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Little House on the Prairie Questions Chapter 4

1. What happened when Patty tried to eat Pet's corn?
 - a) Pet nipped her
 - b) Patty came untied
 - c) Pa took the feed-box away
 - d) Pet kicked her
2. What kinds of birds were swinging and singing in the weed-tops?
 - a) crows
 - b) dickcissels
 - c) cardinals
 - d) blue jays
3. Laura was not allowed to feed Jack while she ate. What did she do instead?
 - a) set her plate on the ground
 - b) let Mary feed him
 - c) saved bits for him
 - d) sat on the wagon where Jack could not reach
4. Why couldn't Jack go hunting?
 - a) Pa took him to collect wood
 - b) Ma tied him to the wagon
 - c) Pa needed him to guard the camp
 - d) he was too badly injured
5. Ma washed the sheets, pillowcases, and clothes in the tub. How did she dry them?
 - a) spread them over the top of the wagon
 - b) shook them in the breeze
 - c) hung them on the line
 - d) spread them on the grass in the sun

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6. What made all of the gophers vanish?
- a) a hawk
 - b) a wolf
 - c) the horses
 - d) Jack
7. What did Mary and Laura bring to Ma while she was folding clothes?
- a) mud pies
 - b) sticks and stones
 - c) a baby bird
 - d) wild flowers
8. How did Pa know that the Indians would not be here for long?
- a) He knew the army was coming to watch over the new settlements.
 - b) A man from Washington told him that the Indian Territory would be open to settlement.
 - c) He knew that the Indians often moved from place to place.
 - d) The Indians had told him that they were leaving the area.
9. What did Ma lay the clothes on to iron them with the heated sadiron?
- a) wagon bed
 - b) flat ground
 - c) wagon seat
 - d) the new table
10. What game did Pa find on his hunting trip? (Choose 2)
- a) a large rabbit
 - b) a large bear
 - c) Ma had been asleep
 - d) 2 prairie hens
11. As Pa was playing the fiddle, Laura was sure that part of the music came from _____.
- a) the horses
 - b) the stars
 - c) the wolves
 - d) the Indian camp

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