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# Where did Santa's beard go?

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In the 1st edition *is a whisper of magic*. Noting that the  
holiday is upon them by the narrator. Also, in the 1<sup>st</sup>  
edition Santa actually says out loud for all to hear in  
the story of the book what holiday it is.

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***This book is dedicated to all the  
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May it make the Christmas holiday a  
little more fun when it comes to  
learning to read.***

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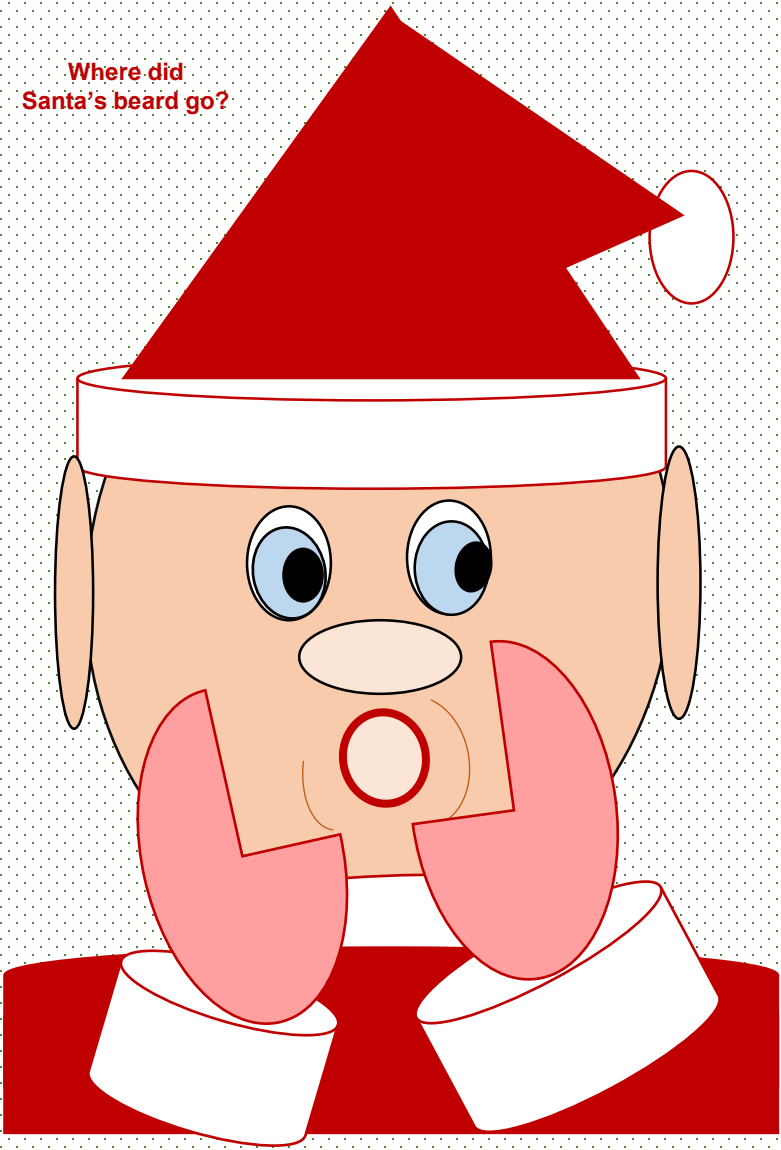
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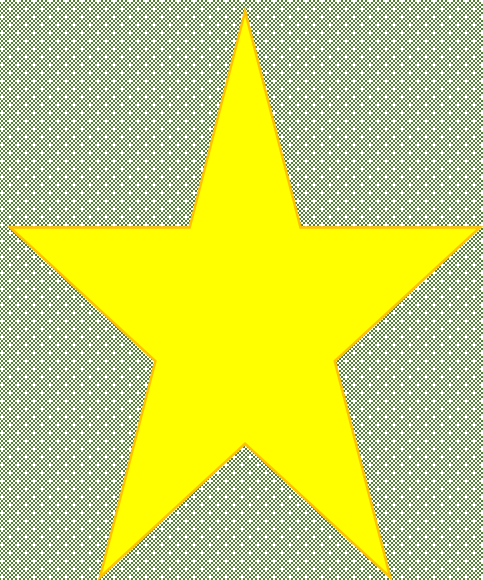
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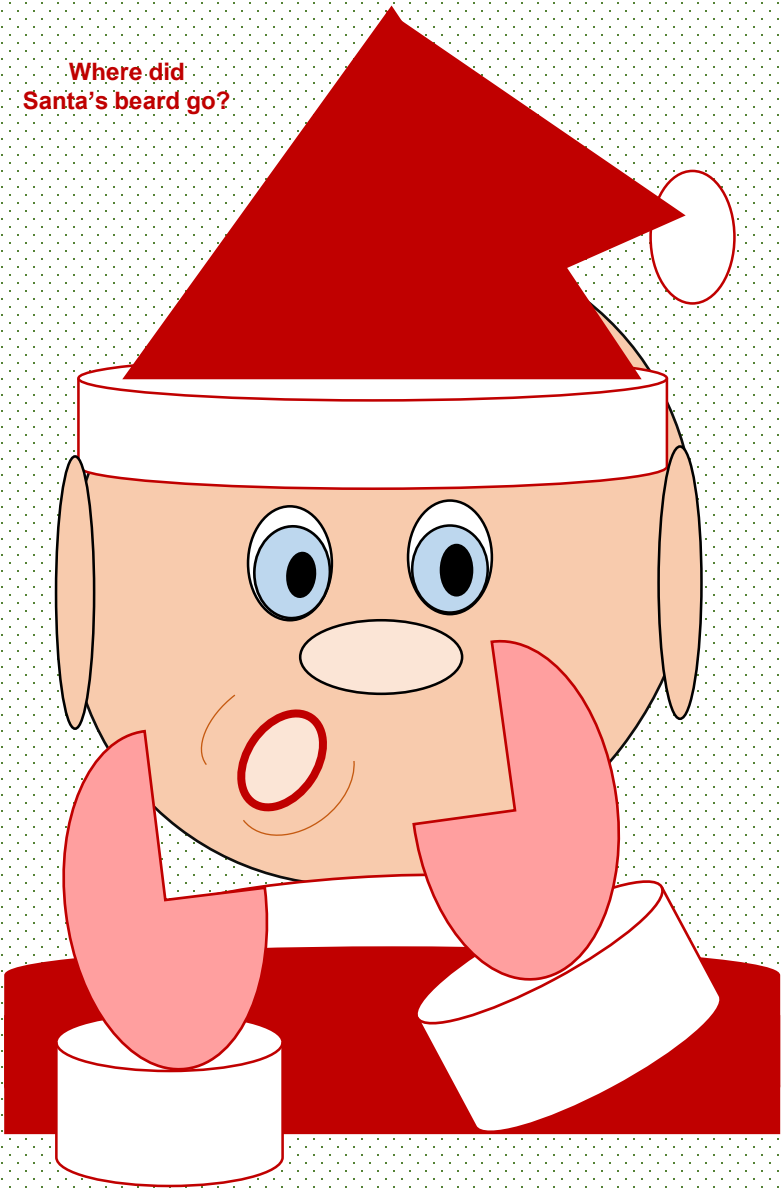
**Where did  
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**It was Christmas!**

