

“The Pumpkin in the Jar”

A Lesson in Cause and Effect

Read about some of the events that took place in the story. What caused those events to take place? Write the explanation in the right column.

Event from the Story	What Caused the Event?
1. King Adoveneis headed out into the plains with his companions because...	
2. The maiden seemed ashamed to offer the king a drink of water because...	
3. The king wondered if the maiden had no manners at all because...	
4. The maiden smashed the jar after the king drank from it because...	
5. The king ordered the maiden to grow a pumpkin in a jar because...	
6. Several months passed before the maiden brought the pumpkin in the jar to the king because...	