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Old Tom at the Beach

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Early one morning,
Angela Throgmorton and Old Tom left home.



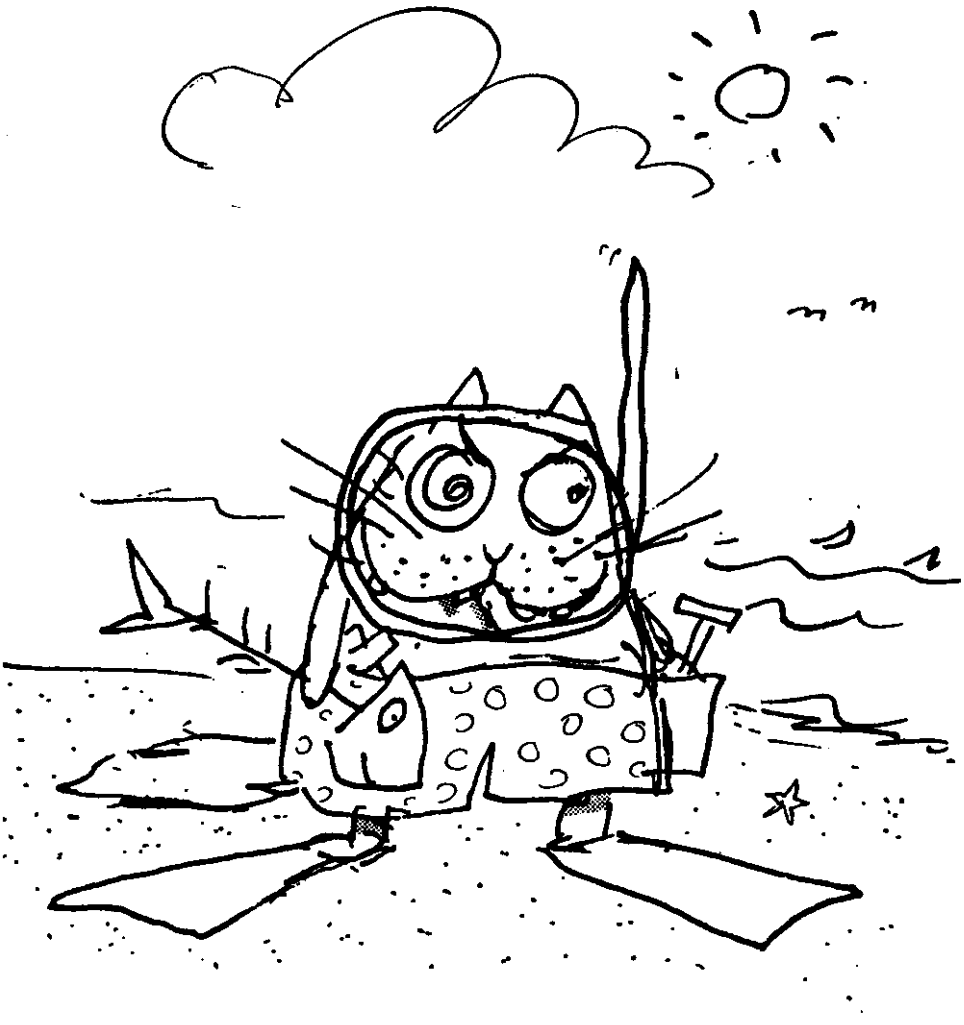
They were off to the beach.



It had taken hours to pack.



Old Tom had never been to the beach before,



and he was eager to see the sights.



