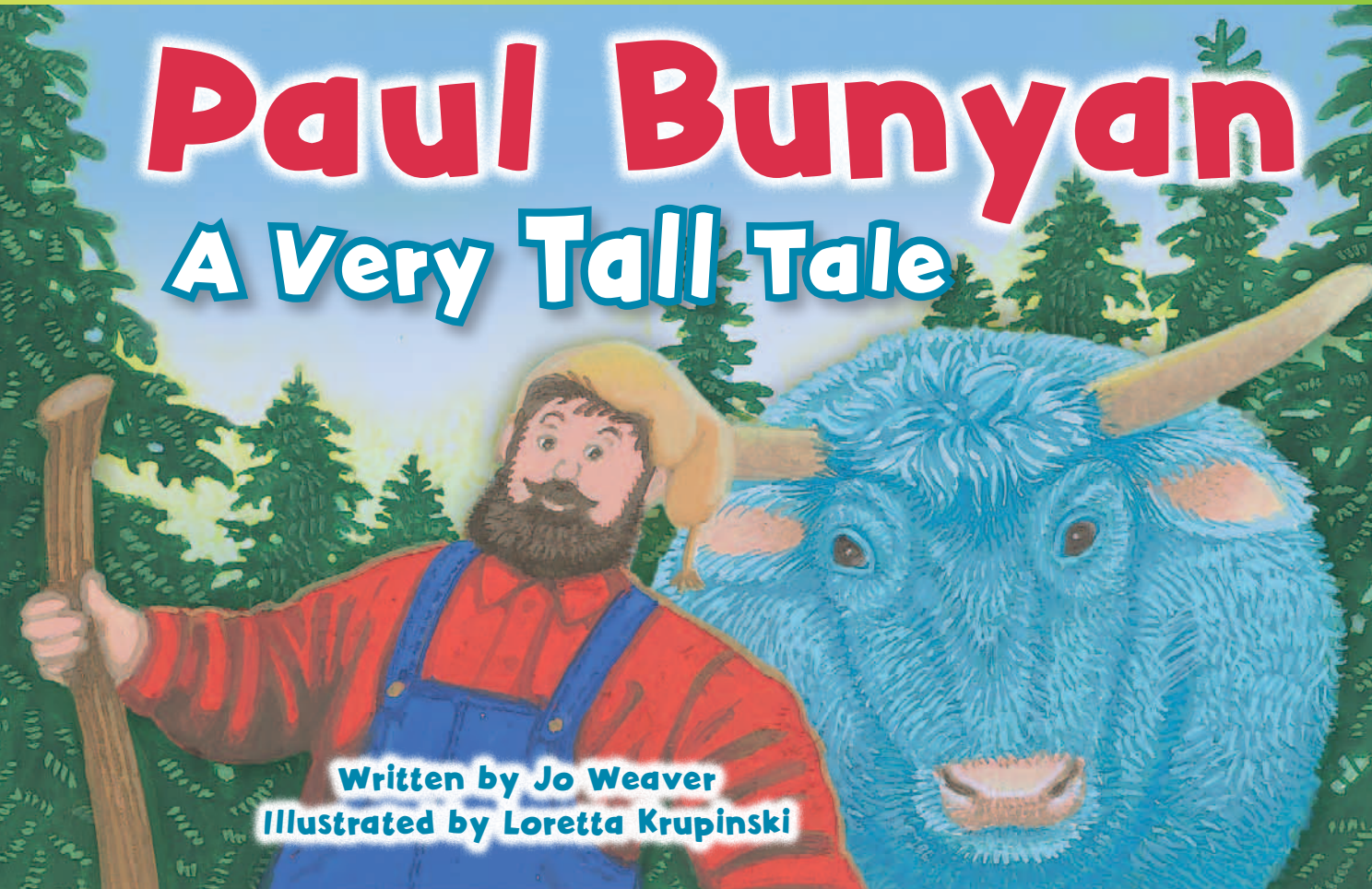
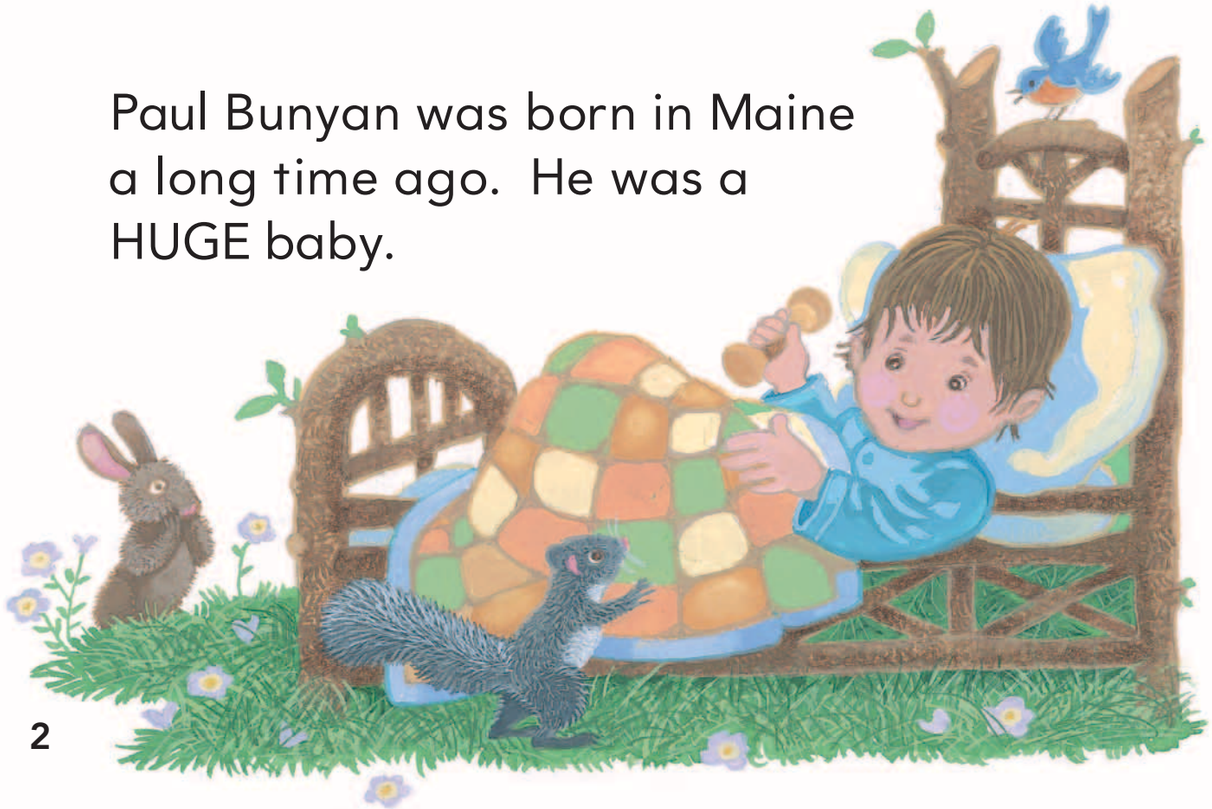

Paul Bunyan
A Very Tall Tale
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Paul Bunyan was born in Maine
a long time ago. He was a
HUGE baby.



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Baby Paul cried very loudly. He made
all the creatures in the river jump.



By the time he was a man, Paul was taller than a house. Each of his steps covered one hundred yards.

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He could cut down hundreds of trees with his mighty ax.



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People needed timber for buildings and ships, so Paul became a logger.





Paul and his blue ox, Babe, traveled across the country. Paul cut down forests and looked after Babe as they went.

At last, farmers could plant corn and wheat.



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