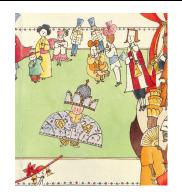
Halibut Jackson's Diary







Sunday, 5th May

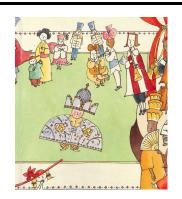
Dear Diary,

I jumped out of bed and rushed downstairs, as I was so excited about the Queen's party! I'd been looking forward to it all week. I went straight to my wardrobe to put on the special suit I'd designed. I must say that it looked magnificent! It was blue and gold to match the colours of the palace. I chose these colours so I would be camouflaged and no one would see me! When the light hit the shiny crystals the whole suit sparkled. Although I was a little nervous, I couldn't wait to get to the party and see what everyone else was wearing.

When I arrived at the palace, I couldn't believe my eyes. It was even more spectacular than I imagined it would be. Tall golden towers rose up into the air and touched the sky. Flags around the palace were flying like colourful kites on a windy day. I started to walk inside the palace for the party but was stopped by one of the Queen's guards. He told me that the party was actually outside in the garden. It was a GARDEN PARTY! My heart sank. I nervously crept into the garden, hoping that no one would notice me. But all of the guests surrounded me and stared right at me. I was devastated. My suit did not blend in to the background, instead it caught everyone's eye! I felt most embarrassed.

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I wanted to run and hide but just then the Queen and King walked over to me. They told me that they loved my suit! The other guests came closer and started saying lovely things too. They said my suit was beautiful and that they wanted a suit just like mine. I didn't feel embarrassed anymore. I felt over the moon! I promised to make a suit for the Queen, the King, and everyone else at the party! When I got home I felt exhausted. I fell asleep with a big smile on my face. It really was the most wonderful day.