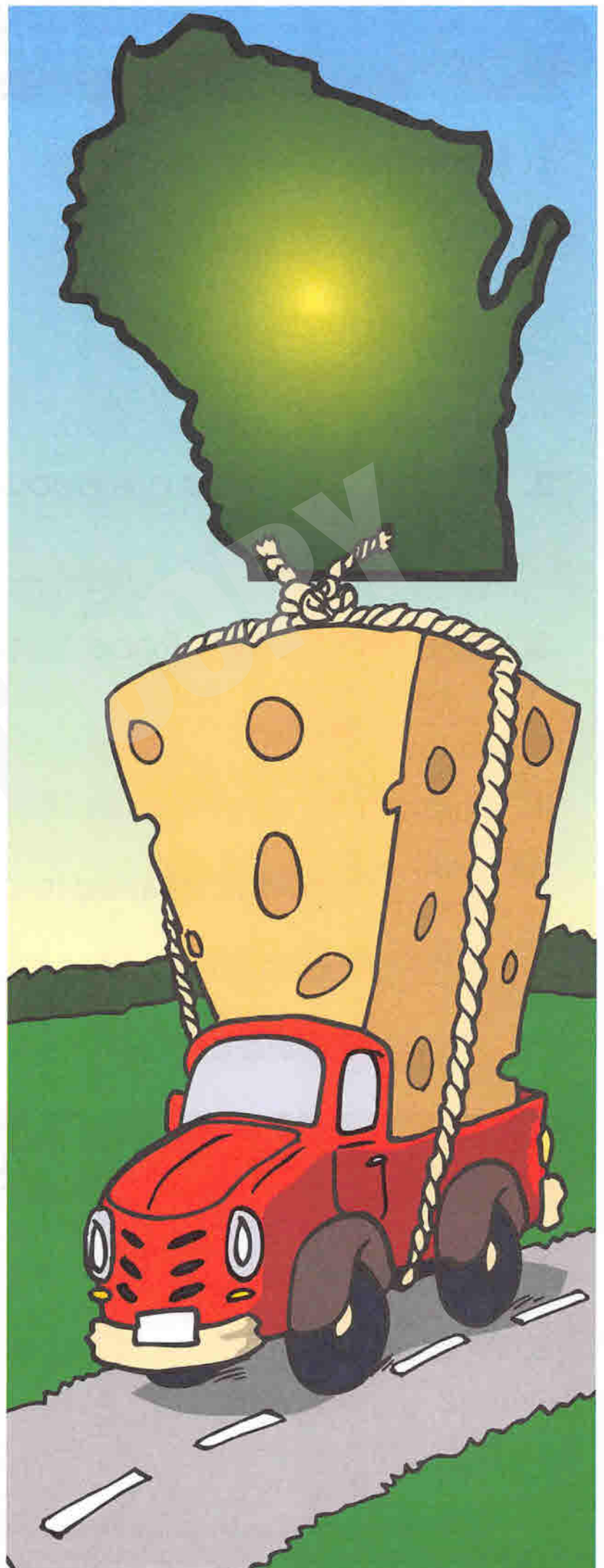


Wisconsin

There are many dairy farmers in the state of Wisconsin. Dairy farmers make cheese, milk, and butter.

In fact, one of the largest hunks of cheese ever made came from here. "The Belle of Wisconsin" was a 40,060-pound cheddar cheese. This hunk of cheese was so big, it could make 300,000 grilled cheese sandwiches!

"The Belle of Wisconsin" toured America in a special car called the "Cheesemobile." It was sliced up and sold in 1989.



Name _____

Reading Skills

1. There are many _____ in Wisconsin.
_____ teachers _____ dairy farmers _____ cowboys
2. Dairy farmers make
_____ orange juice. _____ cheese. _____ cookies.
3. Check the items below that are dairy products.
_____ milk _____ apples _____ butter
_____ cheese _____ beef
4. What finally ended up happening to "The Belle of Wisconsin"?
_____ It got moldy.
_____ It was sliced and sold.
_____ It was turned into butter.



Thinking Further

1. Would you want to live in Wisconsin? Why or why not?
2. Would you want to tour America in the "Cheesemobile"? Why or why not?
3. What is your favorite dairy product?

Directions:

Reading Skills—Comprehension and Facts and Details (1-4): Have students read the question and mark the correct answer.

Thinking Further (1-3): Have students read each question and then discuss their responses, or have them write down their thoughts on a separate sheet of paper.