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On the Banks of Plum Creek
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1. What was out on the prairie beyond the stable?
 - a) Plum Creek
 - b) the fields
 - c) the road to town
 - d) a long gray rock

2. **T F True or False:** Laura loved to try to catch butterflies. She knew that nothing she did could hurt them.

3. Why didn't the girls play on the rock in the morning or in the evening?
 - a) Pa took them to the creek
 - b) Ma gave them chores to do
 - c) the cattle went by
 - d) Jack liked to sleep on the rock

4. Who drove the cattle to and from the pasture?

5. Pa was driving one cow away from the others. What was around its neck?
 - a) Pa's blanket
 - b) Ma's good sheets
 - c) a wreath of roses
 - d) Johnny's yoke

6. How did Pa pay Mr. Nelson for the cow?
 - a) a batch of Ma's bread
 - b) a loan on the crop
 - c) 20 dollars
 - d) a day's work

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7. What did the cow do when Laura tried to milk her on the wrong side?
- a) bellowed
 - b) looked at her with gentle eyes
 - c) broke the ropes
 - d) kicked at her
8. **T F True or False:** Mrs. Nelson called the cow "Reet". Laura figured out that that meant "wreath of roses".
9. What group of people have the Ingalls's not lived among?
- a) Indians
 - b) Irish
 - c) Norwegians
 - d) Swedes and Germans
10. What did Ma name the new cow?
- a) Wreath of Roses
 - b) Rosie
 - c) Spot
 - d) Reet

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1. (d) pg 37
2. F, false pg 38
3. (c) pg 38
4. Johnny Johnson pg 38
5. (c) pg 40
6. (d) pg 40
7. (b) pg 41
8. T, true pg 43
9. (b) pg 43
10. (d) pg 44