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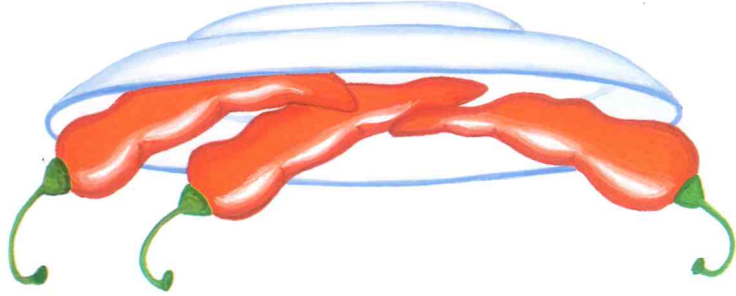


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One day a cat came into Mrs Clark's garden.
He was very thin.
"Come in, cat," she said.
She gave him some food, and called him Tom.



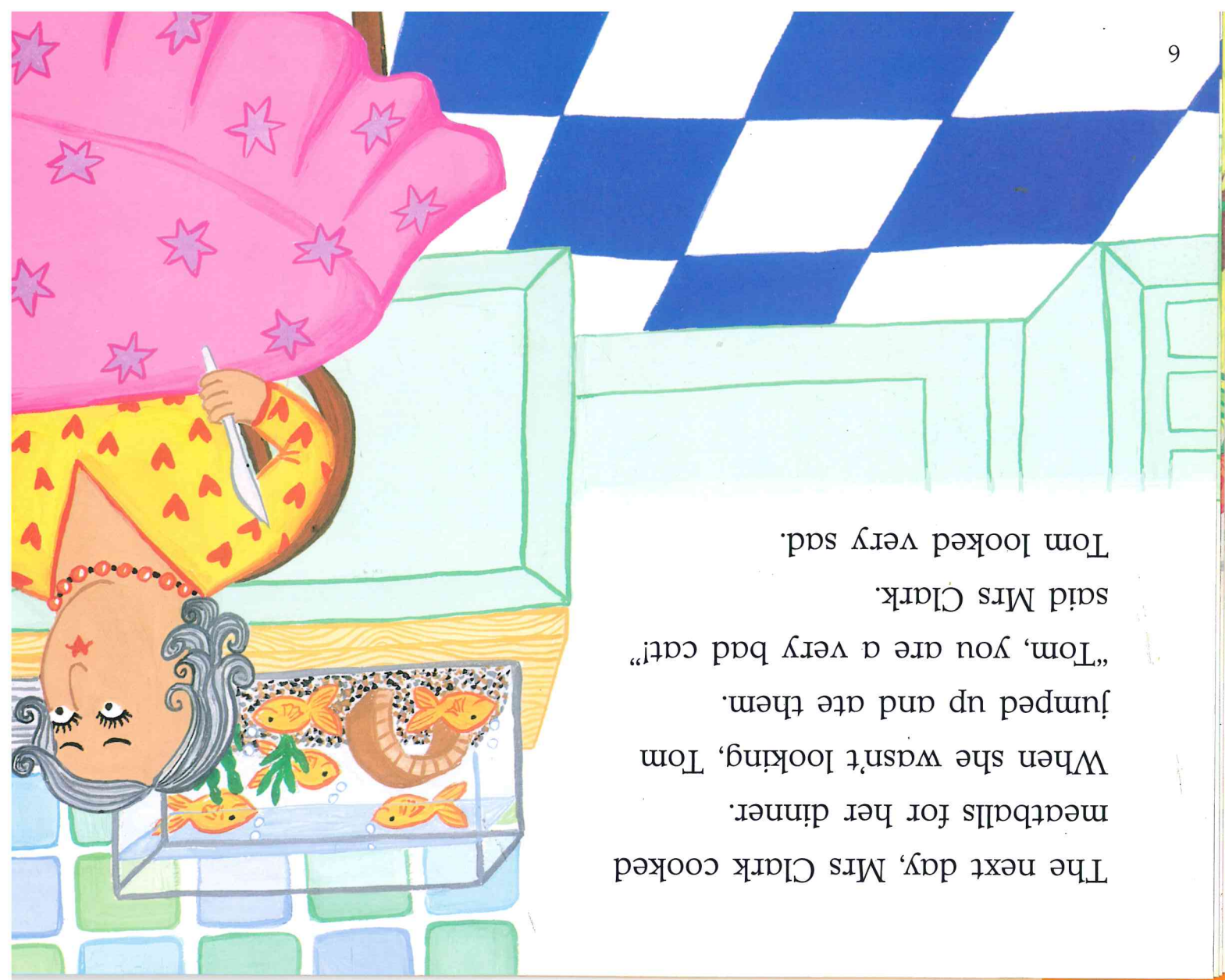


That day, Mrs Clark cooked
 fish for her dinner.
 When she wasn't looking, Tom
 jumped up and ate it.
 "Tom, you are a very bad cat!"
 said Mrs Clark.
 Tom looked very sad.





The next day, Mrs Clark cooked
meatballs for her dinner.