**Where did  
Santa's beard go?**



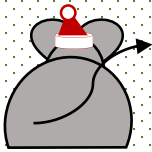
**Santa's beard was missing.**

**Where did  
Santa's beard go?**



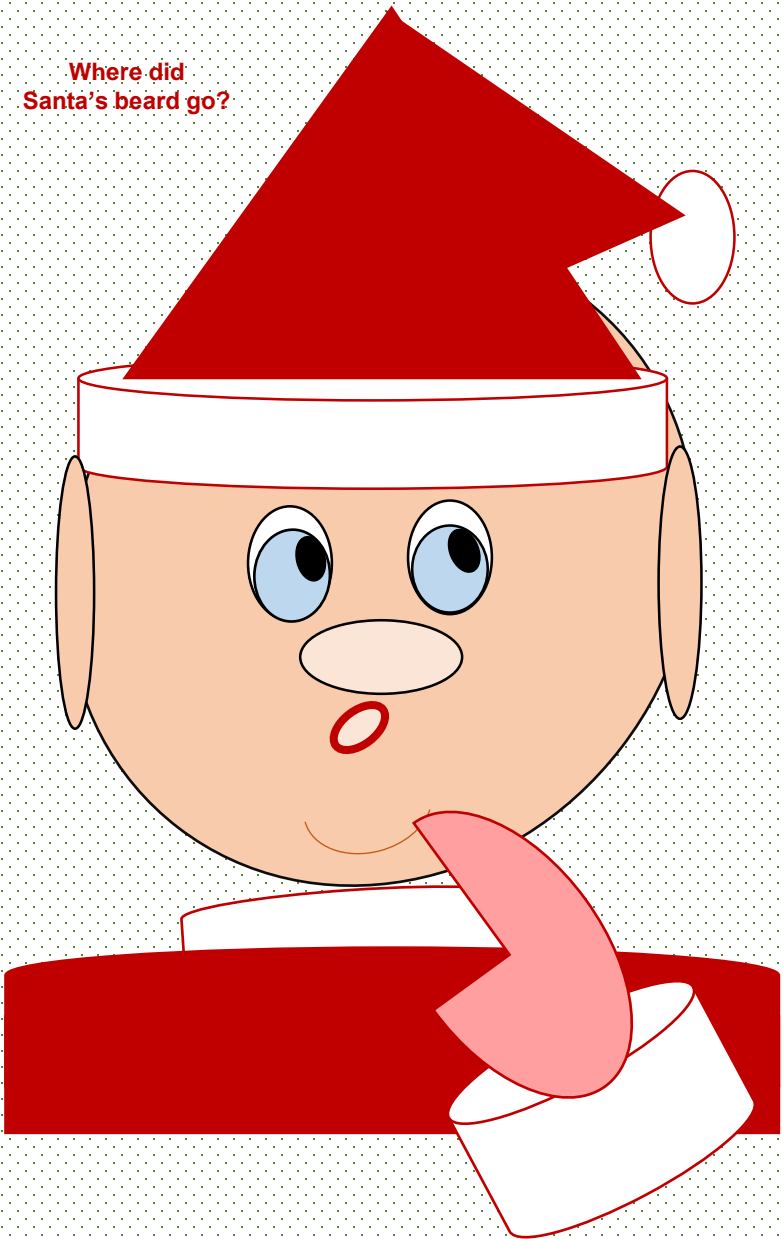
**Santa's cat looked for the  
mouse.**

**Where did  
Santa's beard go?**



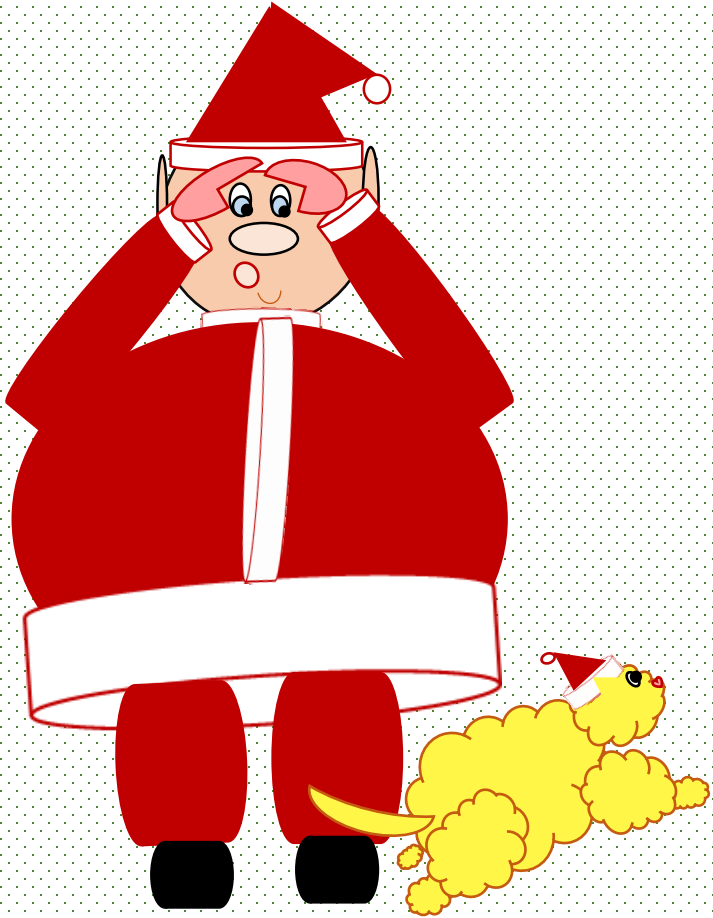
**Santa's cat ran away from  
the mouse.**

**Where did  
Santa's beard go?**



**Santa scratched his chin.**

Where did  
Santa's beard go?



