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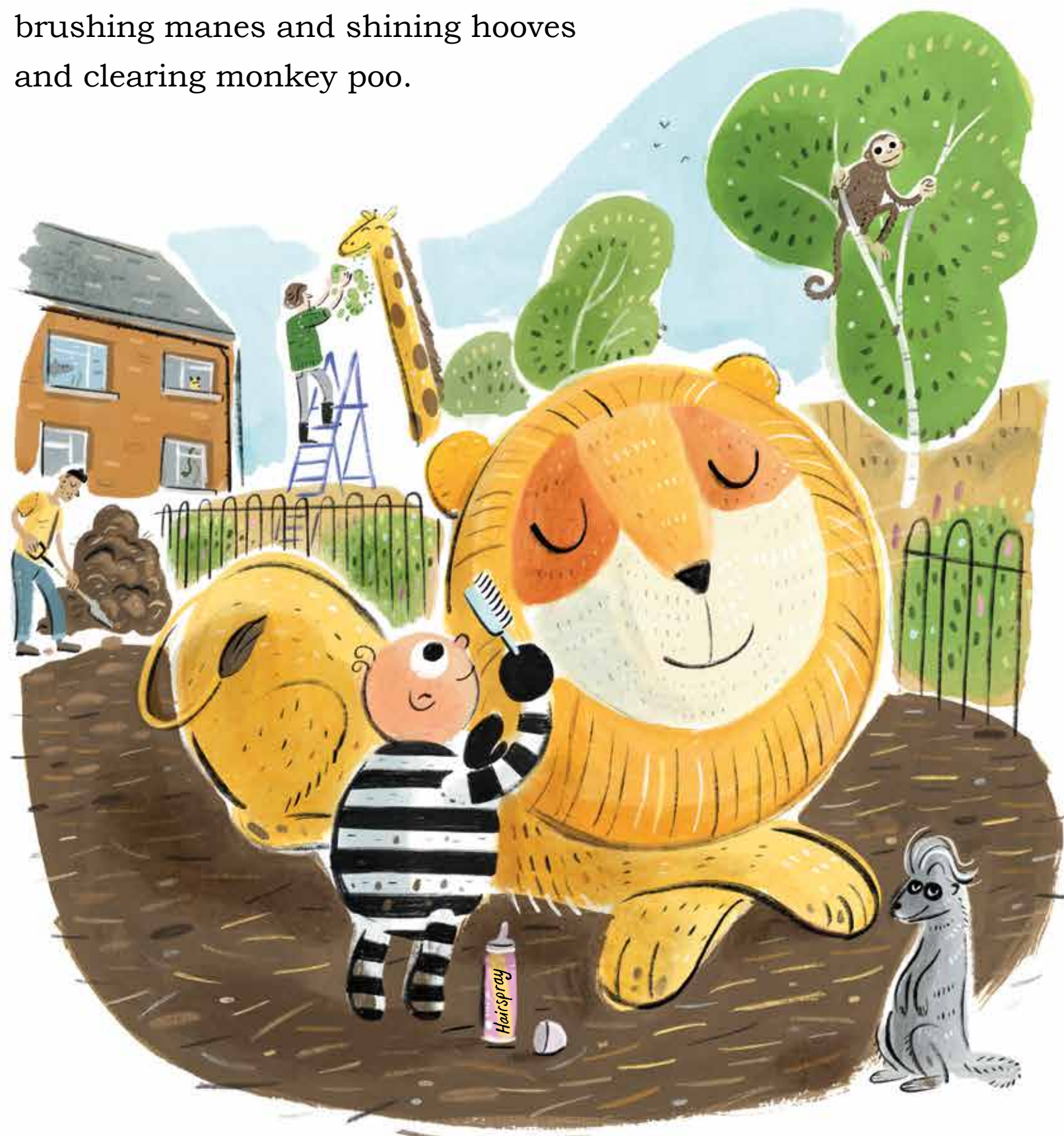


Have you got a pet at home?  
Perhaps you have a few?  
Baby Frank has more than that.  
He's made his home a zoo.

