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The play they were supposed to do was called The Elephant Man.



Joseph Merrick, also known as the Elephant Man.  
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Read up about the real Elephant man

<https://www.britannica.com/biography/Elephant-Man>

Watch a clip from the 1980's Movie The Elephant

Man - <https://youtu.be/sF19L00KbAI>

1. Was Miranda sick? Can you explain?
2. Give three reasons August mentions why he might be afraid of going to the school retreat.
3. Give three reasons from your own ideas why August might be excited to go to the retreat.
4. August says that Star Wars is 'special' to the doctor who put his hearing aids in, earlier in the book. Do you think the doctor likes it as much as August?
5. Why does August correct Mom – “Three days and two nights”?