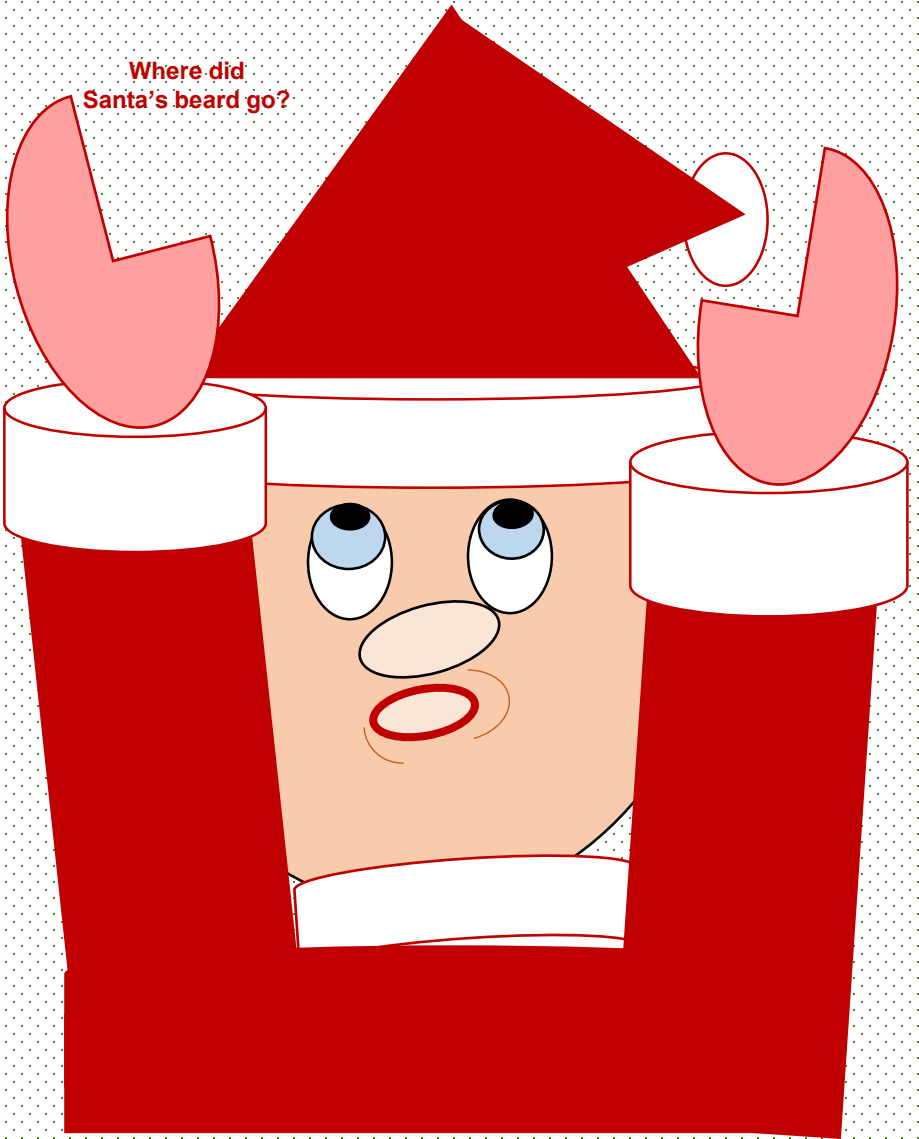
**Santa's cat ran by Santa.**

**Where did  
Santa's beard go?**



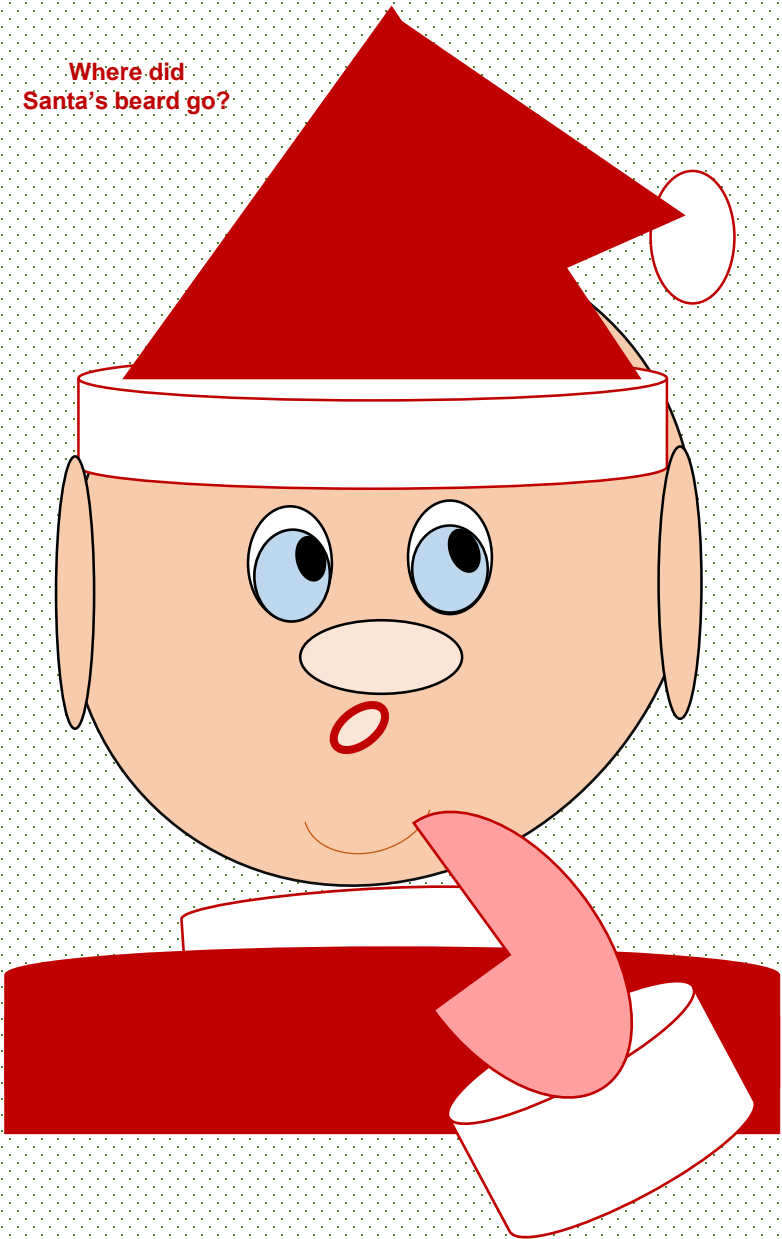
**The mouse ran by Santa.**

Where did  
Santa's beard go?



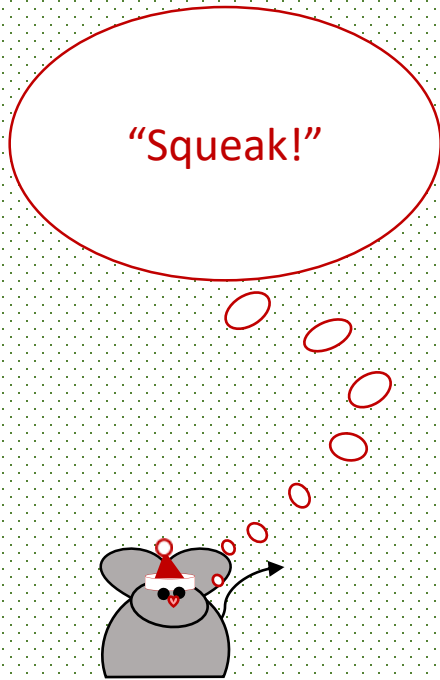
**Where was Santa's beard?**

**Where did  
Santa's beard go?**



**Santa scratched his chin.**

**Where did  
Santa's beard go?**



**The mouse squeaked.**

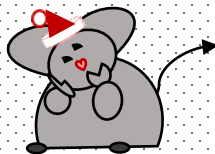
Where did  
Santa's beard go?

