

1. In line 3, the phrase "The leavers unhooked themselves from wires" means

- A. the leavers were going to look at.
- B. the leavers were being taken off the wires.
- C. the leavers had unplugged powers.
- D. the leavers were being pulled off the wires by people.

2. In line 3, what is the meaning of the word "hang"?

- A. Picked up.
- B. Drove.
- C. Ate.
- D. Stuck.

3. The purpose of this selection is to

- A. entertain.
- B. inform.
- C. persuade.
- D. encourage.

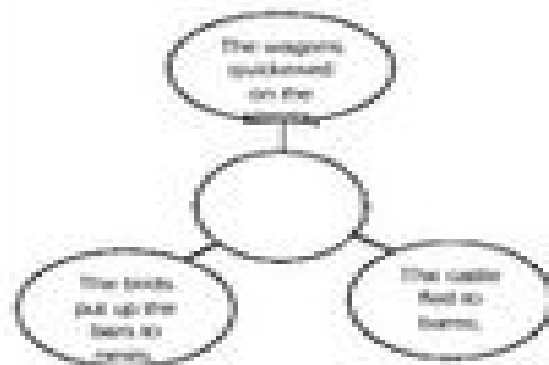
4. After reading this selection, the reader could probably conclude

- A. that the thunderstorm was severe.
- B. that the thunderstorm was not severe.
- C. that the people and animals could not tell there was a thunderstorm coming.
- D. that there was not a thunderstorm coming.

5. Lines 9, 13, and 14 are important to the poem because

- A. they show the reader the thunderstorm is here.
- B. they show and name all the other lines rhyme.
- C. they show the reader how the people came out of the rain.
- D. they show the reader there was a thunderstorm coming.

6. Look at the diagram below.



Which phrase belongs in the empty circle?

- A. How people got out of the storm.
- B. How living things got out of the storm.
- C. Damage caused by the storm.
- D. Damage caused by the rain.