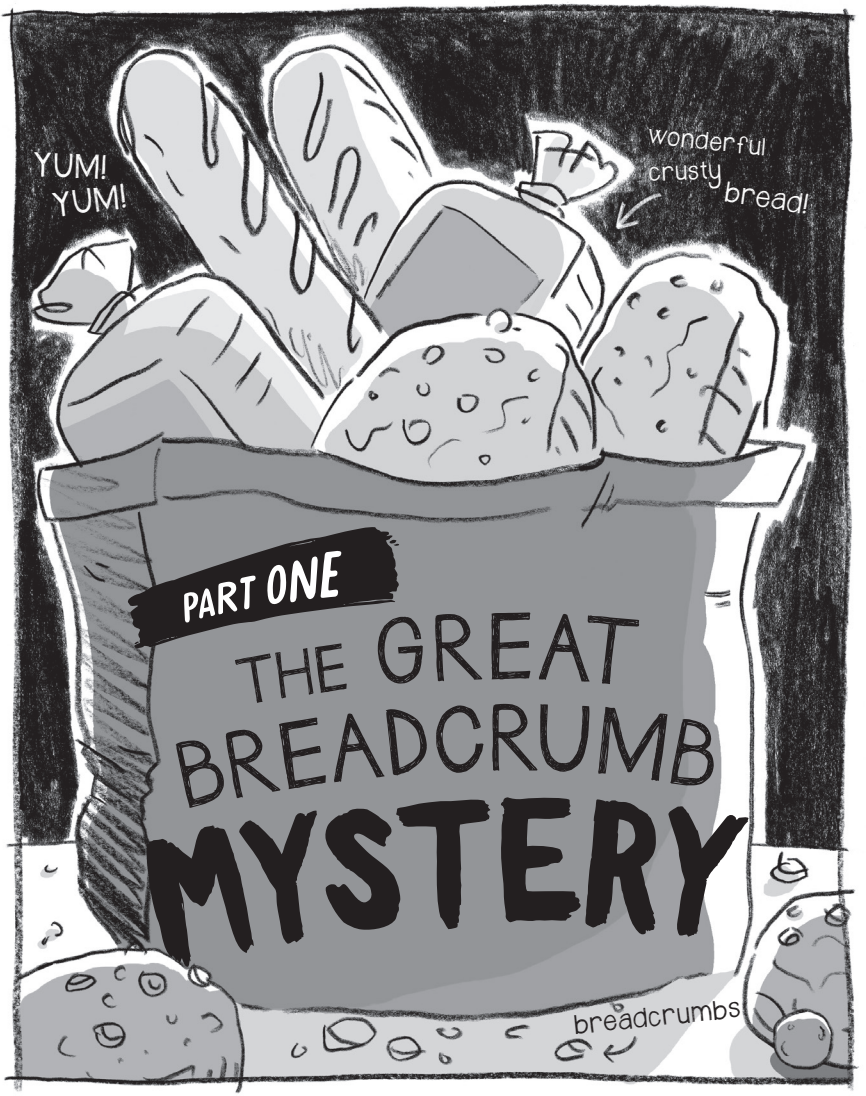
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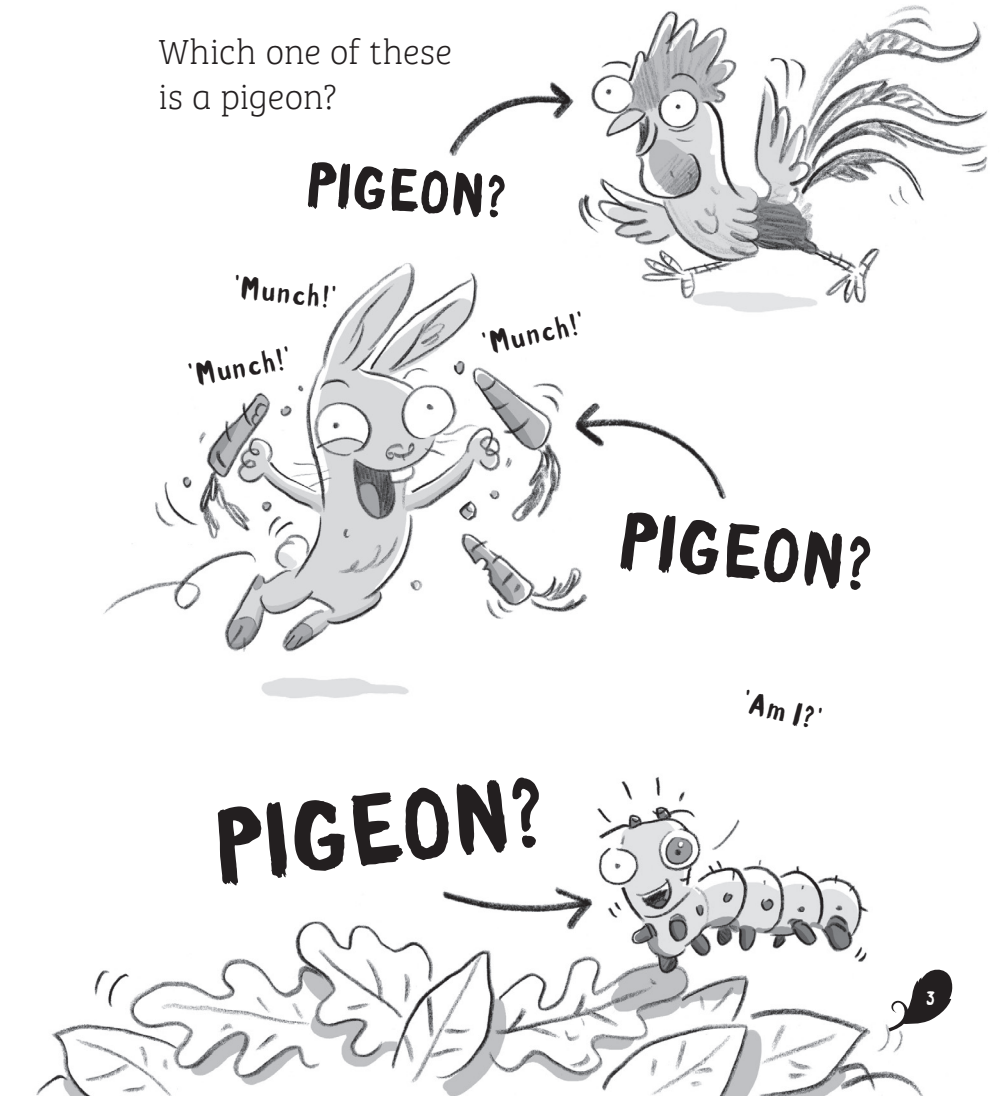
REAL PIGEONS FIGHT CRIME!




