

**Comprehension Questions: Chapters 3 & 4**

1. The first thing that Mr. Donatelli does is measure Alfred's height and weight. What are they?
  
2. Mr. Donatelli asks Alfred who has sent him. Alfred answers "nobody," but that is not exactly right? Who has sent him?
  
3. What are the three main items in the gym?
  
4. The purpose of the heavy bag is to develop power and to build up arms and shoulders. What is the peanut bag for?
  
5. Alfred completed grade eleven while at school. Why did he quit?
  
6. What reason does Alfred give for wanting to be a boxer?
  
7. Some people want Alfred to march with them. Why doesn't he?
  
8. On Sunday after church, where does Aunt Pearl take the family?
  
9. Uncle Wilson tries to advise Alfred. What does he suggest?

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

10. Tomorrow is Monday. About what does Alfred believe the Epsteins will inquire?

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

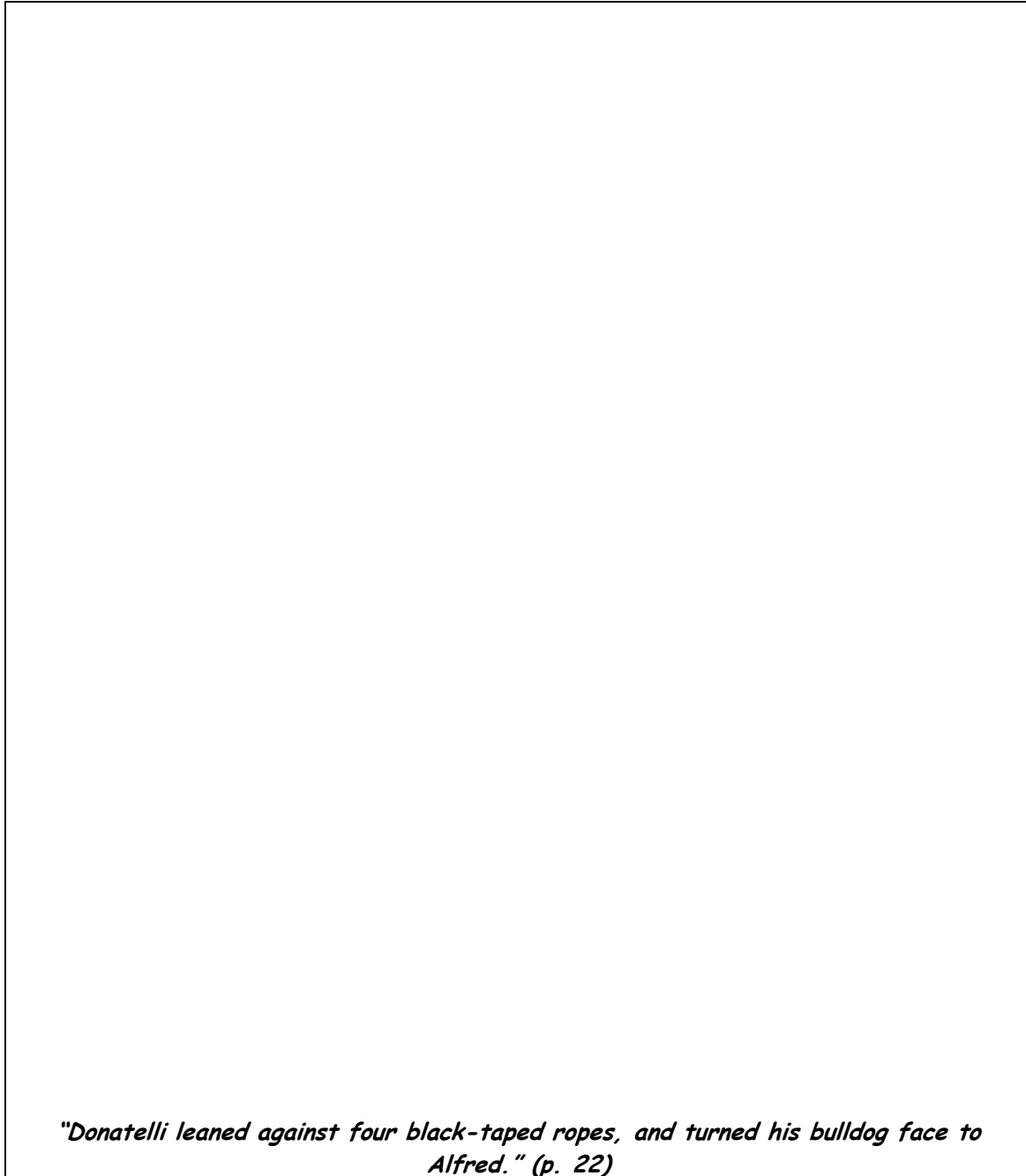
## Reading Response: Visual Interpretation

### Notes:

A **hyperbole** is an **exaggerated statement** that goes beyond what is true or normal.

### Instructions:

Illustrate the hyperbole written below.



*"Donatelli leaned against four black-taped ropes, and turned his bulldog face to Alfred." (p. 22)*