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Bagpipes Beasties and Bogles

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Splotches of color are sprayed across scratchy ink lines in this whimsical take on the origin and legacy of bagpipes. Charlie McCandlewick is a nightsweep, but not of the chimney variety; his quarry is the bogle creatures responsible for bumps in the night. With his trusty thistle cloth bag and heather root sweeping brush, Charlie gets to work gathering Gurdles and collecting Croakies before finding a new purpose for these bagged bogles.

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