YUM!
YUM!
wonderful
crusty
bread!
PART ONE
THE GREAT
BREADCRUMB
MYSTERY
breadcrumbs

CHAPTER 1

Which one of these is a pigeon?



If you thought it
was the **rooster** –

CORRECT!





If you thought it
was the **rabbit** –

CORRECT!

If you thought it was
the **caterpillar** –

NO.

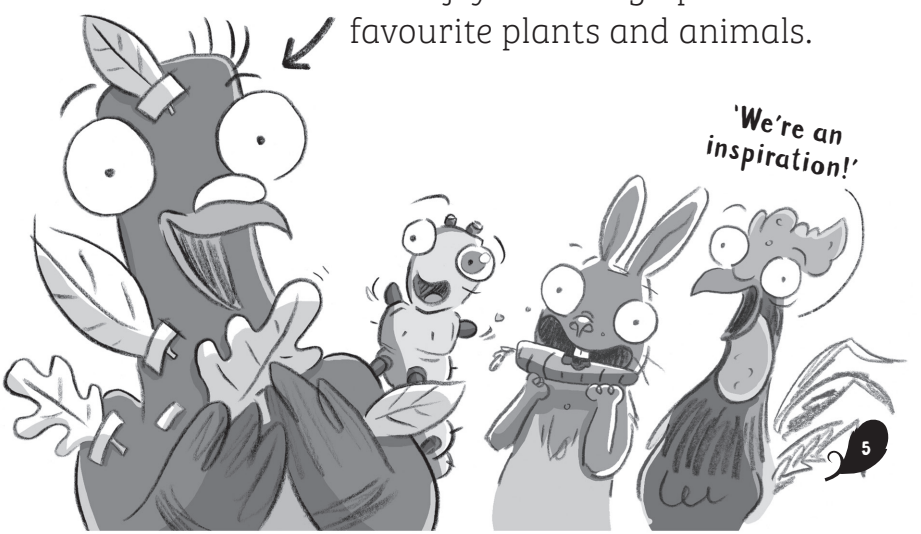


But it WAS the pile of leaves!



