Put the story in order

Art in progress. Draw it here.

Tap. The joint slid. Tap. Apart again, with a string of glue.

A

Art in progress. Draw it here.

When I was young, I never waited for anything. The way I remember it, I built a boat before the kettle boiled.

B

Art in progress. Draw it here.

June took the clamp off the waiting joint. She tapped it. Tap. Tap. Tap. I pulled. It held.

C

Art in progress. Draw it here.

Glasses on. Radio low. Pencil behind my ear. This is a hammer. It has one job.

D

Art in progress. Draw it here.

She was right. I said so. It was a very small boat, I said. I gave her a handful of scrap.

E

Art in progress. Draw it here.

I put every pencil in. The tray held. I took one out and put it behind my ear.

F

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How to play

Cut out the cards. Mix them up. Read each one together, then lay them in the order you think the story goes. Then open the book and check.

The right order

Start to finish: D, B, E, A, C, F.

D. Glasses on. Radio low. Pencil behind my ear. This is a hammer. It has one job. (page 4)

B. When I was young, I never waited for anything. The way I remember it, I built a boat before the kettle boiled. (page 8)

E. She was right. I said so. It was a very small boat, I said. I gave her a handful of scrap. (page 13)

A. Tap. The joint slid. Tap. Apart again, with a string of glue. (page 17)

C. June took the clamp off the waiting joint. She tapped it. Tap. Tap. Tap. I pulled. It held. (page 22)

F. I put every pencil in. The tray held. I took one out and put it behind my ear. (page 28)

Ask: what happened first? What happened next? What was the last thing?

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