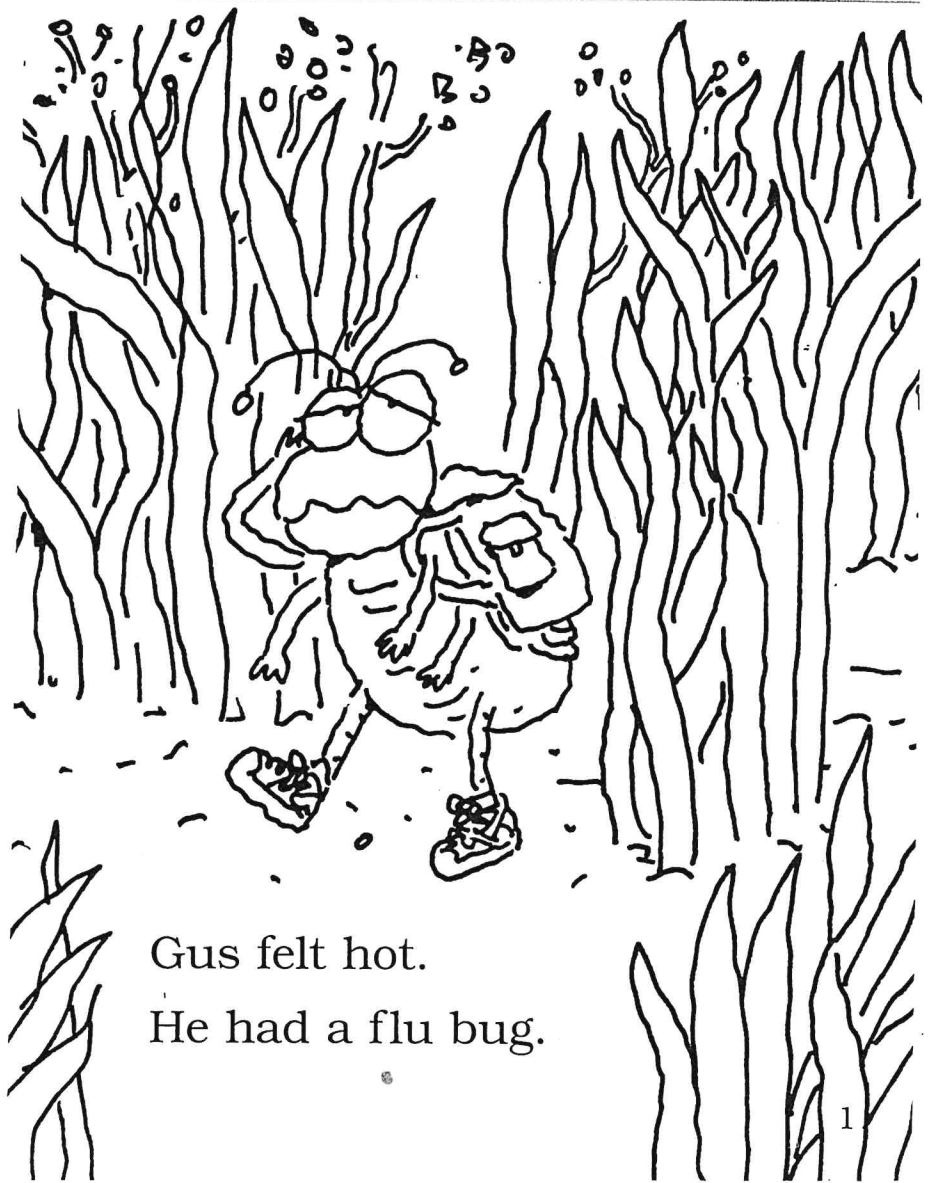
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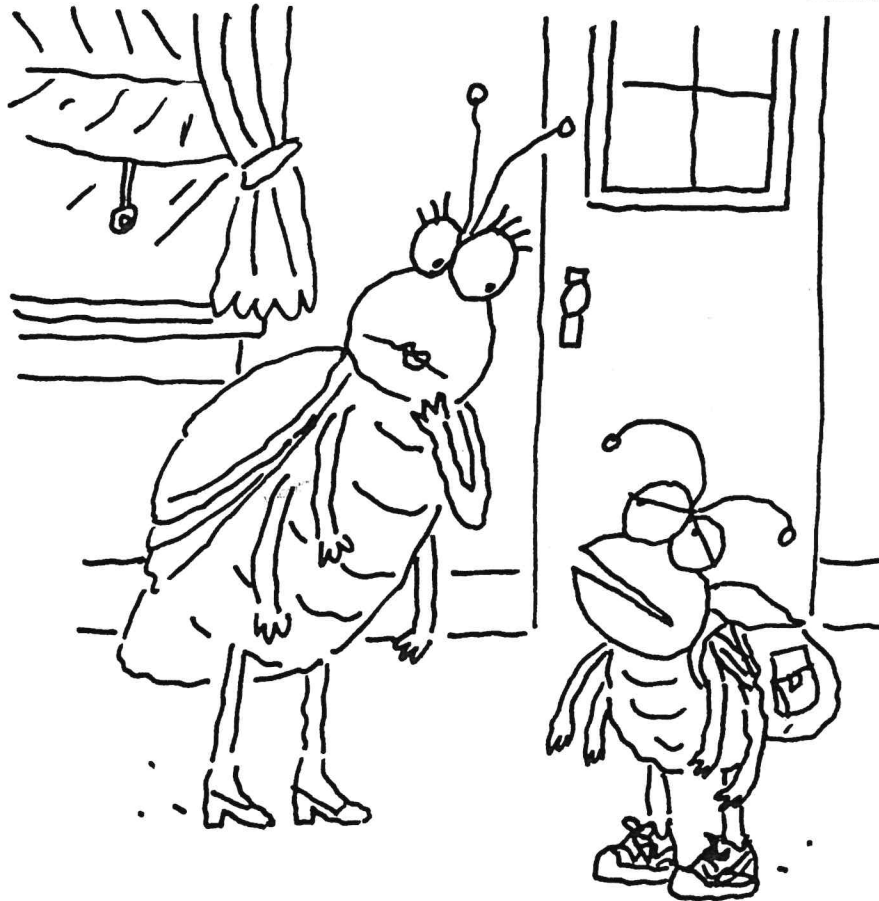
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Gus felt hot.
He had a flu bug.