"Meow"



**The cat meowed.**

**Where did  
Santa's beard go?**



**The mouse scratched his chin.**

**Where did  
Santa's beard go?**



**The cat scratched his chin.**

**Where did  
Santa's beard go?**



**“Where was Santa’s beard?”  
the cat asked.**

**Where did  
Santa's beard go?**



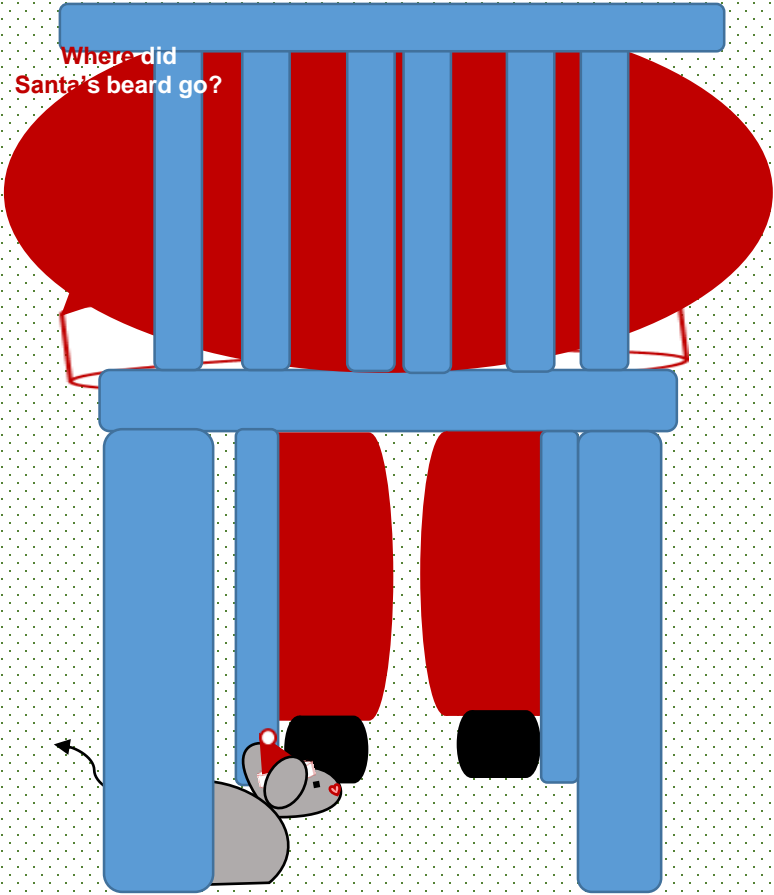
**“Where was Santa’s beard?” the  
mouse asked.**

**Where did  
Santa's beard go?**



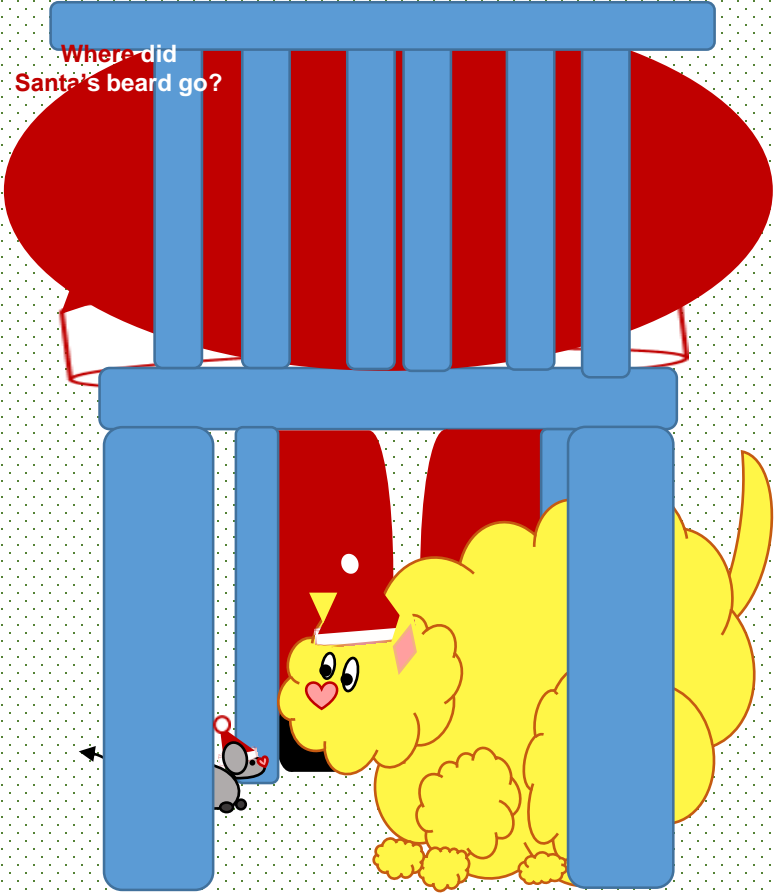
**Santa sat and scratched his chin.**

Where did  
Santa's beard go?



