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ANSWER KEY

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   Accept several different answers for this question.
   Answers might include:
   He doesn’t want to live any more.
   Nothing is wrong with him.  (Doc Smith says medically, he’s fine.)
   He’s dying.  (In chapter 2, Doc Smith says he’s probably dying.)

4. Does this story take place in modern times or long ago?  How can you tell?
   It takes place long ago.  Accept several different answers for the second part, including:
   Doc Smith drives around with a horse and wagon.
   The farm does not have a tractor.
   Grandpa cooks on a wood stove.
   There is no mention of anything that uses electricity.

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6. How did Searchlight help with the potato harvest?
   He pulled the plow because Grandpa didn’t have a horse.

7. Who was Mr. Leeks?
   Mr. Leeks is a man who buys potatoes from the farm.