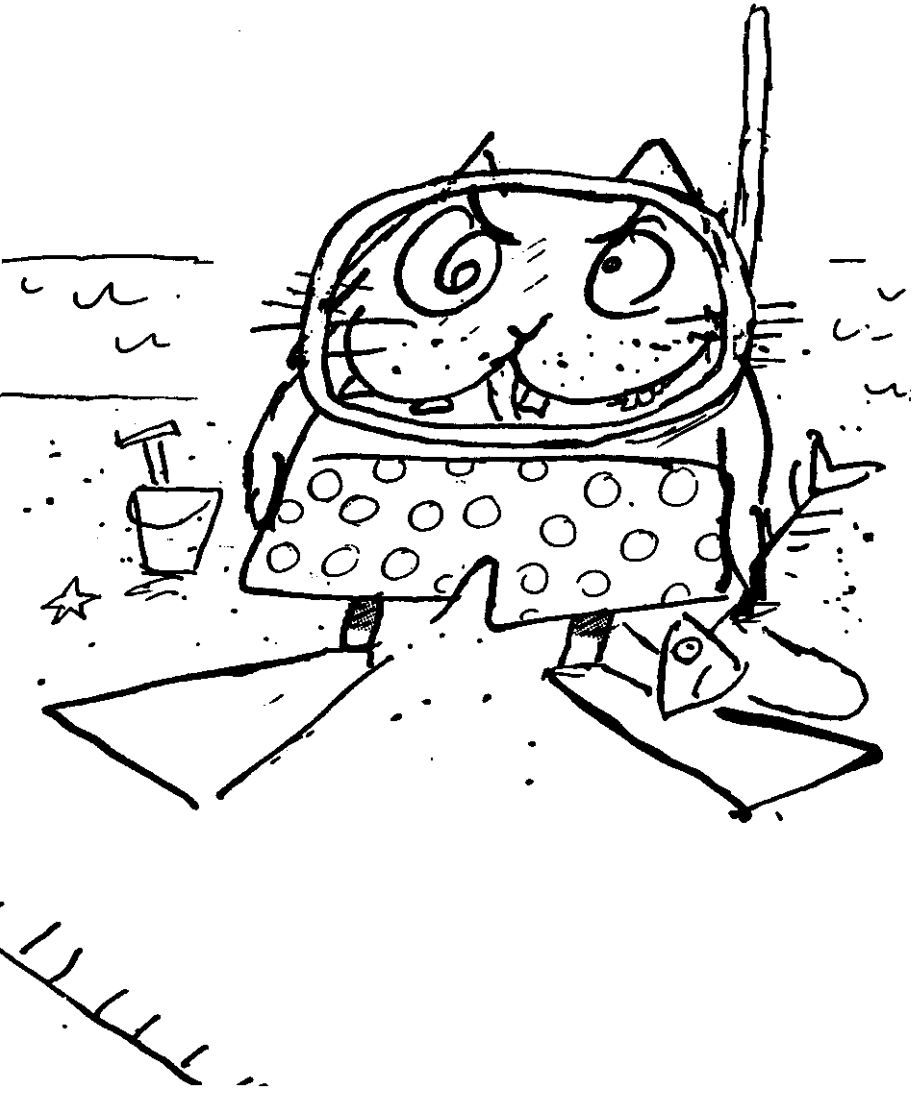
Angela soon made herself comfortable.

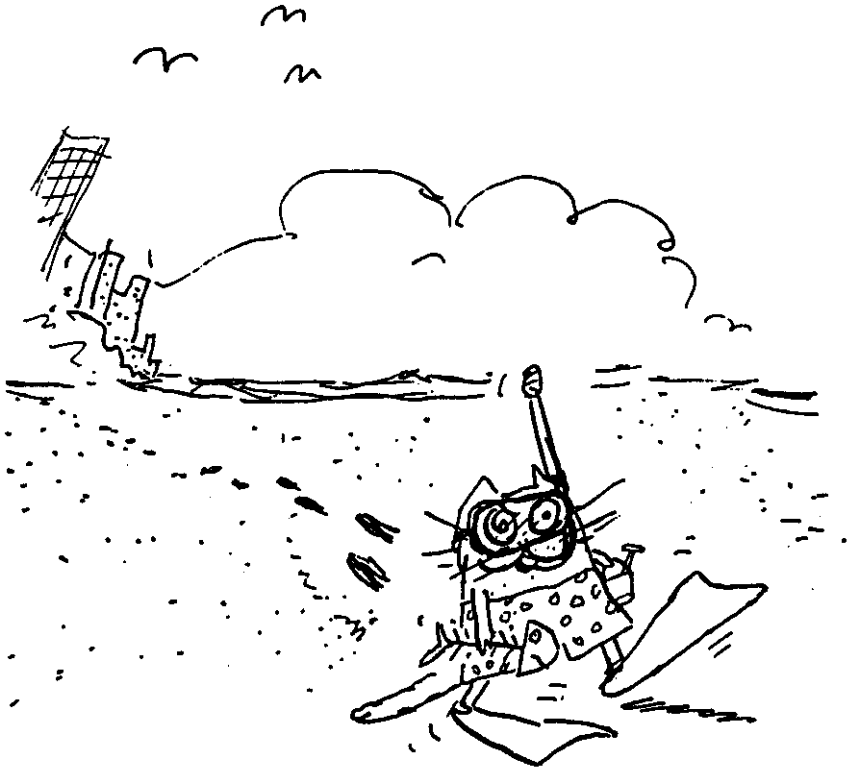


'Go and play,' she said.
'Don't wander too far,
and stay where I can see you.
Most importantly...



'BE GOOD!'





Angela went to sleep immediately
and Old Tom set off across the sand.