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Under the Lion's Paw
English 11

After reading the story,
answer the following questions.



1. In the table below, give examples of descriptions of the natural world from the story. Note which senses the descriptive passages appeal to primarily.

Passage (include page number)	Senses

3. In the table below, give two examples of regional dialect. For each example, “translate” into more conventional English. (Consider spelling, grammar, word choice, etc.).

Original passage (page number)	Translation

4. After Council and Haskins have concluded the bargain with Butler and after Council has told Haskins that he fully intends to help him and his family through the winter and get a good start on the farm (page 7), Haskin’s says, “Steve Council, you’ll git y’r pay fr this some day.” And Council says, ‘Don’t want any pay. My religion ain’t run on such business principles.’ What does Council mean?
5. What is Garland’s attitude toward/feeling about Haskin’s oldest son, Tommy (page 8)?
6. After Butler returns to negotiate future terms with Haskins, explain how Haskins is under the lion’s paw.

