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Lost Gold

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   - gold
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   - grandmother  
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   - a zoo  
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   - neighbor  
   - brother  
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6. North brought some ________ to talk to Elsie.
   - doctors
   - park owners
   - government men
   - bankers

7. Elsie’s land was turned into a ________.
   - highway
   - parking lot
   - bird sanctuary
   - zoo