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DIRECTIONS: The paragraph below is taken from *The Adventures of Lightfoot the Deer* by Thornton W. Burgess. Find the inappropriate pronoun shifts and cross them out. Then write what the pronoun should be above what you crossed out.

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ANSWERS

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