



I couldn't believe my eyes

Short story

'Guess what I saw at 7 o'clock this morning when I was walking to school on Hassan Street?'



'I don't know. Tell me.'

'I was halfway along the street when I saw a huge parade coming towards me. The Russian circus was coming to town.'

'First there were three white elephants, with two children riding on each of them.'

'Then there were four tall giraffes, and they each had one woman rider.'

'Then came the clowns. Two in a funny car and three were running behind it.'

'Last of all, there were two big, clear balls. Each with a clown inside and one balancing on top.'

'So, Karim, how many people were there on Hassan Street going to school at 7 o'clock today?'

'Mmm. Hold on! I need time to think. You saw a lot of people.'

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