"I cannot run," said Gus.

"I am a sick insect."



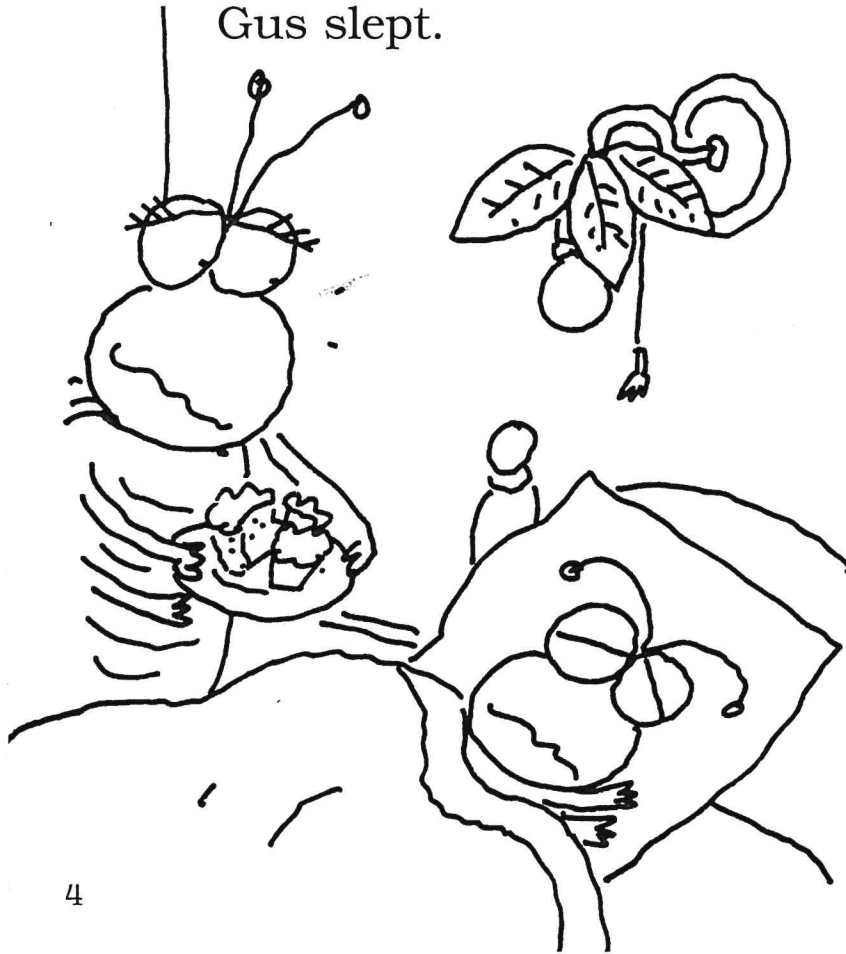
Mom put Gus to bed.