When she wasn't looking, Tom
jumped up and ate them.
"Tom, you are a very bad cat!"
said Mrs Clark.
Tom looked very sad.





The next day, Mrs Clark went shopping.
First, she bought some meat.

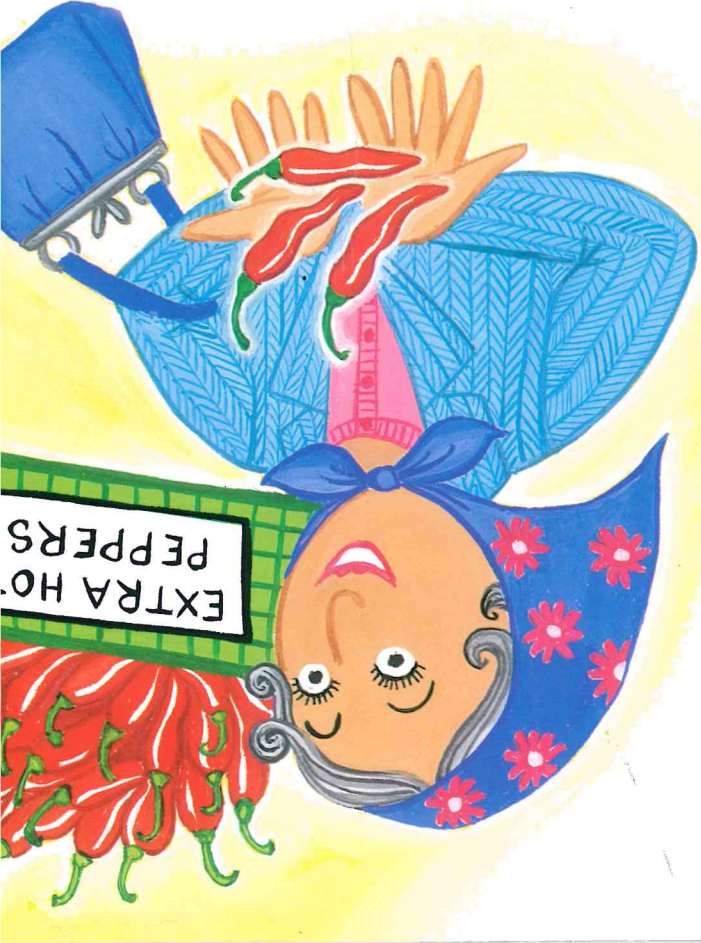


Next, she bought some onions.



red-hot peppers!

Last of all, she bought some



Then she bought some tomatoes.



When she got home, Mrs Clark made a
pot of chilli.
First, she put in one hot pepper.
She tasted a little bit.
"No good," she said.





Then she put in two hot peppers.
She tasted a little bit.