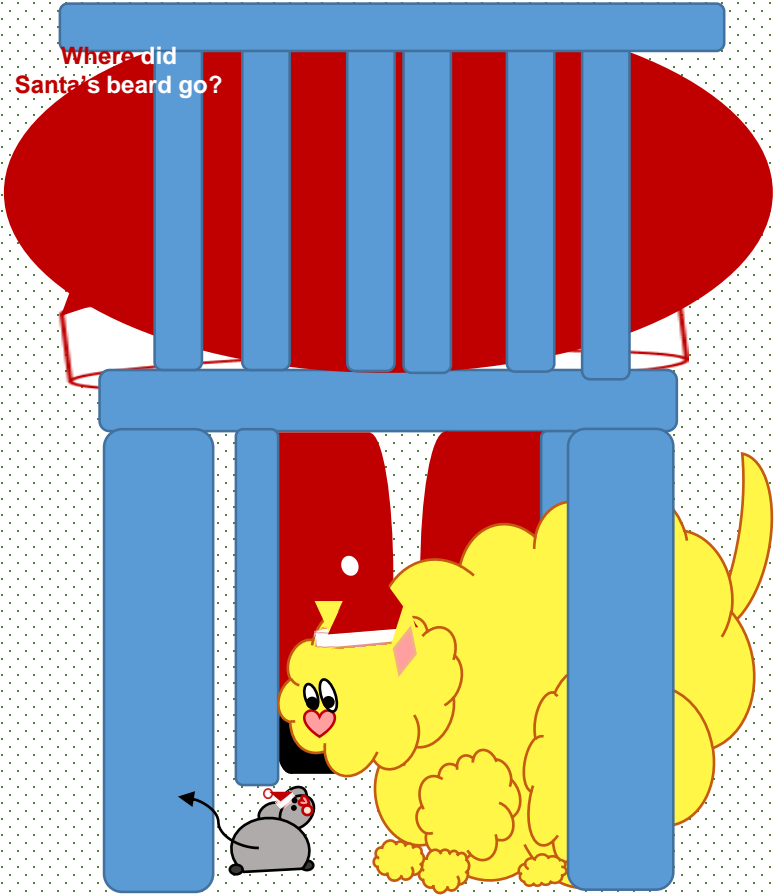
**The mouse was under Santa's chair.**

Where did  
Santa's beard go?



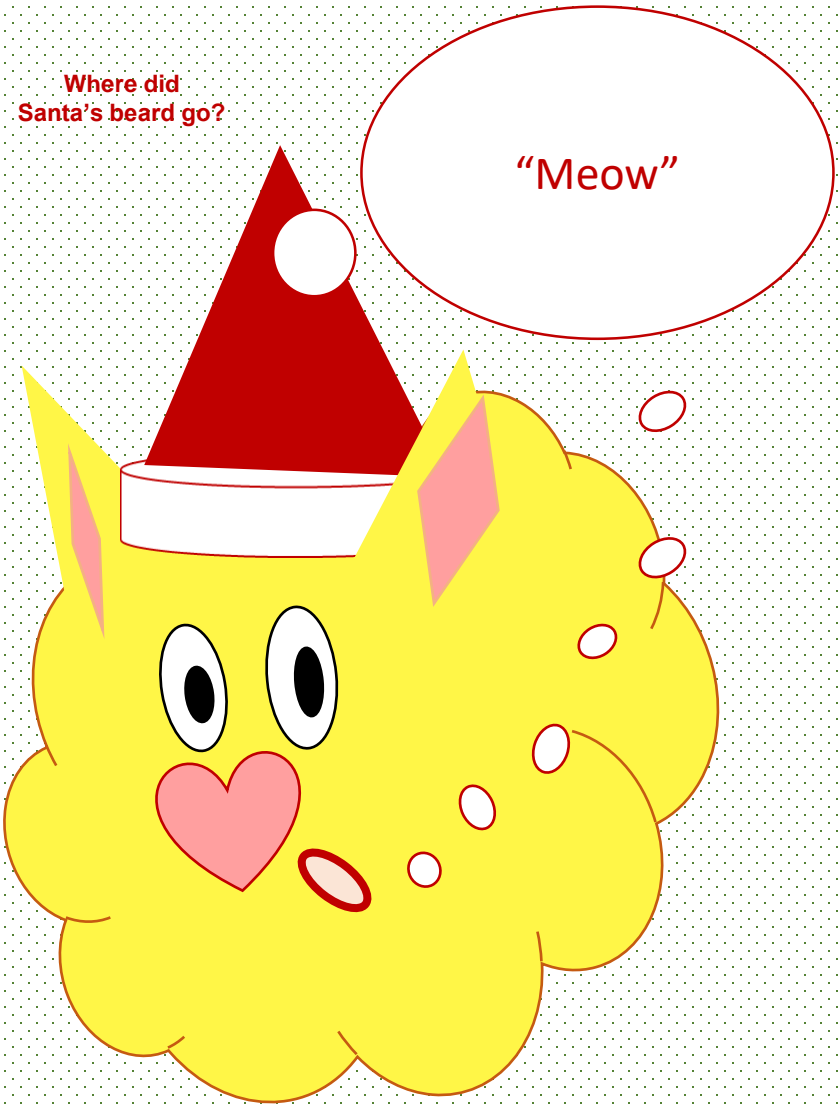
**The cat was under Santa's chair.**

Where did  
Santa's beard go?



**“Your not Santa’s beard?” the  
mouse said to the cat.**

Where did  
Santa's beard go?



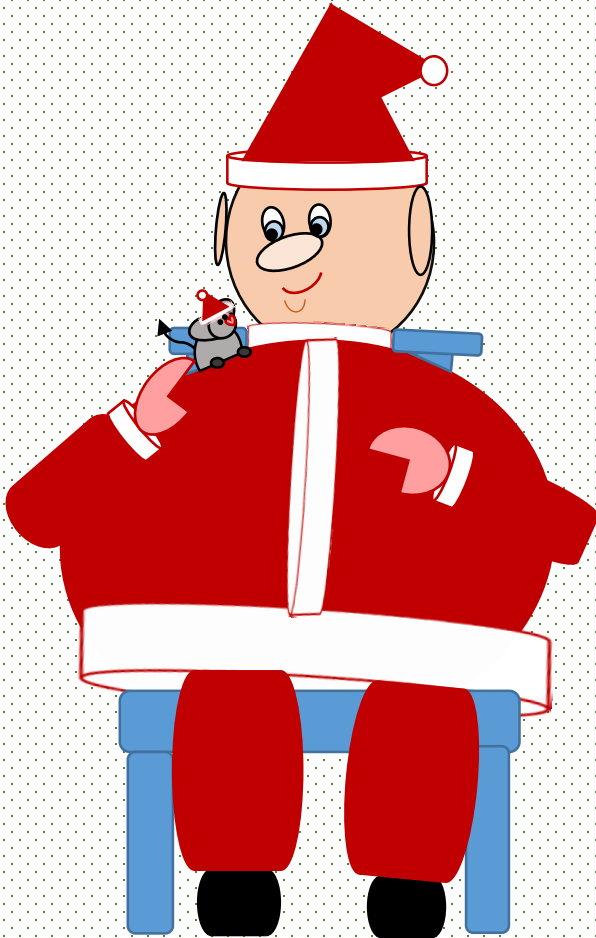
The cat said, "Meow."

