Chapter 14: Marvellous Medicine Number Four

Fronted Adverbials are words or phrases at the beginning of a sentence, used to describe the action that follows. There are five different category of adverbial phrase.

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- Manner (how something is done);
- Place (where it happens);
- Time (when it happens);
- Direction (which way the event goes);
- Reason (why something happens)

Read chapter 14: Marvellous Medicine Number Four then look at these fronted adverbials. Can you sort theses adverbial phrases into their different category?

Type of adverbial	
phrase	
	Back in the kitchen once again
	When it had boiled for a couple of minutes
	The hen was whistling because
	Due to the medicine was different
	George once again carried a cupful of it out into the yard
	In less than a minute
	Mr Kranky ran after him
	George knelt down
	Mr Kranky watched anxiously

Can you write a sentence about something that happened in the chapter for each of the five categories, using fronted adverbials at the beginning of each sentence? Don't forget to check your punctuation and add a comma if needed! Here's an example...

The hen was whistling because George had given it a spoonful of Marvellous Medicine Number Four.