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day when he was fishing, and he had to row to the shore, where the trees kept him dry. There were springs feeding the lake—large, sweet springs. . . .

Lake Ada. Big and deep and stormy, and the fishing was swell. What swell muskellunge there were! There was a nifty beach, too, where the bottom was all sand and the water was cold. He'd gotten cramps there and almost drowned. He'd surely swallowed a lot of water that day. . . .

The swamp. The cowslips made it all yellow and golden-colored in summer, and the cranberries made it red in the fall. The swamp was boggy, and there were ducks paddling around. The wild rice stood knee-deep in mud and water. . . .

THE DUST made him sneeze again. Another car hummed. He raised a languid, pleading thumb.

"Ride, mister?"

The car stopped in a whirl of yellow dust. Wearily, he climbed in, and the car buzzed off in a great wave of heat. The driver looked at him, inquiringly.

"Where'm I going, mister? Home's where I'm headed."

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THE CAMPANILE against the morning sun . . . the horse-play on the lawns of the fraternity houses . . . the flood of girls from Home Ec building when classes pass . . . the swans on Lake LaVerne . . . the murals on the library walls . . . the girl archers on the green slopes east of the dorms . . . the lights on the Memorial Union at night . . . slide rules and chem classes. . . . Veishea . . . the walk between Central and Ag Hall . . . the hitch-hikers on Lincoln Way . . . cinder paths and trees . . . the legend of those who have come and gone at Iowa State.