Where did  
Santa's beard go?



**Santa said, "Ho!" "Ho!" "Ho!"**

**Where did  
Santa's beard go?**



**The mouse ran up the chair  
and sat on Santa's shoulder.**

**Where did  
Santa's beard go?**



**The cat ran up the chair and  
sat on Santa's other shoulder.**

Where did  
Santa's beard go?

“Ho!”

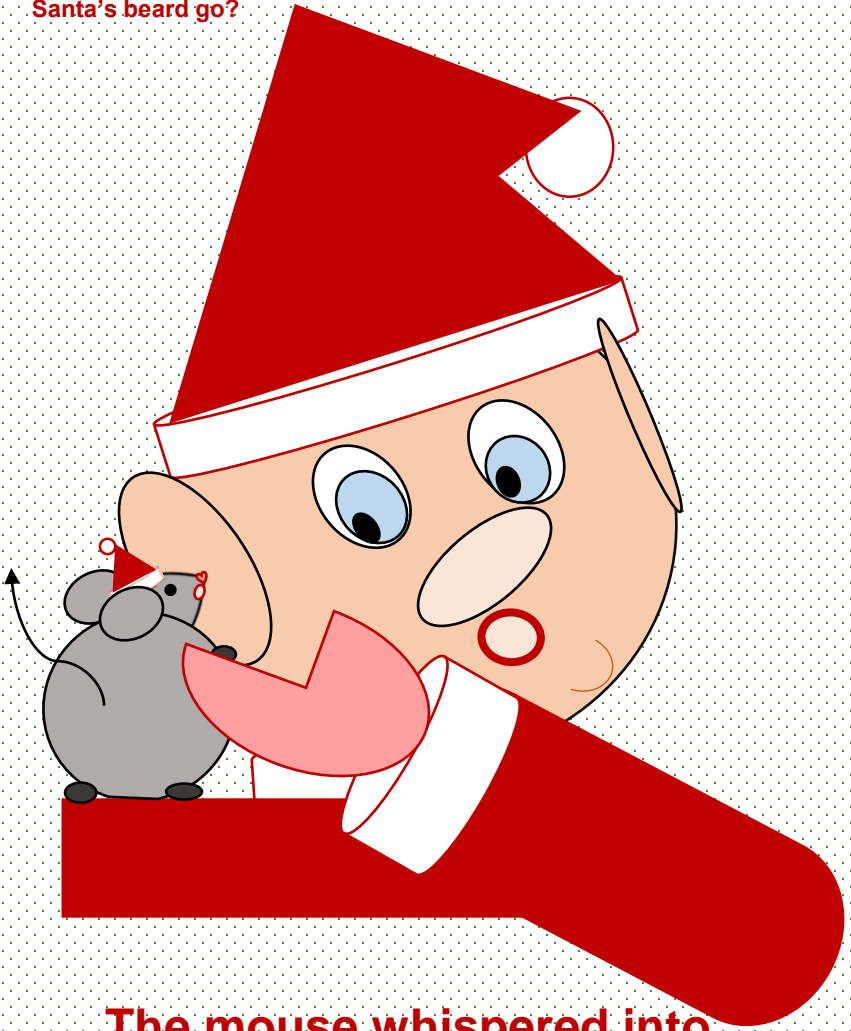
“Ho!”

“Ho!”