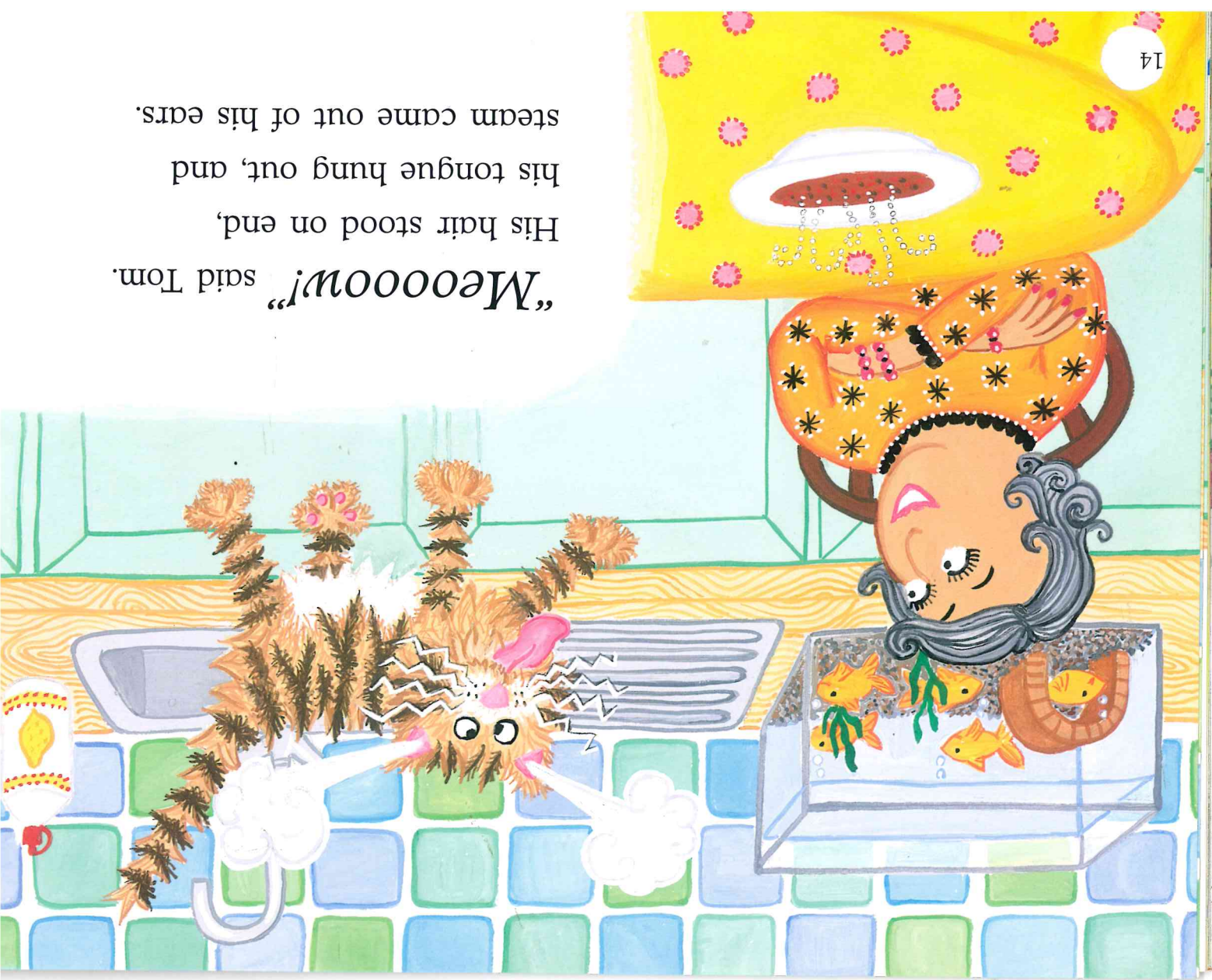
“Wow!” said Mrs Clark.
Her hair stood on end,
her tongue hung out, and
steam came out of her ears.
“Very good,” she said. “Very hot.”



Mrs Clark put some chilli on the table and then she waited. After a while, Tom jumped up and ate a little bit.



“Meooooow!” said Tom.
His hair stood on end,
his tongue hung out, and
steam came out of his ears.



drank all the water.

