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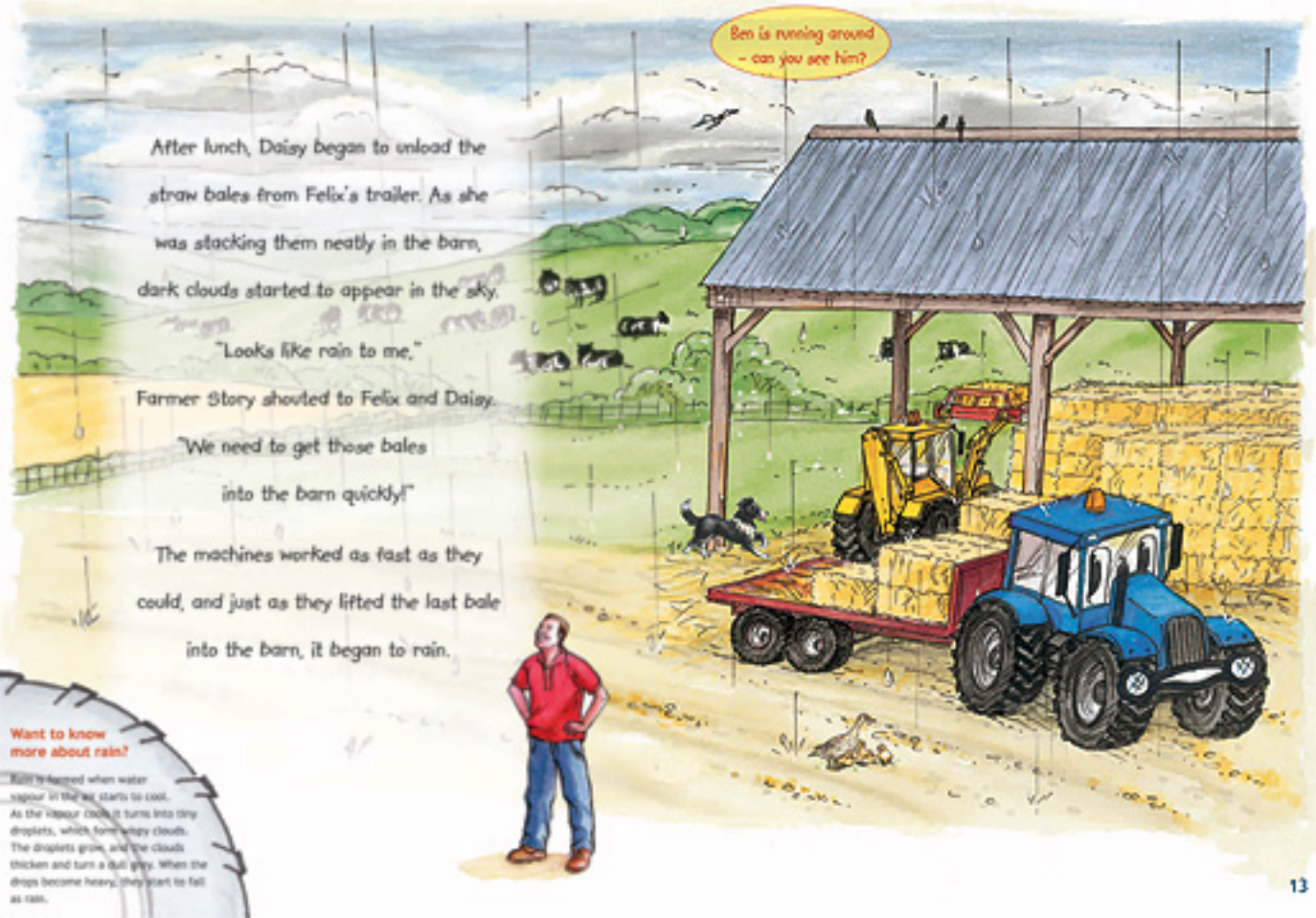

After lunch, Daisy began to unload the straw bales from Felix's trailer. As she was stacking them neatly in the barn, dark clouds started to appear in the sky.

"Looks like rain to me," Farmer Story shouted to Felix and Daisy. "We need to get those bales into the barn quickly!"

The machines worked as fast as they could, and just as they lifted the last bale into the barn, it began to rain.

Want to know more about rain?

Rain is formed when water vapour in the air starts to cool. As the vapour cools it turns into tiny droplets, which form wispy clouds. The droplets grow, and the clouds thicken and turn a dull grey. When the drops become heavy, they start to fall as rain.

Mrs Story, Max and Lucy were having a picnic under a tree. They watched Daisy the Digger use her special grab to stack the bales onto Felix's trailer. Ben was also busy, playing hide-and-seek with the rabbits!