"You must drink this broth,"
said Mom.

"And you must rest."

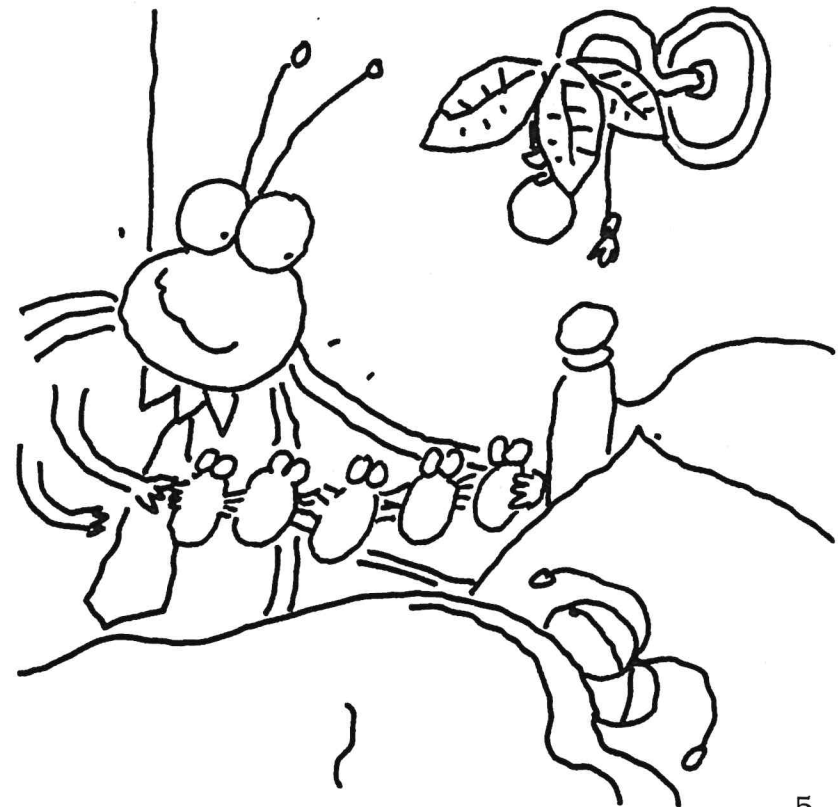
Mom cut up a muffin.

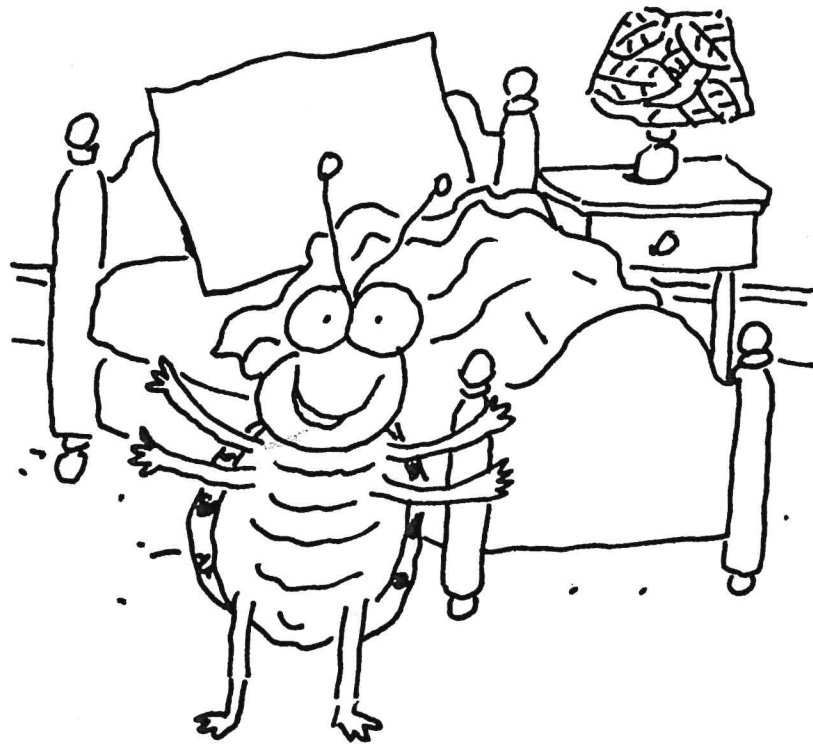
Gus slept.