He ran to his bowl and

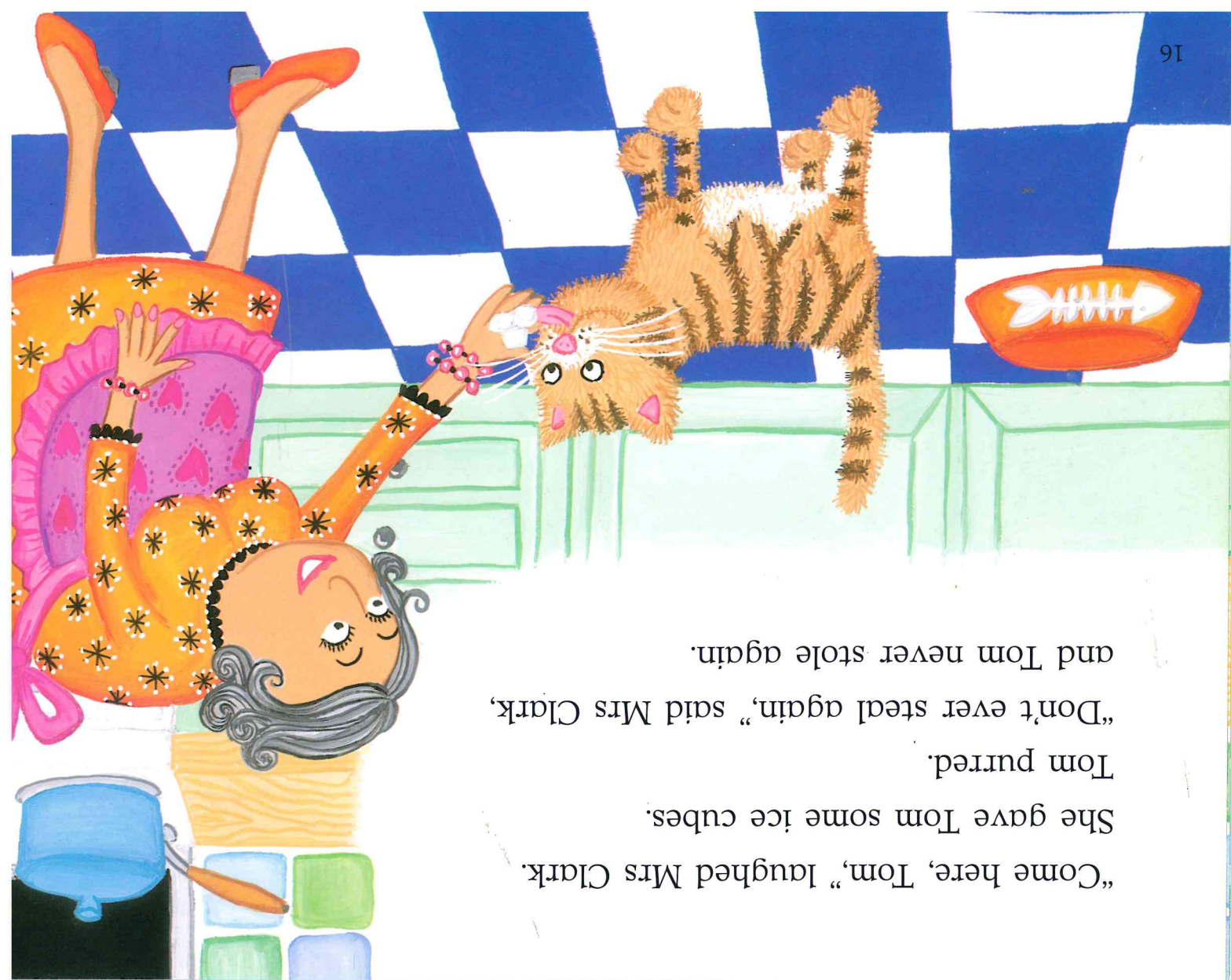


drank all the water.

He ran to the fish tank and



“Come here, Tom,” laughed Mrs Clark.
She gave Tom some ice cubes.
Tom purred.
“Don’t ever steal again,” said Mrs Clark,
and Tom never stole again.





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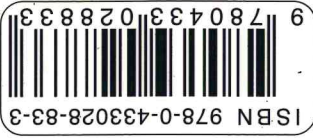
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Mrs Clark got quite tired of Tom eating her
dinner. She decided to teach him a lesson.

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why things
happen



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