WORKSHEET · VOLUME 02

When Bread Keeps Getting More Expensive

Name: _____ *Date:* _____

1 · Put the chain in the correct order

Number from 1 to 5:

- ▫ Bread becomes difficult for poor families to afford.
- ▫ The harvest is poor.
- ▫ Grain becomes scarce.
- ▫ The weather damages the fields.
- ▫ Prices rise.

2 · Explain in your own words

Why can bad weather lead to hunger?

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3 · Source or story?

Write: H = historically documented, P = probable/traditional, A = artistically shaped.

___ Snow fell again in May 1771.

___ A specific conversation between Carl and another character in the children's book.

___ Carl's father probably died during the famine; there is no securely documented date of death.

___ Grass, tree bark and roots are described as emergency foods in 1772.

4 · Think

Carl cannot change the weather or lower prices. Why can his help still matter?

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