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Little House on the Prairie Questions Chapter 26

1. What was the first thing that was done to pack the wagon?
 - a) all of the bedding was made into 2 beds across the back of the wagon
 - b) the horses were hitched up to the wagon
 - c) all of the furniture was loaded
 - d) all of the feed for the animals was boxed up and placed in the back of the wagon
2. Where did Ma pack all of the food and the dishes?
 - a) in the cupboard that Pa placed under the wagon seat
 - b) in boxes to be tied underneath the wagon
 - c) in the cupboard nailed into the back of the wagon
 - d) in boxes under the wagon seat
3. What things did Pa hang on the wagon bows inside the wagon? (Choose 3)
 - a) corn for the horses
 - b) extra blankets
 - c) Pa's bullet-pouch and powder-horn
 - d) Pa's rifle
 - e) two carpetbags of clothing
 - f) Pa's fiddle
4. What did Pa lay at the end of the bed so that it would ride softly?
 - a) his fiddle
 - b) his rifle
 - c) the rocking chair
 - d) the tin lantern

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11. What did Pa say the mockingbird was doing when it started singing so early in the morning?
- a) asking for breakfast
 - b) saying good-bye
 - c) calling to the other birds
 - d) cheering on the settlers
12. **T F True or False:** Laura was very excited. When you are driving around in a covered wagon, you never know what might happen next.
13. When the family came upon a light-colored bump in the distance, they noticed it was not moving. What was it?
- a) a sleeping bear
 - b) a covered wagon
 - c) a stack of supplies
 - d) an Indian teepee
14. Why couldn't the couple in the covered wagon continue their journey?
- a) their small child was missing
 - b) they were too ill to travel
 - c) their horses were gone
 - d) they had a broken wheel
15. Why won't the couple take Pa up on his offer to take them to Independence?
- a) they were too ill to travel any further
 - b) they would not leave their wagon with all of their belongings
 - c) the man was injured and needed a doctor
 - d) they could not leave until they found their child

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16. What will Pa do to help the couple since they will not go with the Ingalls family to Independence?

- a) tell the captain of the soldiers in Independence
- b) send back the sheriff to help them
- c) bring back a new set of horses
- d) drop off Ma and the girls and then take the couple to the little house

17. As the sun was setting, they stopped for the night. What had happened to the house that had once been at this place?

- a) the wind had destroyed it
- b) it had burned
- c) it was torn down
- d) it had flooded

18. Pa paused in his fiddle playing to comment to Ma. What was he thinking about?

- a) the Indians will enjoy the garden that the Ingalls had left behind
- b) how much fun the rabbits will have eating the Ingalls's garden
- c) who might come by to live in the little house that they left behind
- d) what fun the squirrels will have ransacking the little house

19. Why must Laura lie still even though she cannot seem to sleep?

- a) Jack was sleeping beside her
- b) she did not want Ma and Pa to know that she could not sleep
- c) she might wake Carrie
- d) she might wake Mary

20. **T F** True or False: Ma made Pa stop playing the fiddle and singing, because he was keeping the girls awake.

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