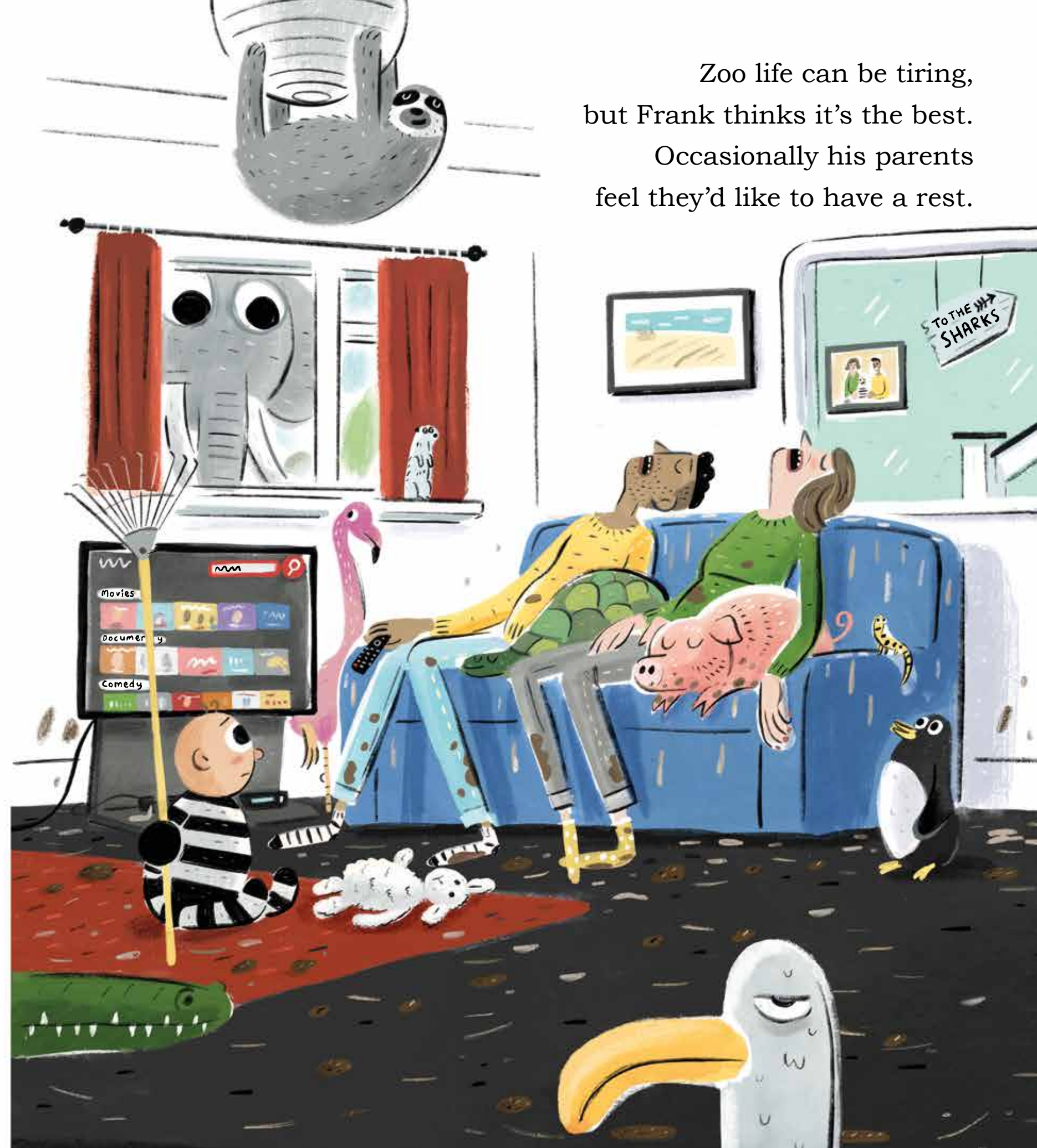
He's woken in the morning  
by the parrots round his bed.  
And he doesn't get his breakfast  
till the hippos have been fed.



Together with his mum and dad,  
Frank works the whole day through –  
brushing manes and shining hooves  
and clearing monkey poo.



Zoo life can be tiring,  
but Frank thinks it's the best.  
Occasionally his parents  
feel they'd like to have a rest.







One day after falling in a pile of yak manure, Dad said, “We need a holiday.” Frank was not so sure.



Frank didn't want to cause a fuss, yet as he drove along, he couldn't help but think of things that Grandma might get wrong.



His animals all needed him – how could he go away? Grandma said she'd watch the zoo and check it was OK.



Grandma was fantastic when it came to walks and knitting. But did she have the skills required for ape- and tiger-sitting?