This is Rock Pigeon. He is a big fan of nature.

He enjoys dressing up like his favourite plants and animals.



But Rock is still a pigeon.

And like all pigeons, he LOVES breadcrumbs.



Breadcrumbs are the most delicious food in the world for a pigeon.

Do you like hot chips? Pizza? Chocolate ice-cream? That is what breadcrumbs taste like to pigeons.



Rock lives on a farm with a flock of pigeons.

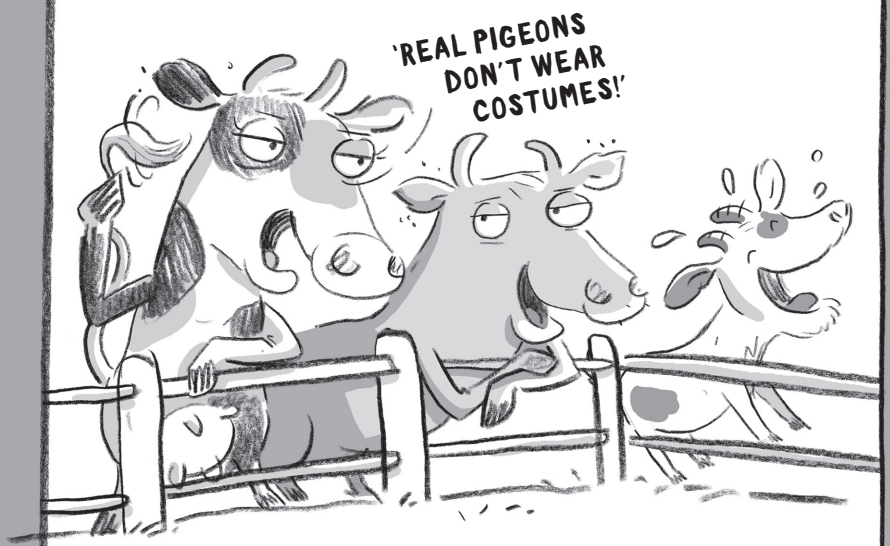
Some farm animals.

And a pack of llamas.

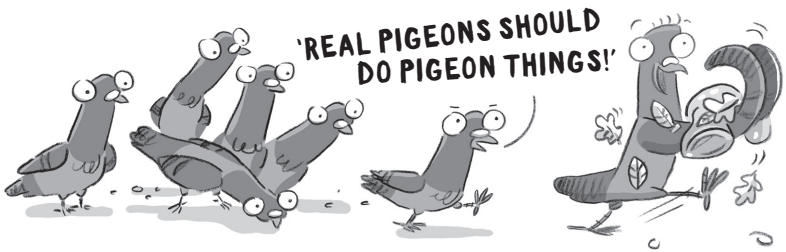


None of the farm animals understand why Rock dresses up.

The cows think he is crazy.



The pigeons think he should just be a pigeon.



And the llamas think he's a show-off.

But llamas are just like that. They think everyone is a show-off.



Rock doesn't care though. He does whatever he wants!

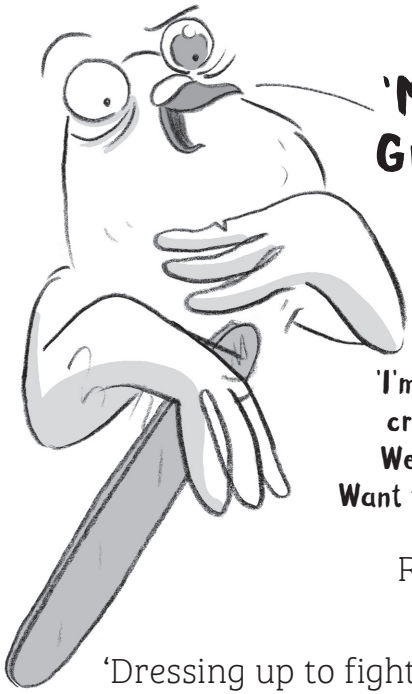
One day, an old pigeon shows up at the farm.

