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## Little House on the Prairie Vocabulary Fill in Ch 1-2

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| A. bluffs   | E. cords     | I. papoose    | M. thud      |
| B. bow      | F. cropped   | J. pricked    | N. trembling |
| C. brindle  | G. enormous  | K. puckered   | O. trotting  |
| D. clutched | H. miserable | L. smothering | P. upright   |

1. Quite often Laura heard the ringing \_\_\_\_\_ of an ax which was not Pa's, or the echo of a shot that did not come from his gun.
2. He made hickory bows and fastened them \_\_\_\_\_ to the wagon-box.
3. Pa swung up and sat beside Ma, and Jack, the \_\_\_\_\_ bulldog, went under the wagon.
4. Pa promised that when they came to the West, Laura should see a \_\_\_\_\_.
5. Big \_\_\_\_\_ of wood stood among the stumps.
6. The \_\_\_\_\_ lake stretched flat and smooth and white all the way to the edge of the gray sky.
7. Everything was damp and chill and \_\_\_\_\_ in the wagon, but they had to stay in it and eat cold bits of food.
8. All day long Pet and Patty went forward, \_\_\_\_\_ and walking and \_\_\_\_\_ again, but they couldn't get out of the middle of that circle.


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9. Laura held tight to the wagon \_\_\_\_\_ and stood up in the jolting wagon.
10. Then Laura gasped and \_\_\_\_\_ the wagon bow, for almost under Pet's and Patty's noses there was no more blowing grass, there was no land at all.
11. In the sunny open spaces that grass grew thin, and deer had \_\_\_\_\_ it short.
12. Then other \_\_\_\_\_ just like them stood up in front of the wagon.
13. They \_\_\_\_\_ their ears forward, looking at the creek.
14. Then he pulled the rope at the back, so that the canvas \_\_\_\_\_ together in the middle.
15. Ma's arm pulled a \_\_\_\_\_ blanket over them, heads and all.
16. Mary did not move; she was \_\_\_\_\_ and still.

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