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Underline the six misspelled words in the paragraphs below. Write the words correctly on the lines.

My brother Sam could never make up his mind about what he wanted to be when he grew up. He just new that he wanted to do something interesting. At one time, he wanted to be a farmer. He thought about raising sheep and lams. But he also liked tools. He would make a great plumer, too. It was a tough choice!

Then one day he decided to be a judge. It was the perfect job for him! He was always onest and good at finding the ansers to problems. But then Sam changed his mind again, so I am doutful that he is ready to make a choice. Whatever he decides, I know my brother will be great at it!

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| 1. _____ | 4. _____ |
| 2. _____ | 5. _____ |
| 3. _____ | 6. _____ |

Writing Connection

Write about an interesting job of someone you know. Use at least four words from the spelling list. Review the spelling rules for silent letters before you write.

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Remember

The spellings for /m/, /n/, and /r/ often contain silent letters.

- The letter *b* is often silent when an *m* comes before it, as in *plumbing*.
- The letters *g* and *k* are often silent when they come before the letter *n*, as in *gnats* and *knowing*.
- The letter *w* is silent when it comes before the letter *r*, as in *writing*.

wrinkle	answer	kneel	thumbs	doubtful
wriggle	knead	knew	lambs	hour
wrapper	knives	plumber	condemn	honest
wrench	known	combs	resign	honor

A. Fill in the missing letter of each word to form a spelling word. Then read the word aloud.

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| 1. ____ riggle | 8. ____ onor | 15. ____ onest |
| 2. dou ____ tful | 9. ____ rench | 16. ____ rinkle |
| 3. ____ nown | 10. com ____ s | 17. ans ____ er |
| 4. plum ____ er | 11. ____ neel | 18. ____ new |
| 5. thum ____ s | 12. resi ____ n | 19. ____ our |
| 6. condem ____ | 13. ____ nives | 20. ____ rapper |
| 7. ____ nead | 14. lam ____ s | |

B. Write these spelling words in alphabetical order. Alphabetize them to the third letter: *wrinkle*, *honor*, *wrench*, *hour*, *resign*.

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| 21. _____ | 24. _____ |
| 22. _____ | 25. _____ |
| 23. _____ | |