'I'm looking for someone who likes dressing up,' says the old pigeon. 'I've heard birds tweeting about him in these parts.'



'THAT'S ME!' says a rose.





'My name is Grandpouter Pigeon,'

says the old pigeon.

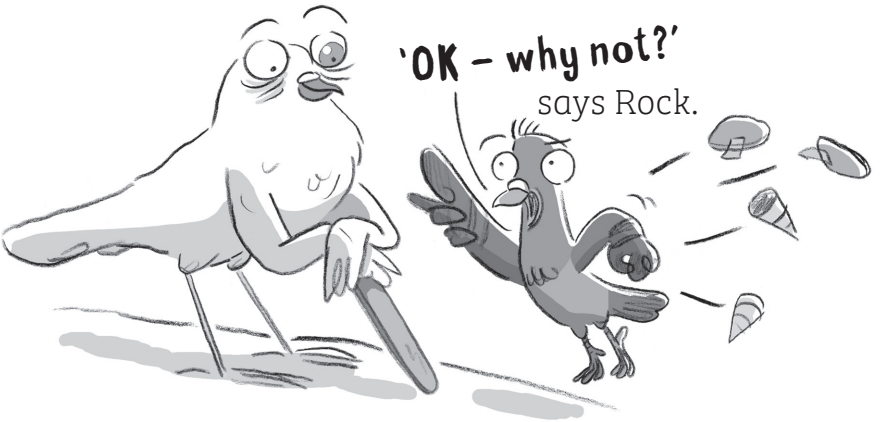
'I'm starting a squad of crime-fighting pigeons. We need a **MASTER OF DISGUISE**. Want to come to the city and join us?'

Rock isn't sure.

'Dressing up to fight crime sounds exciting,' he says. 'But I like living on the farm!'



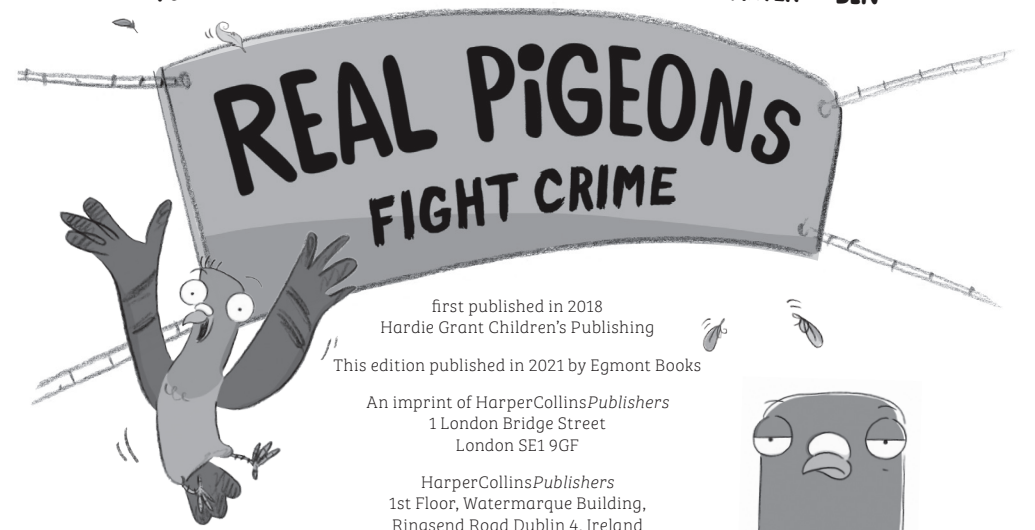
'Why don't you come and help with a case?' says Grandpouter. 'Then make a decision? We need a pigeon like you.'





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