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Fever 1793 chapters 1-14

1. Describe Philadelphia in 1793.
2. What is Mattie's plan for her future?
3. Compare and contrast Mother and Eliza.
4. Why does the coffeehouse become busier than ever? How does Mattie want to change the coffeehouse?
5. Describe Mattie's tea with the Ogilvies. How do they act? Give examples from the text.
6. How is Mattie's mother brought back home after coming down with the fever? What does this suggest about the way the sick were treated during this epidemic?
7. What signs reveal that Mr. Rowley is incompetent and unfit to treat the sick?
8. Why does Mattie resist going to the country? What does this suggest about her?
9. Why are Mattie and Grandfather not allowed to pass through Pembroke? What is your opinion about this?
10. Why does Mother say that Nathaniel is not suitable for Mattie?
11. Mattie says that she does not belong with the Ogilvies. Why? How is she different than them?
12. Describe Bush Hill. Why is it fortunate that Mattie is taken there?