

Yes, it sticks out a mile! ~~When Giraffe has an important~~  
~~something important has happened to Mother~~  
 Giraffe at the London Zoo. ~~\_\_\_\_\_~~ It's baby Pat -  
 taking his first peep at life... 8/3

~~Perhaps because she dwarfs everybody.~~ Mother's name is "Grumpy" - ~~and~~ <sup>but</sup>  
 she's only too happy to curl her tongue round those tit-bits now  
 there's another mouth to feed. 5/6

Like any proud parent, "Grumpy" took her offspring, (who's only three  
 weeks old) on that first outing - just to get him used to heights... 6/12

Checking up on new arrivals at Canada's famous Banff National Park is  
 not quite so simple. The Game Wardens take an annual census of ~~the~~  
 wild ~~animals~~ <sup>animals</sup> (such as these mountain sheep), ~~that are~~ protected in the  
 huge reserve... 11/5

A Mother Black Bear makes her contribution. 3/4

"Home on the range" is an underground den for this coyote pup... 3/6  
 Besides ~~establishing~~ <sup>counting</sup> the animal population, this annual check-up  
 establishes whether there is adequate food available - as man gives  
 a helping hand in a preserve of nature. 9/5