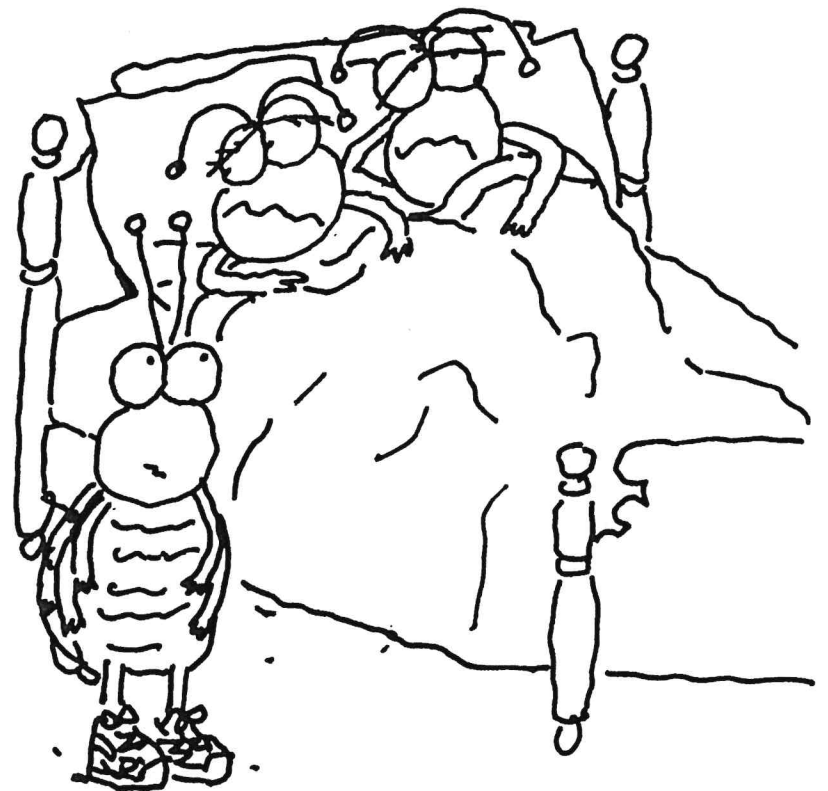
Dad cut up a napkin.

Gus slept and slept.

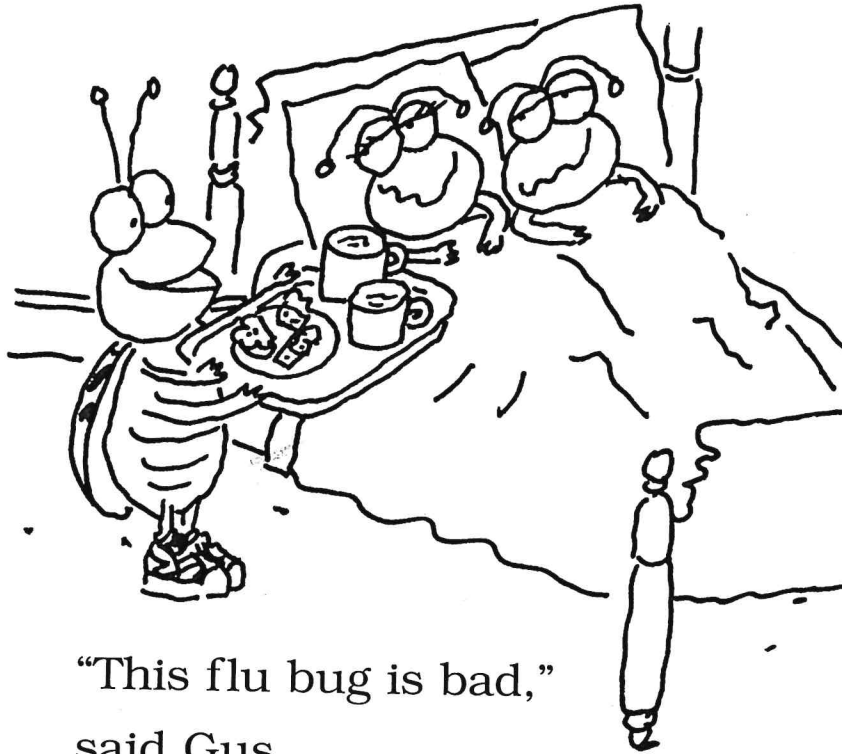




At last Gus got up.
"I am not sick!" he said.



But Mom and Dad felt sick.
"You can help us," said Mom.



“This flu bug is bad,”
said Gus.

“You must drink this broth.
And you must rest.”

The End

Understanding the Story

Questions are to be read aloud by a teacher or parent.

1. Why does Gus feel sick?
2. What does Gus's mom do when he tells her he's sick?
3. How does Gus help his mom and dad?

Answers: 1. because he has the flu 2. Possible answer: puts him in bed to rest
3. Possible answer: by bringing them something to eat and drink

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