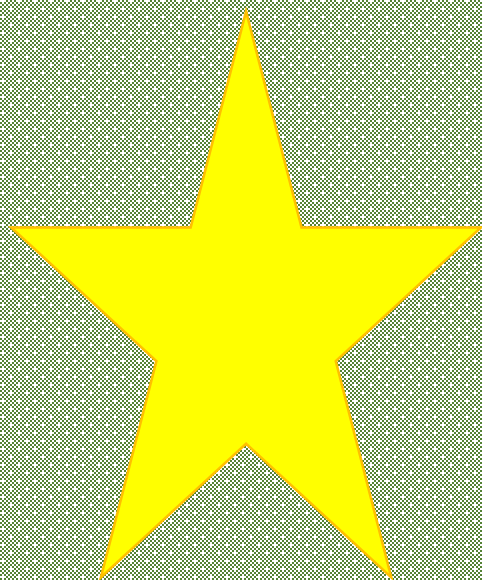
**Santa said, “Ho!” “Ho!” “Ho!”**

**Where did  
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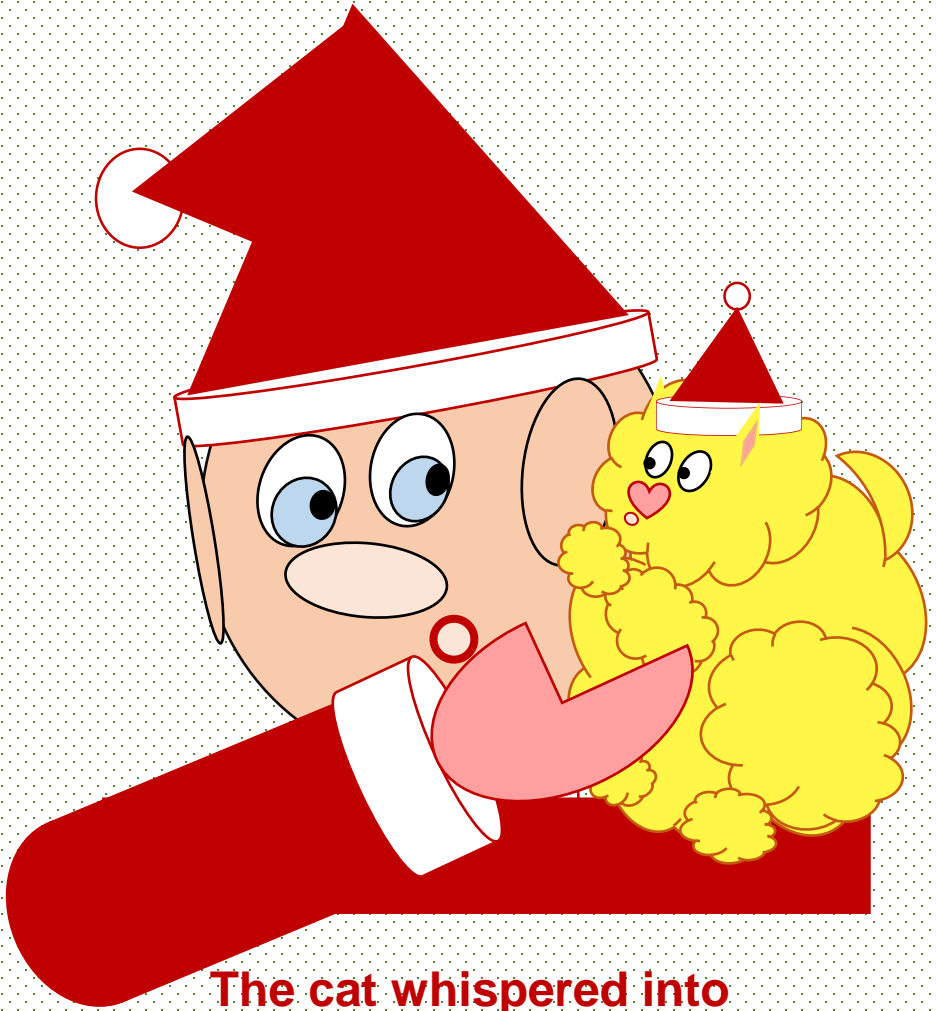
**The mouse whispered into  
Santa's ear,**

**Where did  
Santa's beard go?**



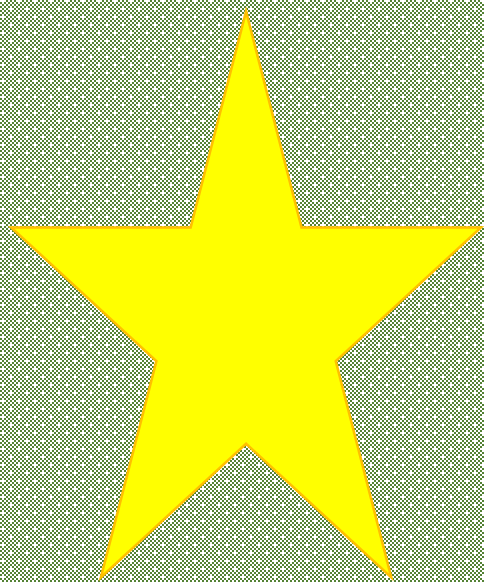
**“It’s Christmas!”**

Where did  
Santa's beard go?



The cat whispered into  
Santa's other ear,

Where did  
Santa's beard go?



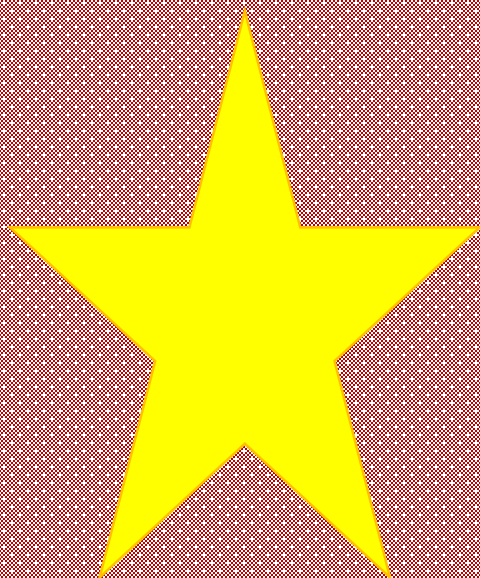
**“It’s Christmas!”**

**Where did  
Santa's beard go?**



**Santa smiled and scratched at  
his beard and said,**

Where did  
Santa's beard go?



**“It’s Christmas!”**

**Where did  
Santa's beard go?**



**Santa's beard grew because it  
was really Christmas!**

**Where did  
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**Merry  
Christmas!**

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