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At night, we go to sleep. But some animals wake up at night. In the woods and at the shore, night animals hunt for food.

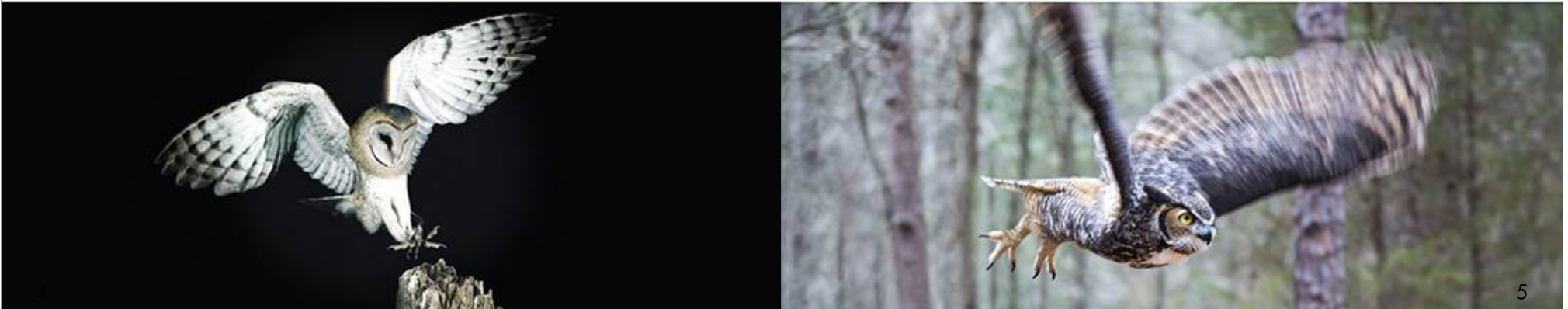


Rabbits don't store food. They may get it in a garden each night. In the morning, rabbits hide. They may creep below a porch.



At night, owls soar up high in the sky. Most birds are sleeping then. So owls find more things to eat.

When owls spot bugs or mice, they move fast. Bugs or mice don't get away. This owl looks like it has horns.



In daytime, bats sleep upside down. Even bats just born sleep this way. Bats wake up at night. Bats eat bugs, bugs, and more bugs!

Bats eat more than 900 bugs in a short time! That's a big score. Now those bugs can't eat crops like corn.



Night changes to day. It is morning. We get up. But this is the time when night animals go to sleep.



rabbit



raccoon



fox



owl

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born

morning

short

corn

or

soar

for

porch

store

horns

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more

shore

Can you find these words in the book?

away

changes

move



corn



porch



shore