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**I Survived The Great Molasses Flood, 1919 Novel Test**

**Part 1: Match the character to the description below. Use the word bank to help.**

**Word Bank: Nonna, Rosie, Carmen, Tony, Papa, Mrs. Grasso, Mr. Lawrence, Mr. Grasso**

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_- I am the main character of the story.

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_- I am the one who went over to Italy and brought Nonna to America so she could be with Carmen once again.

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ -I died when I got the flu.

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ - I am an old mare who lived at the stable where Papa worked.

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ - I am Carmen’s best friend. We went down to the molasses tank together. We also had lots of meals together in my apartment.

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ - I am Tony and Carmen’s teacher.

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ - I came to the stable to tell Carmen her papa was very sick.

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ - I am Carmen’s grandma.

Part 2: Comprehension Check-Up – Write your answer on each line below.

1. Where does the story take place? \_\_\_\_\_
   1. Newark, New Jersey
   2. Fredericksburg, Virginia
   3. Boston, Massachusetts
   4. Orlando, Florida
2. Why does Carmen end up at the hospital? \_\_\_\_\_\_
   1. She has hurt her leg badly.
   2. She has a bad stomachache.
   3. She has broken her arm.
   4. She has a high fever.
3. Where did Carmen used to live? \_\_\_\_\_
   1. France
   2. Italy
   3. Spain
   4. Ireland
4. Which war is the Great War referring to? \_\_\_\_\_\_
   1. WWII
   2. The Vietnam War
   3. The Korean War
   4. WWI
5. Which was NOT a problem in the story? \_\_\_\_\_\_
   1. Papa was really sick.
   2. Bolts (rivets) were flying everywhere.
   3. There was a tornado.
   4. Carmen was being swallowed by the molasses.