## Limp donkey with leopard skin

A limp donkey found an old leopard old skin on his way, he said "It would be better to wear it and take away suffering of bearing and beating by a stick", and he did so; put on the leopard skin.

Then he went on a hill and grazed and rested comfortably, while the passersby cautiously fled. He said to himself, "when people know me as a leopard, it would be better to bray once or twice so they would get more scared and maybe not pass vicinity at all." And he did.

When the people heard the donkey's sound, they realized that it was a donkey; not a leopard, then they attacked him with sticks and took off his leopard skin. He became the same donkey suffering, pulling a wooden cart and working hard.

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