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***Animal Farm*—Chapter 8**

1. What purpose is served by the production figures Squealer reads to the animals?
2. How is Napoleon becoming more and more like a typical dictator?
3. Compare/contrast the poem “Comrade Napoleon” to “Beast of England.”
4. Describe the sale of the stack of lumber. How does Napoleon outwit himself?
5. What makes the battle against Frederick’s men different from the Battle of the Cowshed?
6. Why do the men blow up the windmill?
7. The animals celebrate a victory, but at what cost?
8. Describe the whisky incident. Why would Orwell make this scene somewhat humorous?
9. Why are the animals so easily fooled, even when they find Squealer with a ladder and white paint beside the barn at night?